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To report a streetlight issue please contact Scappoose City Hall at 503-543-7146
Thank you!

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Scappoose
Farmers'
Market
Information
Saturdays
May 3
Thru
September 27

SPONSORED BY SCAPPOOSE COMMUNITY CLUB

23RD ANNUAL

• NURSERY PLANTS
• HERBS
• FLOWERS

• FOOD
• HANDMADE PRODUCTS BY LOCAL CRAFTSMEN

FARMERS' MARKET

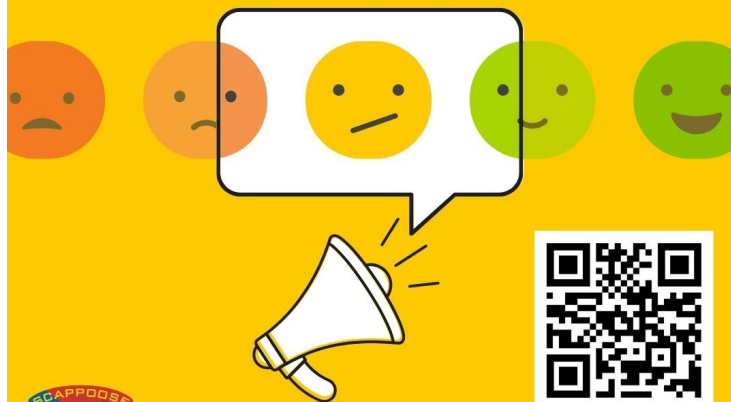
SATURDAYS
MAY 3 THRU SEPTEMBER 27
9AM - 2PM

**FRESH FRUIT • VEGETABLES
HOMEMADE GOODS**

SCAPPOOSE, OREGON

INFORMATION: PHONE 503-543-7146 • WWW.SCAPPOOSEFARMERSMARKET.COM

DID YOU ATTEND THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING? DID YOU NOT?
EITHER WAY, WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!



[WWW.SCAPPOOSE.GOV/CITYHALL/WEBFORM/
2025-ANNUAL-TOWN-MEETING-SURVEY](http://WWW.SCAPPOOSE.GOV/CITYHALL/WEBFORM/2025-ANNUAL-TOWN-MEETING-SURVEY)

**2025
Scappoose
Annual
Town Meeting
Survey
Information**



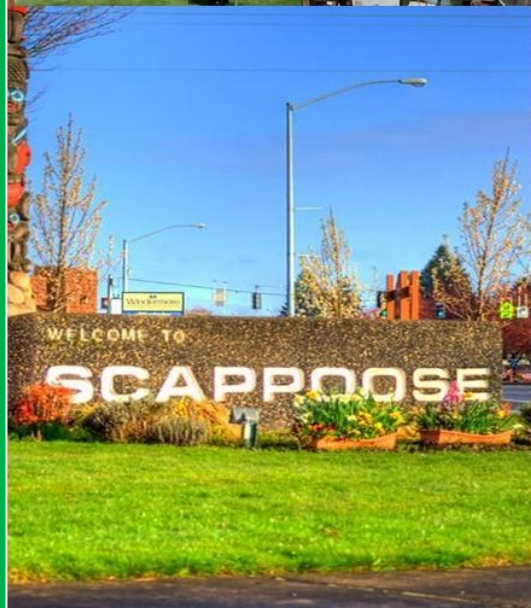
On Saturday, May 31st
 as part of
 Scappoose Outdoor Festival
 at Heritage Park
**The Scappoose Community
 Club**

Is again bringing back the
 Scappoose
 Sauerkraut Sausage Sandwich

For 2025 are adding some
 Family Friendly Options

Hot Dogs
 and Nachos

While supplies last
 Cash or Credit



We are looking forward to seeing you and
 Watching Our Community Come together



A note from your Scappoose Building Department:

Spring is typically remodeling season for Oregonians. To help ensure your remodel -development project is a success, visit our website for helpful links about permits, hiring licensed contractors and avoiding construction scams: www.scappoose.gov/building



If you decide to hire a contractor for your project;

- ask friends/neighbors who they recommend
- be sure to check the contractor's CCB licenses on-line and any past claims: <https://search.ccb.state.or.us/search>
- get at least 3 bids, (a higher bid might be worth the price in better materials, workmanship, & reliability)
- check their references
- have a written contract or use CCB's consumer tools: www.oregon.gov/ccb/pages/consumer-tools

If you have questions about your remodel-development project(s) or permit questions please contact Elizabeth Happala at the Community Development Center ehappala@scappoose.gov or call 503-543-7184.

Planning Commissioner Vacancies

The City of Scappoose is seeking two interested citizens who reside within the City Limits of the City of Scappoose or reside within the Urban Growth Boundary of the City to serve on the Planning Commission: one as an alternate member and one as a full member of the Planning Commission.

Please visit <https://www.scappoose.gov/planning/page/zoning-maps> to confirm the City limits and or UGB.

Any interested candidate should contact Susan M. Reeves, City Recorder, at (503) 543-7146, ext. 224 or stop by City Hall at 33568 East Columbia Avenue and pick up a Citizen Interest Form. The form is also available online at <http://www.scappoose.gov>.

Please return your completed Citizen Interest form to Susan Reeves ~ you can bring it into City Hall, mail it, or fax it to (503) 543-7182. Applications will be accepted until positions are filled. Thank you!



MAY IS BUILDING SAFETY MONTH

Building Safety Month is an international campaign celebrated in the month of May to raise awareness about building safety, reinforcing the need to adopt modern, regularly updated building codes to help residents, property owners and developers understand what it takes to create safe and sustainable structures in our communities.

In 2023, our State of Oregon Building Codes turned 50. It all started when Sen. Dick Groener and Reps. Robert “Bob” Elliot and Roger Martin sponsored Senate Bill 73, which Gov. Tom McCall signed to create Oregon’s unique statewide building code system. The issues driving the 1973 bill included consistency of code requirements between municipalities, dispute resolution for decisions made by building inspectors, and the establishment of stakeholder advisory boards to help adopt codes.

www.oregon.gov/bcd/50years

Seven governor-appointed, Senate-confirmed advisory boards support the code system in Oregon. These volunteer boards are made up of leaders in their fields who help ensure that the adopted codes are well-researched and will work in the field. Board meetings are public and provide a great opportunity to engage in policy development. Boards;

- Board of Boiler Rules
- Structural Board
- Electrical and Elevator Board
- Mechanical Board
- State Plumbing Board
- Manufactures Structural Board
- Energy Board

For more info; www.oregon.gov/bcd/boards

Elizabeth Happala ehappala@scappoose.gov or

503-543-7184 www.scappoose.gov/building



The Oregon Building Codes Division (BCD) administers Oregon’s Statewide Building Code which all building departments follow to ensure newly constructed residential and commercial buildings are safe to occupy.

Visit link below to learn more about;

- Adopted Codes & Standards
- Contractor Licensing
- Inspector Training Program (your next career?)
- Continuing Education

www.oregon.gov/bcd



Visit Oregon Construction Contractors Board for info on;

- How to get a contractor license
- How to select a Contractor
- Avoid Construction Scams
- Report Unlicensed Contractors
- How to File a Contractor Complaint
- Search Contractor License for past complaints

www.oregon.gov/CCB

Several Building-Safety brochures & fliers can be found on the ICC Safe website;

<https://www.iccsafe.org/advocacy/building-safety-month/bsm-member-printable-materials/>

- 10-tips on Fire Safety
- Alarm Safety Tips
- Exit Safety Tips
- Electricity Safety Tips
- 10-tips for Backyard Pool Safety
- Water Safety Tips for Winter
- 10-tips for Disaster Safety
- Disaster Prep Brochure
- Are you Ready (FEMA Brochure)
- 12 Ways to Prepare (FEMA)
- Resilience in the Building Codes
- Mitigation for Homeowners (FEMA)
- 10-tips for water conservation
- Prevent Stormwater Runoff Pollution (EPA)
- 10-tips for Energy Efficient Homes
- Building Green, Living Better
- Non-Potable Water Reuse



Spring Clean Up

Saturday, April 26, 2025

8:00 am - Noon



Drop Sites at 3 Convenient Locations:

Scappoose High School – McBride Elementary School in St. Helens – Columbia City School

Need help getting rid of your unwanted items from Spring Cleaning? We accept old appliances, scrap metal, yard debris, car batteries, old furniture, tires, unwanted items, etc.

Car Load	\$ 5.00
Pick-Up Load	\$10.00
Trailer Load	\$15.00

Car Batteries	FREE
Appliances	\$ 5.00
Refrigerators / AC Units	\$10.00
Yard Debris after 2 loads	\$ 5.00

Tires* (Cars and Pick-Ups)	\$ 2.00
Tires* (Commercial Trucks)	\$ 4.00

TIRES OFF RIMS ONLY

– No Tires on Rims will be accepted

Habitat for Humanity ReStore will be onsite at each location to accept donated items such as, new and gently used residential building materials, appliances, fixtures and home furnishings. Call Habitat for Humanity at 503-366-1400 if you have questions.

Yard debris, trees & limbs

FREE for first 2 loads
\$5 each additional load



\$ DONATIONS APPRECIATED \$

This is a community event made possible by the following organizations:

- Beaver Bark
- City of Columbia City
- City of Scappoose
- City of St. Helens
- Columbia Co Rotary Club
- Columbia Co Transfer Station
- Drake's Towing & Recovery
- Habitat for Humanity ReStore
- Hudson Garbage Service
- Hudson Portable Toilet Service
- Les Schwab Tire Center – Scappoose
- Les Schwab Tire Center – St. Helens
- Scappoose Community Club
- Scappoose School District
- St. Helens Lions Club
- St. Helens School District
- Stan's Refrigeration
- Waste Management

NO Sod
NO Scrap Lumber
NO Burn Piles
NO Painted Wood
NO Wet Garbage
NO Yard Debris in Plastic Garbage Bags
NO Construction Debris
NO Vehicles or Boats



**NO COMMERCIAL
TRUCK LOADS**

DRAKE'S TOWING & RECOVERY

FREE REMOVAL of scrap vehicles.
Call Ryan at 503-438-6099
for details.



Next Hazardous Household Waste (HHW)
Event is **Saturday, June 7, 2025**
8:00 am – 2:00 pm
Columbia County Transfer Station

Coming Soon!

“Our Schools...Looking Back” is next in the series of presentations “History Connections” sponsored by the Scappoose Historical Society. Retired school principal and long-time resident, Pete McHugh, will be the speaker. He says, “The Scappoose School District has given us a lot to be proud of. Any idea about which district in Oregon was the first to offer transportation to all its students...even sleigh rides? Your guess is probably right.” So, if you’re interested in local history or just want to take a walk down memory lane, we will look forward to seeing you on Thursday, May 29th at 7pm. The event will be held in the Parish Hall at St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church in Scappoose at 51555 SW Old Portland Road .



Scappoose Library Director Jeff Weiss presented Council President Miller with a plaque for his support of the Earth Day event and the Outdoor Festival .

2025 “If I Were Mayor” student winners announced

The City of Scappoose Council announced the If I Were Mayor contest winners at their March 17, 2025, meeting. The If I Were Mayor Student Contest is an annual contest held in partnership with the Oregon Mayors Association (OMA). The City received one essay submittal (grades 6-8) and one digital presentation (grades 9-12). Both entries were sent to the State competition for a chance to win a prize worth \$500.

Congratulations Baylee & Conrad!

City Meetings Calendar

- City Council work session ~ May 5 & 19, 6:00pm
- City Council Meetings ~ May 5 & 19, 7:00pm
- Economic Development Committee ~ May 15, Noon
- 50-Year Plan Stakeholder Advisory Committee ~ May 20, 6:00pm



Verify meetings, get virtual meeting details, and get more meeting information on our website: <https://www.scappoose.gov> or call City Hall at 503-543-7146. Thank you!