

# The City of Mt. Angel Newsletter



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## Oktoberfest Agreement Updated

The City and Oktoberfest in partnership have modernized the agreement between the City and the state's largest folk festival. The partnership agreement had not been updated since January 1967 and was in need of an overhaul to reflect the new spirit of cooperation and partnership in town. The City provides many things for the community and festival-goers including the use of city parks, street closures, and water for the food vendors, as well as public safety services.

- Oktoberfest has and will continue to reimburse the City for 100% of the costs of law enforcement and public works staff during the four days.
- In addition, this year Oktoberfest will contribute almost \$7,000 to our City and community for additional costs, street improvements, and other city projects.
- Oktoberfest will work proactively with nearby neighbors to resolve problems before they arise and to be immediately responsive to their needs.
- Through months of negotiations, Oktoberfest President John Gooley, Board Members Chris Bischoff and Pete Wall, Councilor Andy Otte and City Administrator Susan Muir, hashed out the details of the logistics for a successful festival.
- Oktoberfest and the City Council will begin holding an annual meeting, the first one to be held in February 2012 to talk about mutual goals in the community and brainstorm ways to financially make the goals a reality.

## Budget Priority Projects

The City Council approved this year's budget on June 6<sup>th</sup>. The fiscal year runs from July 1<sup>st</sup> to June 30<sup>th</sup>. These are the top priorities that are planned for implementation this year:

- Street Improvement Projects
- Sidewalk Program
- Park Improvements
- New City Website
- Sewer Assistance Program
- Strategic Plan Realignment

If you have any questions about these projects, please contact City Hall at 503-845-9291.

### Upcoming Events:

**City Council Meeting**- Monday, August 1

**National Night Out** - Tuesday, August 2

**Summer Reading Party**- Wednesday, August 3

**Bike Rodeo** (in conjunction with Mt. Angel Telephone Customer Appreciation Day)- Friday, August 19<sup>th</sup>

**Allied Waste Clean-up**- Saturday & Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>



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**August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6 – 8 pm**  
**Free Barbeque**  
**Garfield Street next to the**  
**Glockenspiel Restaurant**

The Mt. Angel Chamber of Commerce, Mt. Angel Police Department and Mt. Angel Fire District present National Night Out.

Bring your family and join us for free hot dogs – you bring a potluck dish. National Night Out provides the opportunity to promote the Neighborhood Watch program to our community. Learn how easy it is to start your own Neighborhood Watch program.

**NATIONAL NIGHT OUT is designed to:**

- Get to know your neighbors
- Generate support for, and participation in, local anti-crime programs
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships
- Improve the safety of your block

Join us for a community potluck party with great food and great neighbors!

*As part of the National Night event, the City wants to hear from you about future sidewalk repairs. Come give us your opinion about where you'd like to see repairs happen in our City!*

## **Annual City Clean-up Day**

Allied Waste will run the annual clean-up days on Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at the Legion Hall parking lot on the corner of Elm and East College Street across from St. Mary's. All Mt. Angel residents are welcome to participate. They will accept yard debris, wood (untreated only), metal, and E-waste. For more information about the event, including specific details about what will be accepted for disposal and recycling is on the City website at:

<http://www.ci.mt-angel.or.us>, call City Hall or call Allied Waste at 503-981-1278.

We look forward to seeing you!

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