



The Giving Season Kicks Off Early at Bulky Waste Day



At the City's new fall Bulky Waste Day, with Republic Services, 96 tons of unwanted material was disposed of by more than 300 Wilsonville residents. Because Bulky Waste Day is provided at no charge, the City encourages participants to bring toiletry donations for Wilsonville Community Sharing. Robert Todd of Republic Services and Javid Yamin of the City's Public Works department, pictured, delivered nearly 30 bins full of donated items!

Election Results: Lehan, West Win City Council Seats

November's general election included a vote for two open seats on the Wilsonville City Council. Unofficial results at press time indicate that incumbent Charlotte Lehan (5,318 votes) and first-time elected official Ben West (4,170) are set to begin four-year terms on the five-member Council in January. Lehan and West outdistanced John Budiao (4,066) and David Davis (3,554), who were also vying for an open seat.



Ben West



Charlotte Lehan

West and Lehan are being sworn-in on Jan. 7, 2019. West replaces outgoing Council President Scott Starr, who did not seek re-election in 2018 after two serving two four-year terms. Starr's successor as Council president is to be determined by the Council on Jan. 7.

For election results and updates, visit clackamas.us/elections, co.washington.or.us/elections or results.oregonvotes.gov.

Water Pipeline Installation Set to Resume This Summer

The Willamette Water Supply Program (WWSP) is coordinating with the City of Wilsonville to construct a water pipeline and transportation improvements near the 5th Street/Kinsman Road Extension Project.



Construction is scheduled to begin in the summer of 2019, with completion anticipated in 2020.

Work is likely to begin at the south end of the project area near Arrowhead Creek Lane and conclude on Kinsman Road, just north of Wilsonville Road.

Wilsonville Road is expected to remain open during the day, with construction occurring primarily at night. One lane of Kinsman Road is to remain open (southbound) during the Kinsman Road section of pipeline construction.

The project provides community improvements, including upgraded crosswalks and the installation of a turn lane for northbound Kinsman Road at Wilsonville Road to improve traffic flow and public safety.

The Willamette Water Supply Program is developing the mid-Willamette River as a regional water supply source. When operational in 2026, the new system is to provide a reliable water supply for the region by helping water system operators balance supply dur-

ing times of drought or other supply interruptions, and recover more quickly after a large disaster.



In the future, the WWSP is connecting the Kinsman Road portion to the recently completed pipeline at SW Grahams Ferry Road near Day Road. In addition, the WWSP is making seismic improvements to the existing Willamette River Water Treatment Plant intake that WWSP shares with Wilsonville and other regional water providers. Work includes the installation of a pipeline through the park, and facility improvements.

For 5th Street to Kinsman Extension project information and updates, visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/5thtoKinsman or contact Steve Adams, Engineering Manager, at adams@ci.wilsonville.or.us; 503-682-4960.

To learn more about the WWSP, visit OurReliableWater.org.



A Guide to Holiday Giving

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Mayor's Message:

Council Ready to Listen, Establish New Two-Year Goals

Thank you to everyone who voted in November's general election for exercising your right as a U.S. citizen. Your vote really does make a difference, especially at the local government level.

Many of us are glad to be past the intensive election season. This year, four candidates sought to put their unique perspectives and expertise to work for Wilsonville. Congratulations to Councilor Charlotte Lehan and Councilor-Elect Ben West, and hats off to John Budiao and David Davis.



In January, Mr. West inherits the seat being vacated by Council President Scott Starr, who chose not to seek re-election.

I want to thank Scott for eight years of dedicated service to Wilsonville. His contributions are many, including working to continue the City's admirable commitment to fiscal responsibility, leading the charge to develop new youth-sports programming opportunities, and chairing the Urban Renewal Task Force through a number of challenging decisions.

I look forward to convening the newly-empaneled Council early next year to establish goals and priorities for next two years. We seek to address our community's biggest challenges, including responsible growth, affordable housing opportunities and transportation improvements.

Of course, we will continue to work with federal, state and regional governmental partners to advocate for Wilsonville's interests and pursue cost-effective solutions.

Our goal-setting exercise is a collaboration among City Councilors and staff, bearing little resemblance to what takes place on the national stage. The Council strives to listen, build consensus and take actions in the best long-term interest of Wilsonville. Council and staff work diligently to move our community forward, within the financial, personnel and time constraints that we all recognize are a reality.

We have accomplished a lot by remaining respectful, non-partisan and open-minded, with each Council member driven by a similar desire – ensuring that Wilsonville remains a great place to live, to work and to play.

So much of our job is simply listening and responding to the community's needs and desires. We appreciate residents, businesses and other community members who communicate with us at meetings, in surveys, on social media or face-to-face. Your continuing individual involvement helps us understand how each policy choice, initiative and priority affects our community.

Please call me at 503-896-0048 or send an email to mayor@ci.wilsonville.or.us if you have an idea or concern that might inform this year's goal-setting. Together, we can move our community forward.

Have a happy holiday season!

Tim Knapp, Mayor

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Have a Big Idea? City Seeks Community Enhancement Projects for Funding Consideration

The City is accepting online project nominations for the Wilsonville-Metro Community Enhancement Program, which offers local stakeholders an opportunity to seek funding for a wide array of projects beneficial to the community.

Community Enhancement Project Submission Deadline
Mon, Jan. 21
ci.wilsonville.or.us/communityenhancementproject

Eligible projects can improve the appearance or environmental quality of the community, increase reuse and recycling opportunities or improve recreational areas and programs.

Projects may be nominated until Monday, Jan. 21, via the City's website: ci.wilsonville.or.us/CommunityEnhancementProject. Nominations may be submitted by individuals or organizations seeking to oversee a sponsored-project.

Proposals are evaluated by the Wilsonville-Metro Community Enhancement Committee, composed of four community members (Purity Case, David Davis, Amanda Johnson and Jimmy Lee), two City Council members and Metro Councilor Craig Dirksen.

Funded by a per-ton charge on biodegradable solid-waste, the Community Enhancement Program is provided to all cities with a waste-transfer facility, including the Willamette Resources Inc. facility in Wilsonville operated by Republic Services.

Metro estimates about \$90,000 in community enhancement funds are available to Wilsonville to fund projects that "rehabilitate and enhance" city areas.

Funds may be used annually or accumulated for up to three years to underwrite a larger project.

Project goals can include:

- Improving the appearance or environmental quality of the community.

- Reducing the amount or toxicity of waste and increase reuse and recycling opportunities.
- Upgrading property owned or operated by a non-profit organization.
- Preserving or enhancing wildlife habitat, riparian zones, wetlands, forest lands, and/or improving the public awareness and access.
- Expanding recreational areas and programs.
- Benefiting underserved populations.

In 2017, this program funded the development of a community Arts, Heritage & Culture Strategic Plan (see below) as well as recent projects to relocate the Memorial Park dog park, develop the "Bee Stewards" pollinator improvement project, and many others.

Award announcement are expected in early spring.

For more information, contact Mark Ottenad, Public/Government Affairs Director, at 503-570-1505; ottenad@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

Wilsonville Moves One Step Closer to Strategy for Development of Arts, Heritage and Cultural Programs

More than 30 community stakeholders gathered at the Wilsonville Library in late October to discuss development of the City's public investment strategy for Arts, Heritage and Culture.

The Clackamas Arts Alliance (CCAA), is managing the project, which has been informed by one-on-one interviews with key community stakeholders, an on-line survey, and community input gathered at several Wilsonville-area events, including the Wilsonville Festival of the Arts.

Included in the presentation, led by CCAA and Taylor Consulting, was the 2016 Arts & Economic Prosperity Study, compiled by Americans for the Arts, with details demonstrating how the arts benefit Clackamas County. In 2015, Arts and Culture spending in Clackamas County exceeded \$14 million.

Successes from similar communities were shared, including the Chehalem Cultural Center in Newberg and Sherwood's Center for the Arts. The discussion included crowdsource funding for community arts projects and funding for community foundations.



Funding options through Transient Occupancy Tax, Percent for Art, Metro Community Enhancement Grants and other sources were also discussed.

Participants engaged in lively discussion about leveraging the Parks and Recreation Master Plan and the Town Center Plan to develop future arts opportunities, and created a diverse wish list for Wilsonville that included repurposing vacant buildings, creating a Culture Commission, expanding joint use of City and WLWV School District buildings, establishing a community foundation, enhancing parks to include event

space and expanding exhibit space at the library.

A report to provide City Council with updates and strategic recommendations was scheduled for mid-November. A public strategy document for arts, heritage and culture is soon being made available for public comment, which is taken into consideration as a final plan is prepared for City Council consideration and adoption in 2019.

To learn more, contact Mark Ottenad, Public/Government Affairs Director, at 503-570-1505; ottenad@ci.wilsonville.or.us.



8200 SW Wilsonville Road
 503-682-2744
www.WilsonvilleLibrary.org

Enjoy the Spirit of the Holidays

This is the season! Take a break from the hustle and bustle with these free Library programs:

Wilsonville Garden Club Swag Sale

Saturday, Dec. 1

9 am–2 pm

An annual holiday swag and centerpiece sale to raise money for scholarships for Clackamas Community College horticulture students.



Stafford Cello Ensemble Holiday Concert

Tuesday, Dec. 4

5–5:30 pm

Stafford Preparatory Orchestra provides a beginning orchestra experience to string students ages 7–14 in the Southwest Portland metro area.



Book Notes Concert: Jass Two Plus One

Saturday, Dec. 8

2–3 pm

The romance and adventure of 1920s and 1930s jazz in a holiday style.



Dec. 6: Redistricting Forum

With the upcoming 2020 U.S. census and the 2021 redistricting process, the lines that define political districts are redrawn. Redistricting can change the level of control political parties have over the legislature and Congress.

At this forum, held by the League of Women Voters, residents can learn and ask questions about our current redistricting process, how it impacts elections here in Oregon, and what reform could look like.

Thursday, Dec. 6, 6–8 pm. Free

Winter Reading Program Set to Begin in January

Read books during the dark winter months and enter to win an Amazon Kindle or "Dinner and a Movie". The fun starts Wednesday, Jan. 2. Pick up forms at the library, or download them from our website:



WilsonvilleLibrary.org/AWRP

Library Holiday Closures

The Library will observe the following holiday closure schedule:

Monday, Dec. 24

Library closes at 2 pm

Tuesday, Dec. 25

Closed Christmas Day

Tuesday, Jan. 1

Closed New Year's Day



To renew items, select "My Account" on the LINCC website (lincc.org) or call our automated phone service at 503-659-8634.

Upcoming Classes and Events

Local Artist of the Month:
Lisa Jensen

Teen After School Activities

For grades 6–12

Wednesday, Dec. 5, 4–6 pm

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/teens

Book Club

"Code Girls" by Liza Mundy

Thursday, Dec. 13, 6–8 pm

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/bookclub

Teen Event: Winter Lounge Night

Friday, Dec. 14, 6:30–8:30 pm

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/teens

Genealogy Club

Monday, Dec. 17, 1–2:30 pm

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/gc

Great Books Discussion Group

"First Principles of Morals" by Kant

Tuesday, Dec. 18, 6–8 pm

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/gb

LEGO Night

For grades K–5

Wednesday, Dec. 19, 6:30–7:30 pm

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/kids

Visit our website for more events:
WilsonvilleLibrary.org

When Solicitors Call, Hold on Tight to Your Personal Information

Don't let scammers become the beneficiaries of your holiday giving. Proceed with caution when someone calls identifying himself or herself with a charitable organization.

"Nowadays 90% of the time, an incoming solicitation phone call is more than likely going to be an unscrupulous call," said Wilsonville attorney Shawn O'Neil, who educates local seniors and other community members targeted by phone and internet scams.

"Even if they may have good intentions, when someone approaches you or initiates a call to you, your first answer should be 'no' or 'let me look into this, and I will get back to you,'" O'Neil said. "Never give any financial or personal information to them during this initial contact until you are certain they are legitimate."

Scammers steal billions of dollars each year by coercing people to give cash, credit card information, com-

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puter access, bank routing numbers, or social security and Medicare numbers – information that can lead to identity theft and empty bank accounts.

They may use sophisticated or heart-wrenching stories to get the information they covet, including:

- pretending to be a relative who is injured or in need of financial assistance
- offering financial awards or prizes that may only be claimed after confirming personal details
- claiming to be a Medicare provider needing personal information to ensure benefits

One thing these – and dozens of other scams – have in common: once the money is gone, it can't easily be recouped.

"Once it happens, we can't get the money back 85 percent of the time," O'Neil said. Usually the culprits can't be found, are outside this country's jurisdiction, or have already spent the money and have way to pay back their victims."

Compounding the problem, he added, is that older victims are often reluctant to report the crime.

"When they make a mistake, some seniors fear a potential loss of respect and freedom especially if their children or love ones don't think they can make sound financial decisions or take care of themselves," O'Neil said. "It's unfortunate, because that's when they need their family support the most."

Before making important financial decisions, O'Neil advises seniors to discuss their plans with trusted advisors who don't have an economic interest in their decision-making.

"While it may be challenging to find people you can trust, these disinterested advisors can help seniors evaluate their decisions," O'Neil said.

Eager to give? O'Neil suggests reaching out to an organization you already know and trust.

"Do the research and initiate the conversation with charities you choose to support," O'Neil said.

For more information on Oregon Charities, visit Oregon Department of Justice Charitable Activities Division database at: doj.state.or.us/charitable-activities/.

To file a complaint or learn more about avoiding scams, visit the Federal Trade Commission at ftc.gov/scams or call toll-free 877-FCT-HELP.



SMART Gets Sky High Marks in City's Community Survey



Wilsonville's South Metro Area Regional Transit (SMART), scored exceptionally high marks in the City's 2018 National Citizen Survey.

SMART earned the fifth-highest favorability rating in the nation among more than 200 communities in which residents were surveyed about their satisfaction with local transit services. Additionally, SMART rated 10th among 200+ communities in which residents were asked about the "ease of travel by public transportation" in their city.

The statistically-valid National Citizen Survey, administered by the National Research Center in Boulder, Colo., is a tool used by cities nationwide to assess resident perspectives on many facets of community and local governance.

SMART Transit Director Dwight Brashear attributes Wilsonville's satisfaction with SMART services to a staff that emphasizes friendly customer service and drivers who excel at reaching destinations safely and on schedule.

The agency periodically conducts satisfaction surveys to gauge customer expectations and address service deficiencies.

"We thrive when the community believes public transit is a better alternative than travel by car," Brashear said. "We want to take good care of every passenger who steps on to one of our buses, so they're encouraged to keep riding."

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SOUTH METRO AREA REGIONAL TRANSIT

29799 SW Town Center Loop E. (mail)

28879 SW Boberg Road (office)

503-682-7790

smart@ridesmart.com

www.RideSMART.com

Holiday Service Hours



Tuesday, Dec. 25

SMART offices & bus service closed in observance of Christmas.



Tuesday, Jan. 1

SMART offices & bus service closed in observance of New Year's Day.

Regular service on Dec. 31 & Jan. 2

**Happy Holidays
¡Felices Fiestas!**

SMART Holiday Light Drives Runs December 17, 18 and 19

Board a SMART Bus to Portland International Raceway to see *Winter Wonderland*, a spectacular light show featuring thousands of colorful displays.



The rides are free, but each participant is asked to bring a pair of new socks to be donated to Wilsonville Community Sharing.

The bus departs the Wilsonville Community Center at 6:30 pm and returns at approximately 8:30 pm. Seating is limited, and reservations are required.

**Call the Community Center
at
503-682-3727 to register**

Winter Weather Commuting Tips

- Remember to dress warmly as the wait for the bus or train can be delayed in inclement weather. If you can, bring a change of clothes to store at work, including dry socks and shoes.

- Check for delays and cancellations on-line, before you leave home. Sign up for rider alerts and download the SPOT ETA App for real time information available for Apple and Android.

- Consider taking transit to work if you normally drive.

- Sign up for a carpool at drivelessconnect.com, a ride matching tool that matches you with people going your way for work and play.



'Tis the Season to Brighten Up

This season, bright is in! Be seen wearing light-colored and fluorescent clothing, and step up your look by adding reflective materials and personal lights.

SMART is providing safety lights to help keep people safe and seen. They are available at City Hall and at the Wilsonville Community Center while supplies last.



New Online System to Gather Data on Traffic Safety Concerns

The City of Wilsonville is introducing a new feature on its website that allows motorists, cyclists and pedestrians to provide details about any traffic concerns within city limits.

The City's Community Development team has developed the Citizen Traffic Concern program with the Wilsonville Police Department to more quickly identify safety concerns on Wilsonville streets. By collecting this data, City engineers and WPD patrols can better understand the areas of most concern, and more quickly identify solutions that mitigate problems or increase community awareness.

"As people provide us with information, our data will be sorted and mapped to clearly identify the areas of significant need," said Nancy Kraushaar, Director of Community Development. "Our engineers and public works crews can work most efficiently by focusing our

efforts on the most problematic areas."

Residents can visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/traffic-concerns to log their concerns. The Citizen Traffic Concern page is linked from the 'Resources' menu, accessible from any page on the site.

Each month, City and WPD staff will gather to review incoming comments, identify any trends, establish priorities and develop potential solutions that can mitigate safety threats and keep traffic moving.

"No matter how you get around – by bike, by car, by foot – if you notice something that makes our roadways less safe, let us know so we can try to identify a solution," Kraushaar said. "Don't assume we already know."

For more information, contact Patty Nelson, City Engineer, 503-570-1567; nelson@ci.wilsonville.or.us.



As people log the location of safety concerns online, City officials can spot problem areas and establish service priorities.



A Festive Halloween Events Season

The weather was chilly, but the costumes were on fire during the recently completed season of Halloween-themed events that included, for the first time, the Fall Frolic 5K and Kids' Dash (left), as well as a costume contest at the Community Center (above) and the annual Fall Harvest Festival (right, top right).



Winter/Spring Registration Starts on Wednesday, Dec. 12

Registration for the Winter and Spring session of classes and programs starts on Wednesday, Dec. 12. Programs for all ages can be viewed and registered for online at wilsonvilleparksandrec.com.

Register before Jan. 1 to receive 10% off class registration!



Enjoy a Holiday Meal and Crafting

Don't miss the holiday festivities at the Community Center on Friday, Dec. 14. The senior nutrition program will be hosting their annual holiday meal at noon, and will be serving traditional favorites like roast beef and mashed potatoes.

Following lunch, be sure to stick around and enjoy holiday music, cookie decorating and holiday crafts.

The cookie decorating and crafting runs 12:30-2 pm. There is no charge for the crafting event; please call 503-682-3727 to register.



Learn the Basics of Alzheimer's

Understanding what is happening to a person with Alzheimer's is key to interacting effectively and providing quality care. During this informative class, knowledge from professionals and first-hand accounts from people diagnosed with Alzheimer's will be shared.

This free seminar will take place on Jan. 10, 10-11:30 am at the Wilsonville Parks and Recreation Admin Building, 29600 SW Park Place. To register for your spot, please contact the Alzheimer's Association at 1-800-272-3900.

Donate Unwrapped Toys; Toy Drive Concludes on Dec. 14

'Tis' the season for giving! The Wilsonville Community Toy Drive will run through Dec. 14. All donations will go to Compassion in Action of Clackamas County. Unwrapped donations may be received at either Wilsonville Orthodontics, located at 9475 SW Wilsonville Road (hours vary), or Wilsonville Parks and Recreation, 29600 SW Park Place, Monday through Friday from 8 am-5 pm.

Create Your Own Mala Necklace

Looking to create a unique holiday gift for someone special? Come learn to make a Mala- a traditional Buddhist meditation tool that doubles as a beautiful piece of jewelry. These traditional malas are made of 108 sandalwood counter beads with one "guru bead" or pendant at the end. Add your own style and flair with charms or spacer beads. All materials will be provided. Join us on Thursday, Dec. 6, 6-8 pm at the Parks and Rec Admin Building, 29600 SW Park Place. Cost for this class is \$45.



Register online at Wilsonvilleparksandrec.com

Upcoming Classes and Events

Soccer Shots

Ages 2-8
Saturdays, Dec. 15-Feb. 16
Times Vary
Community Center
\$170

Beginner Learn to Skate

Ages 6-10
Wednesdays, Dec 5-Jan. 30 (except 12/26)
5:30-6 pm
Sherwood Ice Arena
\$95

Guided Meditation Meetup

All Ages
Each Wednesday
5:30-6:30 pm
Parks Admin Building
No Charge

Oil Painting

"Poinsettias in the Window"
Ages 12+
Tuesday, Dec. 11
5:30-9 pm
Parks Admin Building
\$50

Winter/Spring Registration opens Dec 12.

See a complete class and event schedule at WilsonvilleParksandRec.com

In your Garbage Container

Frozen food containers



Glassware, ceramics and incandescent light bulbs



Plastic film and bags



To-go cups and containers
(paper or plastic cups and clamshells)



Also in your garbage: Styrofoam, food-soiled paper, pizza boxes, carpet, fabric, containers labeled "compostable," pet waste, diapers and lumber.
Some items can be taken to a drop-off center to be recycled.

In your Recycling Container

Plastic bottles, jugs, buckets and tubs
6 ounces or larger



Mixed paper and cardboard



Metal



Recycling reminder: Empty and rinse, clean recyclables only. When in doubt, toss it in the garbage.

In your Glass Container

Glass bottles and jars

Empty and rinse



Further Information

Clackamas, Multnomah, and Washington Counties (and all cities within) have the same recycling rules.

Service Requests:

Republic Services
503-981-1278 • republicservices.com

Recycling Questions:

Metro's Recycling Information Hotline
503-234-3000 • oregonmetro.gov/recycle

Clackamas County
Sustainability and Solid Waste
503-557-6363 • clackamas.us/recycling

Regulations and Oversight:

City of Wilsonville
503-682-1011 • ci.wilsonville.or.us/recycling

Reduce & Reuse

Simple actions add up! Remember your travel mug or water bottle when going out, and bring a reusable bag when shopping.



RECYCLING locations convenient to Wilsonville

Call site to confirm materials are still accepted and inquire about potential fees before making the trip.

Questions?

Metro's Recycling Information Hotline:
503-234-3000
OregonMetro.gov/FindaRecycler

Deposit Containers

Return to BottleDrop Centers, retailers or grocery stores.

Tigard Redemption Center

1411 SW Pacific Hwy, Tigard

Oregon City Redemption Center

14214 Fir St., Oregon City

bottledropcenters.com

Paints and Stains

Drop off for free at PaintCare locations.

Sherwin-Williams

97070 SW 90th Ct., Tualatin

Parr Lumber Co.

2351 SW Borland Rd., West Linn

PaintCare.org

Plastic Bags and Wrap

Drop off for free at participating retail locations.

Fred Meyer

30300 SW Boones Ferry Rd., Wilsonville

Safeway

8255 SW Wilsonville Rd., Wilsonville

plasticfilmrecycling.org



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- ✓ = No charge
- \$ = Fees required
- ✓/\$ = Fees required for specific items

	Appliances - Lg. & Sm.	Batteries (Alkaline & Rechargeables)	TVs, Monitors & Computers	Glass Bottles & Jars	Household Hazardous Waste	Light bulbs, CFLs, Fluorescent tubes	Motor Oil	Paper & Cardboard	Plastic Bottles, Jugs & Tubs (no lids)	Polystyrene plastics, including styrofoam	Scrap Metal / Metal	Tires	Yard Debris
Willamette Resources, Inc. 10295 SW Ridder Rd., Wilsonville 503-570-0626	✓/\$		✓	✓				✓	✓		✓ <i>no lead</i>		
Agilyx 7904 SW Hunziker St., Tigard 503-217-3160 agilyx.com										✓			
K.B. Recycling 1600 SE 4th Ave., Canby 503-266-7903 kbrecycling.com	✓/\$		✓	✓				✓	✓		✓		
Metro South Transfer Station 2001 Washington St., Oregon City 503-234-3000 oregonmetro.gov	✓/\$	\$	✓	✓	\$	\$	✓	✓	✓		✓	\$	\$
S & H Landscaping Supplies 20200 SW Stafford Rd., Tualatin 503-638-1011 shbark.com											✓		\$

Sharps (Needles, Lancets, Syringes)

Check with your local pharmacy about joining a pharmacy container exchange program, or take to Metro South's Hazardous Waste Facility.



Prescription Medications

Take medications to a free Drug Take Back Box.

Wilsonville Police Department

30000 SW Town Center Lp., E, Wilsonville

ClackamasProviders.org/drug-take-back-boxes



Look for Wilsonville's Special Garbage Days:

- "Bulky Waste Day" in Spring and Fall
- "Fall Leaf Collection Day" in Nov.
- "Hazardous Waste Day" in Sept.

For more information: watch for *The Boones Ferry Messenger* newsletter or visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/garbage

Town Center Team Recognized by OAPA

City planners Miranda Bateschell and Jenn Scola display the Public Involvement and Participation Award that the City of Wilsonville recently received from the Oregon Chapter of the American Planning Association (OAPA).

The award recognizes the City's work to develop a community-driven vision for the Wilsonville Town Center.

More than 100 public events provided community members with opportunities to share feedback about the project, which is being presented to the Planning Commission and City Council for consideration this winter.

For information on the long-term project to reimagine the Town Center area, visit WilsonvilleTownCenter.com.



State Scheduled to Consider Aurora Airport Expansion This Month

The Aurora State Airport, located less than five miles south of Wilsonville in neighboring Marion County, has been a hot topic among many local legislators since the Oregon Department of Aviation applied for a \$37 million federal grant with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to fund expansion of the airport's runway and other improvements.

Expanding the runway would allow the airport to accommodate larger aircraft, likely increasing air traffic in and out of the largest State-run airport. The project is scheduled for consideration by the legislature's Joint Emergency Board during "Legislative Days" in Salem, Dec. 12-14.

While the proposal has generated a wide array of opinions about the potential benefits, negative impacts, consequences and mitigations necessary should the project proceed, the public has had limited opportunity to comment.

Wilsonville City Council convened a special public meeting in late November to provide residents and other stakeholders an opportunity to learn more and provide public testimony to be presented for consideration by the Governor, members of the Oregon Congressional delegation and the Federal Aviation Administration at the mid-December hearing. To provide public testimony, community members may submit written statements to the City Recorder, 29799 SW Town Center Loop East, Wilsonville, OR 97070; cityrecorder@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

Specific suggestions or questions concerning the proposed may be directed to Mark Ottenad, Public/Government Affairs Director, at 503-570-1505; ottenad@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

For more information on the proposed Aurora State Airport expansion, visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/AuroraStateAirport.

CD Director Kraushaar Retires; Two Join City's Executive Team

In late November, City of Wilsonville employees bid a fond farewell to retiring Community Development Director, Nancy Kraushaar, who has provided oversight of the City's building, engineering, natural resources, planning and urban renewal divisions since 2012.

"I'll always value working with our talented staff and forward-thinking elected officials," Kraushaar said. "I've enjoyed playing a role in implementing the great planning the City has done for decades, including new parks and neighborhoods in Villebois and safe, improved connections throughout the city for motorists, cyclists and pedestrians."

Kraushaar's contributions have better prepared the city for the eventual buildout of the Coffee Creek and Basalt Creek employment areas, secured more sustainable funding resources to build and maintain the City's infrastructure, and ensured that the I-5 Southbound Boone Bridge ramp-to-ramp improvements were included in the Oregon Transportation Commission's 2018 Oregon Highway Plan update.

"The City has been very fortunate to benefit from Nancy's leadership and expertise for six great years," City Manager Bryan Cosgrove said. "She's capably managed many community improvements while also providing support and guidance to lift the talented team of people who will continue to innovate and move Wilsonville forward."

As the City begins a search for Kraushaar's successor, two long-time employees join the executive team following recent promotions.

Cathy Rodocker, who served as Assistant Director of Finance since 2004, is the City's new Finance Director.

After serving most recently as Information Services Manager, Andy Stone assumes a new role as the City's Director of Information Services. Stone began his career with the City in 1999.

"We're very fortunate to have an opportunity to add two very qualified, intelligent leaders to the City's core decision-making team," Cosgrove said. "Cathy and Andy both have a vast amount of institutional knowledge and expertise, and these appointments allow them to be even greater assets to the community."

Keith Katko, formerly the City's Senior Accountant, moves into Rodocker's former role as Assistant Director of Finance. Katko has been with the City since 1999.

Additionally, Martin Montalvo joined the City in October as the City's Public Works Operations Manager. Montalvo, who most recently worked in a similar capacity for the City of Oregon City, has more than 17 years of experience in public works and emergency management operations.

Other recent appointments include Dillon Jenkins, Senior Accountant; Dominique Huffman, Civil Engineer; Matt Palmer, Civil Engineer; Patty Nelson, City Engineer; Brody Lemons, Information Systems Assistant; Carl Brown, Building Inspector; and Megan Munsterman, Building Permit Technician.



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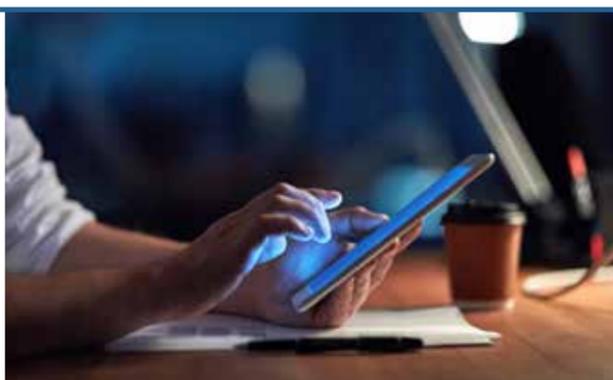
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Notable Actions: City Boards and Commissions

City Council	Action	What it Means
Nov. 5	Voted to hold a public hearing on the proposed expansion of the Aurora State Airport.	The Nov. 27 hearing provided the community a public comment opportunity on the Oregon Aviation Department's proposed project before a Dec. 12-14 state legislative Joint Emergency Board approval.
Nov. 5, Oct. 15	Council adopted amendments to Wilsonville City Code related to the City's transit payroll tax, plumbing specialty code and residential specialty code.	The new code corrects inaccuracies and outdated references.
Nov. 5	A public hearing to consider the Boones Ferry Park Master Plan was continued to Dec. 17.	The continuation allows the plan to first be reviewed by the Planning Commission on Nov. 14
Oct. 15	Wilsonville City Council adopted an updated Parks & Recreation Master Plan.	The plan becomes a sub-element of the Wilsonville Master Plan, guiding future development of public parks, sports fields and recreational programs and amenities.
Oct. 15	On second reading, Council adopted an amendment to the 2017 Transit Master Plan.	The Programs Enhancement Strategy is a comprehensive, prioritized list of desired transit service improvements that would be funded with new revenues provided by passage of Oregon House Bill 2017, which implemented a state-wide employee-paid payroll tax.
Oct. 15	At a public hearing, Council approved a supplemental budget adjustment, allowing the City to roll over more than \$3.5 million from last year's budget.	The funding supports capital improvement projects planned for the current fiscal year.
Oct. 15	The Council adopted, on second reading, changes to City development code related to the construction of Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs).	The revised code conforms with changes in state law designed to remove local barriers to development of these kinds of residential units, and improves the functionality and clarity of the code.
Planning Commission	Action	What it Means
Nov. 14	The Commission unanimously adopted the Boones Ferry Park Master Plan.	The plan is now forwarded to City Council for consideration at a public hearing scheduled for Dec. 17.

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Online: ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV
Comcast/Xfinity: Channel 30
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Holiday Guide to Giving



A little empathy goes a long way to help community members in need of assistance. Thank you to the service clubs, businesses, faith-based organizations and individuals that coordinate programs and activities to make the holidays better for those in need.

Looking to spread a little holiday cheer? Here are several items that can benefit those in need.

Books: The Wilsonville Community Center accepts gently-read books for the building's collection; the Wilsonville Library accepts or gently-used items, as well as cash donations to fund the purchase of new books and other services.

Cash: Most non-profit organizations accept cash, checks or online contributions to fund core services.

Coats/Clothing: Portland-area non-profit 211.org accepts winter clothing. Visit 211info.org/donations to learn more.

Gift Cards: Gift cards — especially for prepared food, groceries, gas, or services — help area resource specialists meet many individual client needs.

Meals: Call the Food Bank (503-682-6939) to assess current needs, which change often; the Community Center's in-home meal program for seniors accepts cash donations and needs volunteer drivers.

Medical Equipment: The Community Center accepts gently-used medical equipment that can be used by community members in need.

Services: Wilsonville Community Sharing seeks people willing to provide a free services — i.e. driving, haircuts, teeth cleaning, car repairs, dry cleaning, etc. — for people in need.

Toiletries: Wilsonville Community Sharing collects baby wipes, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, deodorant, disposable razors and other items to distribute to people experiencing homelessness.

Toys: The City's Toy Drive helps Compassion in Action of Clackamas County provide food and toy boxes to families throughout the county. (see page 8).

Volunteer hours: Many organizations survive only on the year-round contributions of volunteers, including the Community Center, the Library and many non-profits.

Holiday Giving Tips

Helping others makes people happier, it can be contagious, and it is said to help you live longer. Before you give, here are a few things to keep in mind.

1. Don't donate perishable items that have been opened or that have expired: "Just because someone is in need, they don't deserve to eat something half-used, or open or outdated. These are our neighbors who have come across a hard time," said Leigh Crosby, Food Bank Director for Wilsonville Community Sharing.

2. Have an unused gift card sitting in your drawer? Donating it costs nothing out of pocket.

3. If money's tight, donate a talent or service: "Car repair, hair cutting, dry cleaning, teeth cleaning — any service provider willing to give a gift certificate can contact us, Crosby said.

4. Handouts provide only temporary relief: "Those concerned about addressing homelessness can best serve people by donating to the agencies that serve them to ensure that the funds are used in appropriate ways," Crosby said.

5. Need knows no season. Next year, consider donating early: "Between March and October, is when we get the fewest monetary donations and the fewest food donations," Crosby said.

Local Agencies

Wilsonville Community Sharing

Operates food bank, provides food, utility assistance, prescription help and other critical resources to community members in need.

28925 SW Boberg Rd. • 503-682-6939

Social services: lani@wilsonvillecommunitysharing.org

wilsonvillecommunitysharing.org

Toys & Joy / Compassion in Action

Provides qualified Clackamas County families with holiday food and toy donations.

PO Box 197, Ore. City, OR 97045 • 503-632-0562

Ciacc.org

Wilsonville Community Center

City-operated facility provides a wealth of services, including connecting seniors to social services.

7965 SW Wilsonville Rd. • 503-682-3727

Social services: wallenberg@ci.wilsonville.or.us

Wilsonvilleparksandrec.com

211info

Provides shelter and other services throughout the Portland area.

211info.org

A complete list of registered Oregon charities is available at doj.state.or.us/charitable-activities/

COUNCILOR'S CORNER: SCOTT STARR

This month, my eight-year tenure on the Wilsonville City Council comes to an end. It's been a satisfying journey.

Upon joining the Council, I believed 80 percent of the decisions were black and white, and 20 percent were gray. I quickly learned the opposite is true. Nearly every decision must be made with regard for the gray, the unintended consequences. That's where the hard work comes in.

The activities, the meetings ... those were about what I expected. The 600-page report to prepare?! THAT was the big eye-opener. Issues are often like icebergs. You can see 10 percent above water, but not the 90 percent below the surface.

One of the promises I made when I ran was financial stewardship. I believe we've gone to extraordinary lengths on big projects — including the Wastewater Treatment Plant, SMART headquarters, the Willamette Water Supply's Big Pipe project — to deliver extraordinary value for our tax base. We must spend other peoples' money with the same care we spend our own.

I am proud that we accomplished a \$1 million budget cut my first year without eliminating City jobs. We've been able to deliver for the community in large part because we have a strong, smart team in place at City Hall that can execute on the community's behalf.

Our city officials are transparent and customer-driven, and a big part of that was hiring Bryan Cosgrove as City Manager. We told him these traits were a priority, we felt like he was a great match, and he has delivered on his promise.

It's not always enough to tell citizens 'come talk to us.' I was proud to chair an Urban Renewal task force with residents, businesses, partner agencies and the Chamber of Commerce that gave everyone in our community a voice even before we sought public testimony. When a recommendation was made to Council, it came directly from the community.

When you represent more than 20,000 people in a place you're passionate about, it's impossible not to feel that weight. You want to do things right for the people who have supported you, as well as those with whom you don't always agree.

I worked hard to enhance City relationships with property owners and local business owners, important segments of the tax base that sought better representation. I worked just as hard for a much smaller, shorter segment of the community — young athletes — working to provide more field space and other opportunities to participate.

I've embraced my time as public servant, and have appreciated the Council's ability to work together in the City's best interest. Wilsonville loses if we start to treat this more partisan.

Come January, I won't be elected official but I will still be an advocate for serving all citizens, and now. I know the right people to call. I've embraced and enjoyed the role of public servant, and am happy to call this city home.

Scott Starr, City Council President



Starr

Double Your Year-End Donation By Supporting Oregon Cultural Trust

The Oregon Legislature established a cultural tax credit to reward Oregonians who donate to cultural non-profit organizations. Donate to libraries, arts organizations or museums you care about, then make a matching gift to the Oregon Cultural Trust (at culturaltrust.org) by Dec. 31. When you file your 2018 state taxes, the donation you made to the Cultural Trust will be returned via the cultural tax credit, allowing you double the impact of your donation for free!

Organization

Clackamas County Arts Alliance

West Linn Wilsonville Music & Art Partners

West Linn - Wilsonville Education Foundation

Willamette Falls Heritage Area Coalition

Willamette Falls Heritage Foundation Inc

Wilsonville Arts & Culture Council

Wilsonville Friends of the Library

Wilsonville Public Library Foundation

Wilsonville-Boones Ferry Historical Society

World of Speed

Website/Email

clackamasartsalliance.org

musicandartspartners.org

wlwvfoundation.org

wferitage.org

willamettefalls.org

wilsonvillearts.org

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Briefs

Light Rail in Wilsonville? ODOT Seeks Input

For years, ODOT has studied ways to improve inter-city passenger rail service between Portland and the Eugene-Springfield urban area.

A Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) describes the project's benefits and alternatives, and examines the potential social, economic and environmental impacts of two possible routes to accommodate increased passenger rail service.

- Alternative 1, identified as the preferred alternative, follows the existing Amtrak Cascades passenger rail route.

- Alternative 2 is a primarily new route between Springfield and Oregon City that includes Wilsonville. An online open house is available for people to pro-

vide public comment on the project and its impacts. Feedback must be provided by Dec. 18 to be considered in the Final environmental impact statement before FRA makes its final determination.

Participate at OregonPassengerRail.org.

Wilsonville Winter Festival Returns

The Wilsonville Winter Festival, featuring performances from Wilsonville High School students and performing arts programs, takes place on Saturday, Dec. 15, 2-5 pm, in the school's gymnasium.

The cost is \$25 per family of four, plus \$10 per additional family member. Dinner (spaghetti, salad, breadsticks, cookies, non-alcoholic beverages) is included. Cost is based on a sliding scale; all are invited

to attend. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Performances include Wilsonville High School choir, Soul'd Out, orchestra, band, drama students, among others. Artwork from across the school district will also be displayed.

The Winter Festival is presented by Music and Arts Partners, a volunteer, non-profit

organization that addresses funding gaps for arts and music within West Linn-Wilsonville School District.

It is funded, in part, by a Community Opportunity Grant awarded to Music and Arts Partners earlier this year by the City of Wilsonville. The grant also funds future festivals at Lowrie Primary, Wood Middle School, and Meridian Creek Middle School.

For more information or to make a donation, visit musicandartspartners.org.

Wilsonville Winter Festival
Sat, Dec. 15, 2-5 pm
Wilsonville High School,
6800 SW Wilsonville Road

Parks & Rec Annual Toy Drive Continues Through Dec. 14

Wilsonville Parks and Recreation is coordinating the City's fifth annual toy drive for the benefit of in-need residents in Wilsonville and throughout Clackamas County.

Until December 14, residents may purchase and drop off new, unwrapped toys. Donations are being collected and distributed by Toy & Joy/Compassion in Action of Clackamas County to provide holiday joy for area families in need.

Toy donations may be dropped at the following sites in Wilsonville:

- **Parks and Rec Admin Building**
29600 SW Park Pl., Mon.-Fri., 8 am-5 pm
- **Wilsonville Orthodontics**
9475 SW Wilsonville Rd., Mon.-Thur., hours vary
- **Community Tree Lighting**
Town Center Park, Nov. 28 at 5:30 pm.

To learn more, visit WilsonvilleParksandRec.com or call 503-783-7529.



TVF&R Supporting Area KGW Toy Drive

Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue has been a longtime partner in supporting KGW's Great Toy Drive. TVF&R fire stations are once again accepting new, unwrapped toys for children of all ages through Monday, Dec. 24.

Wilsonville residents can drop off new, unwrapped toys at Wilsonville Station 52, 29875 SW Kinsman Rd., or Elligsen Road Station 56, 8445 SW Elligsen Rd.

Families in need of holiday assistance this year can call 211 or visit 211info.org.

Cub Scouts to Collect Food Donations on Dec. 1

One in six Americans struggles with hunger, including many in our community. On Saturday, Dec. 1, Cub Scout Pack 199 is collecting food donations during its annual Scouting for Food event.

Scouts are walking Wilsonville neighborhoods, 9 am-noon, collecting canned soups, stews, canned fruits, peanut butter, canned beans, dried fruit, nuts and cereals. Pack members are also stationed at Town Center Safeway.

Donations, which support the Wilsonville Community Sharing Food Bank, can also be made by contacting cubmaster@coreyanddavid.com; 503-506-8972.

Black Nativity Gospel Concert Comes to Tualatin on Dec. 1

Black Nativity, by Langston Hughes, retells the famous nativity story in an uplifting gospel style.

Before the play begins a two-week run at Bethel AME

Church, 5828 NE 8th Ave, Portland, the ensemble cast is hosting a special holiday concert in Tualatin.

The Black Nativity Special Holiday Concert is being performed at Resurrection Catholic Parish Church, 21060 SW Stafford Rd., Tualatin, on Saturday, Dec. 1, at 7 pm. Donations are accepted at the door.

For more information, visit passinart.org.



Library Hosts Garden Club's Annual Holiday Swag Sale



On Saturday, Dec. 1, 9 am-2 pm, the Wilsonville Garden Club hosts the annual holiday decoration and swag sale at the Wilsonville Public Library, 8200 SW Wilsonville Rd.

Garden Club are offering beautiful swags and decorations made by club members using freshly gathered greens and a variety of decorations.

Festive swags, centerpieces and yule logs are available for purchase to brighten holiday spirits at your home.

Welcome the holiday season with one of these beautiful decorations for your home or give one as a gift while helping provide scholarship funding for horticulture education.

Wilsonville Garden Club is tax exempt and a member of the Oregon State Federation of Garden Clubs.

For more information contact Sandy Huberd at 503-678-2009

**Wilsonville Garden Club
Holiday Swag Sale**
Sat, Dec. 1, 9 am-2 pm
Wilsonville Library
8200 SW Wilsonville Rd.

Build a Gingerbread Garage at the World of Speed Museum

World of Speed Motorsports Museum hosts a Gingerbread Garage event for families on

Saturday, Dec. 8, 10 am-noon. Gingerbread, candy, icing, and other goodies are provided —

you provide the creativity! Families receive a blank gingerbread house, car, and base for decoration. This exciting workshop costs \$55 per family; \$45 for members. For more information, visit worldofspeed.org or call 503-563-6444.



Wilsonville City Council

The City Council usually convenes on the first and third Monday of the month at City Hall, with work session generally starting at 5 pm and meeting at 7 pm. Meetings are broadcast live on Comcast/Xfinity Ch. 30 and Frontier Ch. 32 and are replayed periodically. Meetings are also available to stream live or on demand at www.ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV. Public comment is welcome at City Council meetings.



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City Calendar

DECEMBER

1 Sat	• Scouting for Food (food drive) 9 am-noon, Town Center Safeway • Wilsonville Garden Club Annual Holiday Decoration and Swag Sale 9 am-2 pm, Wilsonville Public Library
3 Mon	• City Council at City Hall 5 pm - Work Session, 7 pm - Meeting
4 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
5 Wed	• French Prairie Bridge Task Force Mtg. 6 pm, City Hall • Library Board 6:30 pm, Wilsonville Library
10 Mon	• DRB Panel A 6:30 pm, City Hall • Library Closed
12 Wed	• Planning Commission, 6 pm, City Hall • Community Seniors Inc. Advisory Board 1-3 pm, Wilsonville Community Center
14 Fri	• Last Day to Contribute to Holiday Toy Drive 8-5 pm, Parks & Rec Admin Building
15 Sat	• Wilsonville Winter Festival 2-5 pm, Wilsonville High School
17 Mon	• City Council at City Hall 5 pm - Work Session 7 pm - Meeting
18 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
20 Thu	• Tourism Promotion Committee Meeting 10 am, Parks & Rec Admin. Building
24 Mon	• DRB Panel B 6:30 pm, City Hall
25 Tue	• Christmas Day City offices are closed

JANUARY

1 Tue	• New Year's Day City offices are closed
7 Mon	• City Council at City Hall 5 pm - Work Session, 7 pm - Meeting
9 Wed	• Planning Commission, 6 pm, City Hall • Community Seniors Inc. Advisory Board 1-3 pm, Wilsonville Community Center
10 Thu	• Parks & Recreation Advisory Board Mtg. 4:30 pm, Parks & Rec Admin. Building
14 Mon	• DRB Panel A 6:30 pm, City Hall
15 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
17 Thu	• Wilsonville Citizens Academy 6-9 pm, City Hall
21 Mon	• Martin Luther King Jr. Day observed City offices are closed
23 Wed	• Library Board 6:30 pm, Wilsonville Library
24 Thu	• City Council at City Hall 5 pm - Work Session 7 pm - Meeting
28 Mon	• DRB Panel B 6:30 pm, City Hall

All dates and times are tentative; check the City's online calendar for schedule changes at www.ci.wilsonville.or.us.

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