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A Bi-Monthly Newsletter from the City of Stayton

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The WORD ON THE STREET

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Public Works Announces 2018 Projects

The Stayton Public Works Department recently released their list of 2018 Street Maintenance Projects. The City of Stayton will be performing asphalt overlay and reconstruction of several City streets.

Per the Stayton Municipal Code, the City recently notified all utilities and affected property owners. With the completion of these resurfacing projects, the streets will fall under the one year moratorium prohibiting pavement cuts in travel lanes.

After the moratorium, pavement may only be cut upon payment of a penalty charge during years two through five.

The projects are scheduled to begin approximately April 2018, and be completed by the end of June 2018. The streets proposed to be included in the maintenance projects are listed as follows:

1. E. Virginia Street — First Avenue to Fourth Avenue
2. Westown Drive — W. Locust Street to Westwood Drive
3. Alyssa Court
4. Jay Court
5. Todd Court
6. Kristan Court
7. Westhaven Place
8. Westwood Drive — Westown Drive to approximately 300' feet east

If you have any questions, please contact Sr. Engineering Technician Michael Schmidt at (503) 769-2919 or via email at mschmidt@ci.stayton.or.us.



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Stayton Police K-9 Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

On Friday, November 3rd from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., the Stayton United Methodist Church will be hosting a spaghetti dinner to help raise funds for the Stayton Police Department's K-9 Drug Dog Program. All donations go to the Stayton Police K-9 Drug Dog Program and will help with dog food, veterinary bills, etc. The Stayton United Methodist Church is located at 1450 Fern Ridge RD SE in Stayton. If you have questions, contact the church at (503) 769-5700.



It's Time — Stayton's Annual Clean-Up Days

The City of Stayton is offering disposal of yard debris, including leaves and brush, on Saturday, November 4th from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and Saturday, December 9th from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.



The collection site is at the City of Stayton Shops located at 1820 N. 1st Avenue, Stayton. The only cost to Stayton residents is a donation of canned food to be given to the Stayton Food Bank. Those who reside outside city limits, the cost is \$1 per bag.

Seniors needing assistance raking, bagging, or having yard debris picked up and delivered to the drop-off site should contact Stayton Public Works at (503) 769-2919.

Accessory Dwelling Units Permitted in Residential Zones

The Stayton City Council recently enacted Ordinance No. 1010, which amends the Stayton Land Use and Development Code to allow for the construction or placement of accessory dwelling units in association with a detached single family dwelling in the Low Density and Medium Density Residential Zones. The purpose of the amendment is to promote smaller, more affordable housing units in the City.

Prior to the passage of this ordinance, the Code allowed only one single family dwelling on a parcel in these zones, and defined an accessory building as one that did not include a dwelling unit. With the enactment of the Code amendments, residents will be able to create an accessory dwelling unit in their home, attached to the home, or as a detached structure. Either the main home or the accessory unit must be owner occupied.

An accessory dwelling unit must be smaller than 800 square feet, and must meet all applicable structural, electrical, plumbing and life safety codes. The Code requires that at least one off-street parking space be provided for the accessory unit.

For more information, contact our Director of Planning and Development Dan Fleishman at (503) 769-2998 or via email at dfleishman@ci.stayton.or.us.

Pay Your Utility Bill Online—Xpress Bill Pay

Don't forget to sign-up to pay your Utility Bill online with our new payment service provider, Xpress Bill Pay. Signing up is quick and easy by visiting the City's website at www.staytonoregon.gov and look for the banner "New Online Payment Provider — Xpress Bill Pay."



Customers who have previously used Payment Service Network (PSN) will need to set up a new account with Xpress Bill Pay to continue paying your account online.

City Meeting Calendar

City Council

7:00 p.m. at the Community Center
Nov 6 / Nov 20 / Dec 4 / Dec 18

Planning Commission

7:00 p.m. at the Community Center
November 27

Parks & Recreation Board

6:30 p.m. at the Stayton Public Library
November 7 / December 5

Library Board

6:00 p.m. at the Stayton Public Library
November 15 / December 20

Commissioner's Breakfast

7:30 a.m. at the Covered Bridge Café
December 12

Community Leaders Meeting

7:30 a.m. at the Covered Bridge Café
December 8

Library Calendar

Motion Monday

Mondays at 10:15 a.m.

Story Time

Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m.

Thumpin' Thursday

Thursdays at 10:15 a.m.

Read to Lucky the Dog

Last Friday of each month at 3:00 p.m.

Book Bobs Club

First Monday of the month at 3:30 p.m.

Random Readers Book Club

Last Monday of the month at 3:30 p.m.

Adult Coloring Group

First Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m. Open to ages 12 through adult. Supplies provided.

Stuffed Animal Sleepover

Friday, November 17 at 6:00 p.m.

Bring your stuffies for our annual Stuffed Animal Sleepover! There'll be cookies, a story, and then we'll tuck our stuffies into bed. Come in the next day to see what mischief your stuffie got into!

Upcoming Author Visits

Thursday, November 16 at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, December 14 at 7:00 p.m.

Join us at the Library for author visits with Barbara Mahoney in November and Zoe Burke in December.

DIY Craft Shop—Owl Rocks & Ugly Sweaters

Thursday, November 9th at 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, December 7th at 5:30 p.m.

November will feature Painted Owl Rocks and December will be Ugly Holiday Sweaters. Please register by calling (503) 769-3313.

Santiam Senior Center Activities

For more upcoming activities visit

www.SantiamSeniorCenter.com

or call (503) 767-2009