

Tradin' Crows

October 2024 Edition



City of Rogue River

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City Hall Hours:

9:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday - Thursday and Closed to the Public on Fridays.

City Council Meetings:

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

City Council Workshops:

Held on the 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:

- Sharie Davis
- Grace Howell
- (Vacant)
- Barb Hilty
- Sherrie Moss
- Barb Gregory

Planning Commission Members:

- Jay Chick
- Dee Copley
- Dean Stirm
- Jonna StraussDebbie Kenny
- Mark Minegar
- Mark Milloge

Ed Hudson

City Administrator: Ryan Nolan

Chief of Police: Dave Rash

Public Works Director: Mike Bollweg





City Council Update

Mayor Pam VanArsdale opened the September City Council with the pledge of allegiance. After hearing the committee reports from the Mayor and City Councilors they deliberated on the following agenda items:

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1 Appointed Ryan Nolan as the voting delegate at the upcoming annual League of Oregon Cities Meeting.
- **2** Provided a local government recommendation to approve an OLCC permit for Taproots Nursery.
- **3** Accepted the September 12th Tree City Committee Minutes.

A Special Meeting was held on September 19, 2024. After calling the meeting to order the Council deliberated on the following agenda items:

NEW BUSINESS:

1 Provide a local government recommendation for a Special Event OLCC permit, for Sundance Distilling for a special tasting event at the Rogue River Community Center.

The Mayor and City Council would like to Welcome everyone to join them at the next City Council Meeting on October 24th at 6:00 p.m.





Election Day is November 5, 2024



The Bears are headed back to Rogue River!



HALLOWEEN IN ROGUE RIVER:



The City will be participating in the annual Downtown Business "Halloween Trick-or-Treating" event on Thursday, October 31st beginning at 3:00 p.m. Please be cautious when driving in the downtown area. Maps showing the participating businesses will be in the Rogue River Press. Other locations will be sponsored by the Kiwanis and Tailholt Hope at the Live Oak Grange and the Morrow Heights Assisted Living.



FALL COLOR TOUR AT PALMERTON PARK ARBORETUM

The Tree City, USA, Committee of Rogue River invites everyone to their annual "Fall Color Tour" at the Palmerton Park Arboretum, 300 West Evans Creek Road at 2 p.m. on Sunday, October 8, 2024. They will point out some of the favorite trees in the Arboretum, explain their new Tree ID markers that show the names of the trees, and talk about their newest trees. It is time for some of the leaves to display their beautiful Fall color before they drop to the ground. There is no charge, and the tour will last 30 minutes to 1 hour. Please join them on Sunday, October 8 at 2 p.m. If you have any question call City Hall at 541-582-4401.







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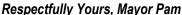
"Mayor's Corner"

If you have a chance, stop by city hall and say hello to our two new administration assistants, Annette and Emily. Their cheerful and personable demeanors are going to be a wonderful addition to our office staff.

We finally have online bill pay available! You can go to the City's website (www.cityofrogueriver.org) and there's a link as well as easy to follow instructions on how to use it.

Ballots will start arriving in the mail in a few weeks. If you haven't registered to vote yet (or changed your registration after a move), you have until October 15th. And if you have already registered, VOTE!

The dead leaves fall like noiseless rain, The air is calm and warm and sweet; Upon the woodland and the plain The ghost of summer rests her feet. –Clinton Scollard (1860–1932)









OCTOBER MEETING SCHEDULE October 2024

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1st	9:00 AM	Safety Committee			
3rd	10:00 AM	Council/Staff Workshop			
6th	2:00 PM	Fall Color Tour, Palmerton Park			
8th	10:00 AM	Council/Planning Commission			
10th	11:00 AM	Tree City Committee			
17th	10:00 AM	Council/Staff Workshop			
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22nd	10:00 AM	Planning Commission Workshop			
24th	6:00 PM	City Council Workshop			
31st	3:00 PM	Downtown Halloween Event			
First Week in November 2024					
5th	9:00 AM	Safety Committee			
7th	10:00 AM	Council/Staff Workshop			

IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!!!

Fall is here and soon leaves will begin to drop. We will be carrying out a leaf pickup project in November.

Look for more information in next month's Tradin' Crows. But remember as you get ready for leaf pickup... This program is for **LEAVES ONLY**,

NO animal droppings, tree limbs, rocks or household garbage. All piles of leaves should be in an area accessible within the reach of the 6-foot vacuum truck hose.



CHIEFTAINS





REMEMBER, sidewalks are your responsibility!

As a citizen it's your responsibility to keep the sidewalks clear for pedestrian traffic. This is a good time to trim back your bushes, hedges, and trees over the sidewalks and rake any fallen leaves making it easier for people to walk without having to walk out into the street.

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