City of Scappoose Newsletter ~ April 2018

Every year the City holds an Annual Town Meeting to update citizens on what projects have been completed the previous year, what they can expect to see accomplished in the upcoming year, and most importantly, to hear what our citizens value and are concerned about. This helps direct the City Council in forming their goals for the year. The Council Goals then enable the City to develop action plans and budgets for the year so that we can effectively carry out the vision set forth by the community.

This year the Council identified a number of goals for City staff to focus on, some of which include:

- Promote Economic Development Opportunities that Create Local Jobs
- Promote Transportation Improvements that Enhance Community Livability
- Develop a Long Term Comprehensive Community Vision
- Keep Scappoose One of the 5 Safest Communities in Oregon
- Promote and Enhance Parks and Recreation Opportunities
- Address Aging Infrastructure

Some of the notable projects that the City and community partners will be working on this year include bank restoration along the South Scappoose Creek near Veteran's Park, the construction of a new public park on Seely Lane, development of a Friends of Scappoose Parks Organization, developing more community events, the completion of the Wastewater and Water Master Plans, additional water capacity via a new well at the Dutch Canyon well site, improvements to the City's Wastewater Treatment Plant, and a new access road to the OMIC site near West Lane Road.

Please look at our webpage to see the entire list of goals and objectives that Scappoose City Council adopted for this upcoming year, at <u>http://www.ci.scappoose.or.us/</u>.

As always, thank you for your continued support and involvement in your community. Remember, together we can make a difference.

Sincerely,

City Manager Michael Sykes

Mark your Calendar

- * City Council meetings on April 2 & 16, at 7:00 pm
- * Planning Commission meeting on April 26, at 7:00 pm
- * Economic Development Committee meeting on April 19, at 12:00 pm
 - * Park & Recreation Committee meeting on April 19, at 6:00 pm

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.

Utility Bills are due the 15th of each month

Watts House Information ~ The Scappoose Historical Society invites anyone who would like to share their historic memorabilia of early families and businesses to contact Karen Holmberg, 503-970-3920 for an appointment. We are on winter hours, but we will be glad to be available for donations or for documents and pictures to be loaned for scanning/copying. Your assistance in creating new historical displays and information available to the public will be very much appreciated.

To report a street light out/not working properly \sim

Visit our website at ~ http://www.ci.scappoose.or.us/ publicworks/webform/report-street-light-out or call Susan at 503-543-7146, ext 224.

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Spring Clean Up Saturday, April 7, 2018 8:00 am - Noon



Drop Sites at 3 Convenient Locations: St. Helens High School – Scappoose High School – Columbia City School

Need some help with your Spring Cleaning? We accept your old appliances, scrap metal, yard debris, newspapers, old furniture, unwanted items, etc. **Habitat for Humanity ReStore** will be onsite 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.

| Car Load \$ 5.00 Pick-Up Load \$10.00 Trailer Load \$15.00 Tires* (Cars and Pick-Ups) \$ 2.00 *TIRES OFF RIMS ONLY – No | App Refr Yaro Tire | Batteries liances igerators / AC Units d Debris after 2 loads s* (Commercial Trucks) n Rims will be accepted | FREE \$ 5.00 \$10.00 \$ 5.00 \$ 4.00 | NO Sod NO Scrap Lumber NO Burn piles NO Painted wood NO Wet garbage NO Yard debris in plastic garbage bags NO Construction debris |
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| 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 Community Corrections Dept. Columbia Co Rotary Club 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 | | DRAKE'S TOW RECOVER FREE REMOVAL of scra Call Ryan at 503-438 for details. | Y p vehicles. | NO COMMERCIAL TRUCK LOADS |
| | | Yard debris, trees FREE for first 2 lo \$5 each additiona \$ D O N A T I O | ads I load | PPRECIATED |
| Scappoose Community Club Scappoose School District SCC Chamber of Commerce SHEDCO St. Helens Lions Club St. Helens School District Stan's Refrigeration Waste Management | OLVE Earth Day/SHEDCO Annual Spring Clean Up Saturday, April 21 st ,2018 Houlton Area to Riverfront in St. Helens Meet at Courthouse Plaza at 9 am – for assignments Some tools provided, ok to bring your own. Coffee, water and light snacks provided for volunteers. UP SHEDCO Facebook page for more information. ter online: <u>https://www.solveorgon.org/solve-it-earth-day</u> | | | |