



City of Scappoose Newsletter ~ May 2020

Thank you from the City of Scappoose

With all the changes that have transpired over the last couple of months in dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic, the City would like to thank the citizens of Scappoose for being patient and understanding.

We appreciate your continued support. What a great community. Thank you!

USDA Unveils Tool to Help Rural Communities Address the COVID-19 Pandemic

USDA's COVID-19 Federal Rural Resource Guide Lists Federal Programs That Can Help Rural Communities, Organizations and Residents Impacted by COVID-19

WASHINGTON, April 13, 2020 – U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Sonny Perdue today unveiled a one-stop-shop of federal programs that can be used by rural communities, organizations and individuals impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. [The COVID-19 Federal Rural Resource Guide](#) (PDF, 349 KB) is a first-of-its-kind resource for rural leaders looking for federal funding and partnership opportunities to help address this pandemic.

"Under the leadership of President Trump, USDA is committed to being a strong partner to rural communities preparing for and impacted by COVID-19," Perdue said. "This resource guide will help our rural leaders, whether they are in agriculture, education, health care or any other leadership capacity, understand what federal assistance is available for their communities during this unprecedented time."

USDA has taken many immediate actions to assist farmers, ranchers, producers, rural communities, and rural-based businesses and organizations impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. For more information on these actions, visit www.usda.gov/coronavirus.

City Meetings Calendar

- * City Council meeting ~ May 4 & 18, starting at 7:00 pm
- * Planning Commission meeting ~ May 14 & 28, starting at 7:00 pm
- * Economic Development Committee meeting ~ May 21, starting at noon
- * Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting ~ May 21, starting at 6:00 pm



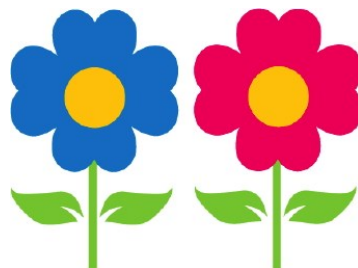
Citizens can email comments in ahead of time to sreeves@cityofscappoose.org, in addition to watching Council & Planning Commission meetings online at <http://scappoosecityor.iqm2.com/Citizens/default.aspx>.

Meetings are held in the Scappoose City Council Chambers at 33568 East Columbia Avenue
Call Scappoose City Hall at 503-543-7146 for more information and to confirm meetings.

**Utility bills are due the 15th of each month ~
pay online at www.xpressbillpay.com or call 1-800-720-6847**

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Visit our website:
www.ci.scappoose.or.us



**To report a street light
out or not working
properly**

Please contact
City Recorder
Susan Reeves at City Hall,
503-543-7146, ext. 224
Thank you!



Small Town, Big Community



RECYCLING GUIDELINES

WHY RECYCLE? By recycling you are helping to save energy, reduce water pollution, reduce water consumption, preserve natural resources and create jobs.



Please combine clean recyclables, including paper, cardboard, cans and plastic bottles and jugs in your mixed recycling. **GLASS ITEMS NEED TO BE RECYCLED SEPARATELY.**

PAPER AND CARDBOARD



Staples and tape ok.
No frozen food boxes, take-out containers, or paper towels.

METAL



Place lids in can, crimp the can shut.
No sharp or greasy metal.

PLASTIC BOTTLES AND JUGS



No plastic bags.

REDUCE AND REUSE; THEN RECYCLE!

By reducing waste, your business can conserve natural resources and may be able to decrease the size of your garbage container.

- Use durable dishes and utensils.
- Reuse bubble wrap and foam peanuts.
- Set all printers to duplex by default.
- Create a shared space in the office where items can be donated for someone else to use instead of thrown away.
- Select products from suppliers and manufacturers that use minimal packaging.
- Rent, borrow, and share items used infrequently.

THESE ITEMS ARE NOT ACCEPTED IN YOUR MIXED RECYCLING.

GLASS RECYCLED SEPARATELY



Glass bottles and jars must be recycled separately from the mixed recycling.
Do not include light bulbs, window glass, mirrors or ceramics.

Bring glass to the Columbia County Transfer Station for recycling:
1601 Railroad Avenue
St. Helens, OR 97051

NOT ACCEPTED IN MIXED RECYCLING

- Plastic bags or film
- Foam
- Bubble wrap
- Laminated paper
- Tyvek paper
- Plastic take-out containers or trays
- Plastic cups, plates, cutlery, straws, lids or caps
- Plastic food wrap
- Ceramic dishes, drinking glasses (donate or reuse!)
- Greasy or sharp metal
- Frozen food boxes



MATERIALS THAT REQUIRE SAFE DISPOSAL

Fluorescent tubes and bulbs, electronics (computers, cell phones, TVs etc.), rechargeable batteries, and hazardous products (cleaners, solvents, etc.) require separate disposal.

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING
oregonecycles.org
1-888-5-ecycle



Hazardous Waste Safe Disposal
For information about hazardous waste disposal in Columbia County, call 503-397-7259.

www.wmnorthwest.com/oregon

1-800-808-5901