

The City of Mt. Angel Newsletter



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City Hall Sign is Freshly Painted for Spring

Next time you pass by City Hall or take a trip to the post office, take a look at the newly painted City Hall sign. The colors now more closely match the building and the new coat of paint is a much needed improvement. You may also notice that the grass around City Hall is dead; Public Works staff will be reseeding with new grass shortly so the whole area will be spruced up in time for the coming spring and summer months.

Important Dates:

Council Meeting- Monday, April 2nd, 7pm in the community room.

Proposed 2012-13 Budget Released- Monday, April 23rd.

Municipal/Traffic Court- Wednesday, May 16th, 5:30pm in the community room.

Avoid the Traffic

4-Day Closure of Highway 213 Near I-205 (Oregon City area)

**From 8 p.m. Thursday, March 22 until
4:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 27**

During the temporary closure, signs will direct motorists traveling on northbound Highway 213 to detour through downtown Oregon City to access I-205 from 99E/McLoughlin Boulevard (Exit 9). Heavy traffic congestion on the designated detour route, as well as local alternate routes, is expected. Long traffic delays are also likely on Highway 99E/McLoughlin Boulevard, I-205, and local roadways in Oregon City. To prevent gridlock, motorists who would typically drive through Oregon City on their way to another destination are advised to plan a different route. For those traveling to and from points south of Oregon City, rerouting to I-5 may be the quickest way to go. For more information, please visit <http://jughandleproject.com/>.



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Council Goals for 2012-13

The City Council met and discussed their goals for the City in January and the Budget Committee met in February to review those goals in order to relate them to the budget for the coming year.

The Council has decided to continue many of its previous goals into the next fiscal year and added a few as well. The Council agreed on livability goals for budget year 2012-13 as follows:

- finish paving Taylor Street,
- improve sidewalks on Marquam and Taylor Streets
- pave Elm Street from College to Taylor and from Taylor to Marquam [as separate projects]
- establish a 50/50 sidewalk repair program and a tree removal program
- fund an additional \$5,000 to the sewer lateral program

The Council and Budget Committee have also directed staff to prepare several options for funding the School Resource Officer position and provide information about a few other areas that impact the budget.

While the City budget is not approved until June, these are the goals that the Budget Officer uses to prepare and present the proposed budget in April.

Please let us know if you have any questions or suggestions about the budget at 503-845-9291 or drop by City Hall!

Throwing a Birthday Party or Hosting a Family Reunion?

With spring and summer coming, now is the time to reserve a park or the community room for your event. There are a few things you will need to provide to complete your application, including the reservation fee (\$25 for residents/\$40 for non-residents and a \$25 cleaning deposit), proof of insurance, and if you will have alcohol at your event an alcohol permit.

Please call us at 503-845-9291 or come to City Hall with questions and to pick up your application. The application is also available on our website at www.ci.mt-angel.or.us under the "Resources" menu in the Forms section.



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