



Tradin' Crows

November 2018 Edition



City of Rogue River

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City Hall Hours:
Monday - Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Closed for Lunch from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

City Council Meetings:
4th Thursday of every month at 6:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers

City Council Workshops:
1st & 3rd Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers

See Calendar (page 2) for other meetings

Mayor: Pam VanArsdale

City Council Members:

- Bob Pascalar
- Fred England
- Wayne Stuart
- Ryan Hess
- Don Daugherty
- Mark Poling

Planning Commission Members:

- Rick Kempa
- Don Collins
- Dean Stirm
- Carolyn Riley
- Barb Hilty

City Administrator: Mark Reagles

Chief of Police: Chris Snyder

Public Works Director:
Michael Bollweg



City Council Update



Mayor Pam opened the October meeting welcoming Father Garcia from Lady of the River Catholic Church who delivered the Invocation then she led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes were approved for August and September 2018 and the Committee Chairs gave their monthly reports.

During Public Input they heard from Wanda Nesbitt, Chair of the Rogue River Mural Society who updated them on the 8th mural being painted on the back of the Liquor Store in the Shopping Center but seen off Gilmore Street. This mural is depicting the

lives of Indians in Rogue River during the 1800's.

The October Council meeting agenda was a short one consisting of one item, and not even a decision making item. The Councilors were polled to assure there would be a quorum for the November meeting since it fell on Thanksgiving. The City Council will be meeting on the fifth Thursday, November 29, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.

All meetings held at City Hall are open to the public and citizen comments are always welcome. A list of the meetings can be found on the back of this newsletter.



To those in uniform serving today, those who have served in the past and those who will serve in the future, you are our Heroes.

**WE HONOR YOU TODAY
AND EVERY DAY!**





The City's Public Works staff and Administrative Assistant Kailin Honea actively participate in many educational outreach projects in local schools. Such as the "Salmon Watch" program that is done at Valley of the Rogue State Park where our local youth participate in several activities that educate them on the life cycle of the Salmon and water quality.



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Mayor's Corner

Please mark your calendars and plan to join us on December 1st to kick off the holiday season. It's going to be a full day of events beginning at the Live Oak Grange with a Pancake Breakfast, PTA bake sale and photos with

Santa in the morning, the Christmas Craft Fair at the Community Center from 9:00 am – 2:00 pm, then back to The Grange for dinner (beginning at 4:30 pm) before the Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony in The Downtown Plaza at 6:00 pm. Look for flyers going up around town with information about the Tree Lighting Ceremony - it's going to be a little different (and we hope better) this year. The VFW will have their Tree Auction and dinner the following Saturday (Dec 8th) so we can all enjoy BOTH events this year!

The Evergreen Bank Bears have returned! Looks like a few new ones and some new locations this year. The Rogue River Press included map of them in their October 24th issue. I think I see at least one person (sometimes a whole family!) taking a photo with a bear every day. November 11th is Veteran's Day – please take a moment to thank a vet. Look for the VFW Auxiliary folks to be out Friday the 9th handing out Buddy Poppies. Any donation that you can afford would be greatly appreciated.

As I reflect on all of the many things in my life that I am thankful for, living in Rogue River is right at the top of the list. We have a great community!

Happy Thanksgiving Everyone!
Respectfully Yours,
Mayor Pam



Scheduled Events November 2018		
1st	9:30 am	Personnel Committee
	10:00 am	Council/Staff Workshop
7th	9:00 am	Sign Review Board
	10:00 am	Safety Committee
12th	Closed in OBSERVANCE of VETERANS DAY	
13th	10:00 am	Planning Commission Workshop
14th	6:30 pm	Tree City Committee
15th	10:00 am	Council/Staff Workshop
	2:00 pm	Finance Committee
20th	10:00 am	Police Commission
21st	9:00 am	Sign Review Board
22nd	Closed in OBSERVANCE of THANKSGIVING DAY	
23rd	Closed in OBSERVANCE of THANKSGIVING DAY	
27th	6:00 pm	Planning Commission Meeting
29th	5:00 pm	Council Advisory Committee
	5:00 pm	Council Meeting
30th	2:00 pm	Finance Committee
December 2018		
5th	9:00 am	Sign Review Board
	10:00 am	Safety Committee
6th	9:30 am	Personnel Committee
	10:00 am	Council/Staff Workshop

Continued: City Staff also offer tours of the Water Treatment and Wastewater Treatment Facilities in conjunction with a class room interactive presentation called "River Rangers" where they learn to become Stewards by being educated on the Hydrological Cycle of how water is polluted, used, how water is reused and cleaned and their roles in this process.

