



City of Tangent

July 2020

Council and Mayor position Openings

Are you interested in how the City works? Then apply for a position on the council. We have two council positions plus the mayor position up for a vote in November. **QUALIFICATIONS:** You must be a qualified voter and have resided in the city during the twelve months immediately preceding the election. You will need to fill out some paperwork and determine if you want to get 25 signatures from registered voters of Tangent or pay a \$10 filing fee. The filing deadline is August 7, 2020 by 4:00 p.m. Paperwork is available at Tangent city Hall, 32166 Old Oak Drive, Tangent, OR 97389. This information and paperwork is available on the Tangent Web site; www.cityoftangent.org

UTILITY BILLING – NO INCREASES THIS YEAR

The City Council decide to forgo the annual increases to the utility bill due to the COVID virus and the various issues this has caused for many of our residents

CITY HALL IS OPEN

City Hall is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Masks are recommended but not required. You also may contact city hall by calling 541-928-1020 or through email at georgia@cityoftangent.org.

Staying Safe As Oregon Reopens

The Oregon Health Authority has some tips on how to stay safe as our state begins the reopening process:

- ◇ **Stay home if you are sick.** If you develop symptoms while in public, return home and self-isolate immediately. Contact your health care provider if you need medical attention.
- ◇ **People who are at risk for severe complications** (over age 60 or having underlying medical conditions) should stay home even if you feel well.
- ◇ **Practice good hand hygiene** with frequent handwashing for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitizer (60-95% alcohol content) .
- ◇ **Cover coughs/sneezes** with elbow or tissue and **avoid touching your face.**
- ◇ **Practice physical distancing of at least 6 feet** between you and people who you do not live with.
- ◇ **Use cloth, paper, or disposable face coverings in public.**
- ◇ **Stay close to home.** Avoid overnight trips and other non-essential travel, including recreational day trips to destinations outside the community where you live.

For more information visit healthoregon.org/coronavirus or call 211

Community Events

Tangent Elementary School

Registration for incoming kindergarten students, NOW OPEN!

Children must be 5 years old on or before September 1 to enroll in kindergarten. Please visit www.albany.k12or.us for information and online registration. Registration for all other grades will open August 1.

Just a Reminder . . .

Residents whose property abuts any ditches or sidewalks need to keep them mowed, too. The following is what the Tangent Municipal Code is:

7.20.035 Duty to Keep Property Free of Flammable Debris During Fire Hazard Season.

- (2) *Obligation to Maintain Weeds and Remove Debris from Abutting Right-of-Way. All of the requirements of this section shall apply to private property and the abutting vegetated public right-of-way out to the edge of the vehicle travel surface. Private property owners and occupants shall be jointly and severally responsible for keeping the vegetated portion of the public right-of-way abutting the private property free of dead trees, bushes, brush, vegetation, grass and weeds taller than 10 inches, ladder fuels and all other flammable debris that could cause, spread or fuel a fire. This requirement applies between May 1 and September 30 of each year and during any officially announced period of fire hazard.*

Thank you!

Calendar and Meetings



PLEASE JOIN US at any and all the following listed meetings. All meetings are public and held at the City Hall—Bass Estate, *unless noted otherwise*. All times are subject to change. Meeting agendas are available at: www.cityoftangent.org. If you would like to receive agendas by e-mail or regular mail, please contact City Hall. **City Council Packets and Agendas are available on line at: www.cityoftangent.org**

ONGOING CITY MEETINGS:

Planning Commission meets on 1st & 3rd THURSDAY each month, as needed. Starts at 7 p.m.

City Council Meeting meets on 2nd MONDAY each month. Work session starts at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting starts at 7 p.m. Next meeting July 13, 2020.

For more information about the city go to our Web Site: www.cityoftangent.org You will find more about:

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CITY HALL OFFICE HOURS: Open Monday through Friday from 9 am to 4 pm

Newsletters, Utility Invoices, and Agendas are now available online. If you would like to help save the City some money please let Bev Manfredo know via email at bev@cityoftangent.org. She would love to send you information on how you can register to view your statement online as well as pay online.. Thank you.