

## City Council:

- Cathy Fallon, Mayor
- Denise Emmerling-Baker
- Pete Happy
- Eric Keller
- Butch Miller

## City Staff:

- Jordon Bennett, City Administrator
- Kathy Woosley, City Recorder
- Dave Peterson, Finance Officer
- Sheldon Price, Public Works Supervisor
- John Logan, Fire Chief
- Derrick Turkington, City Light

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## AFTER HOURS EMERGENCY NUMBERS:

**ELECTRIC ONLY**  
541-374-8911

**WATER LEAKS**  
541-386-2711

*Where the Bridge of the Gods spans the Heart of the Gorge; where mountain, wind, and water create the best sailing in the Northwest; and where the "CL" on the license plate stands for Cascade Locks, the second largest city in Hood River County!*

## OFFICE CLOSED

**City Hall Closed:** City Hall Office will be closed on Monday, February 20 in observance of Presidents Day. For Power Outages please call the City Emergency Power Outage Paging number at 541-374-8911, leave your name, physical address and phone number. The on-call utility personnel will be dispatched. For emergency water problems contact the Hood River County Sheriff's Dispatch at 541-386-2711 the on-call Public Works personnel will be contacted.

**Meetings:** City Hall is open to the public. The City Council will hold its regular meetings on February 13 and February 27 at 7:00 p.m. Please submit any written comments to the City Administrator ([jbennett@cascade-locks.or.us](mailto:jbennett@cascade-locks.or.us)) prior to 3:00 p.m. the day of the meeting. Council meeting minutes and packets can be viewed on-line at the City's website five days before the meeting. Public access to the meeting is available in person or via Zoom.

1. By smart device on zoom.us, meeting code **872 129 1324**, password is "citymeet".
2. By phone dial 1-253-215-8782, meeting number is 872-129-1324, passcode is 17722174. Remember \*6 to mute/unmute your phone, \*9 to raise your hand if you have a question or comment.
3. Please keep your device muted during the meeting when you don't have a comment or question.

Please check the City's Facebook page, website or notice boards in the Columbia Market or the US Post Office for official notices and/or agendas.

Parking at City Hall is only allowed while doing business at City Hall. Parked cars have created issues for customers doing business at City Hall and the parking lots cannot be plowed when there are cars parked in the lots. The signs posted allows the City to have the vehicles parked in violation towed immediately at owner's expense.

**Meals on Wheels:** If you would like a meal delivered to your home once a week, please call 541-386-2060 between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. to determine if you qualify and to make arrangements for delivery. This program can take care of any special dietary needs you may have.

**2023 Burn Permits:** Burn Permits can be purchased at City Hall Office for the calendar year of 2023 beginning Jan. 3, 2023. A permit is \$10 and is valid for the calendar year. Should you have any questions, please contact Cascade Locks Fire Chief, John Logan at 541-374-8510. Burning is allowed from dawn-dusk for piles 10 feet in diameter and burn barrels. A 2023 Burn Permit is required. Cascade Locks residents can dump **yard debris only** at the City Burn Pile every Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The burn pile is located at the City Sewer Treatment Plant, 105 NE Herman Creek Lane.

**City Committee Vacancies:** Please visit our webpage to fill out a volunteer application form if you are interested in filling one of these vacancies.

- Architectural Review Committee: 1 vacancy
- Planning Commission: 1 vacancy
- Tourism Committee: 3 vacancies

**Hood River County Dog License Available at City Hall Office:** Did you know you can purchase a Hood River County Dog License at the City Hall Office? Bring a copy of current rabies vaccination and a spay or neuter certificate, if applicable. The license is good for 1 year from the date of purchase. Fertile Dogs are \$30, \$20 for senior citizens. Spayed or neutered dogs are \$15, \$8 for senior citizens. Dogs under 6 months of age are not required to be licensed. If you have any questions, please contact Hood River County Animal Control at 541-387-7037. For the wellbeing and safety of your dog it is important to license your pet. The owner of a licensed dog will be contacted if the animal is picked up. It will also receive medical attention if it is injured.

**Recycling:** Recycling will be picked up by Hood River Garbage on February 8 and 22.

**Garbage Service is Mandatory within the City Limits:** It is important to the health and safety of our community to sign up and maintain garbage service. City Ordinance No. 315 states that *all persons residing or doing business within the City of Cascade Locks shall be a customer and user of the City approved solid waste disposal program.* Contact Hood River Garbage Service at 541-386-2272 to set up garbage service. There are several service options to choose from. Thank you for your cooperation!

**New Program at the Cascade Locks Library:** Parent Play Group every Friday at 10:30AM. Parents and their children are invited to come and explore the library, make new friends, build social skills all while enjoying activities the library offers. The last Friday of the month will feature a librarian led story time at 10:30AM.

The Hood River County Library District would like your input regarding the service hours at the Cascade Locks Branch Library. They want to make sure they are meeting the community needs for public library services. Please fill out the one-minute survey by February 15<sup>th</sup>.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Z6SWZQN>

**Hood River County Library, Cascade Locks Branch:** Hours of Operation: Cascade Locks Library is open Tuesdays and Thursdays 3:00 – 6:00PM and Wednesday, Friday and Saturdays 10:00AM - 2:00PM. Meeting space is available. For more information or to speak with the Cascade Locks library directly call 541-374-9317. Cascade Locks library is located in the Community Center at the south end of the Cascade Locks School building. Hood River Main Branch Library is open Tuesday – Thursday 10AM – 6PM, Friday & Saturday 10AM – 4PM, phone number 541-386-2535.

**FISH Food Bank Holiday Hours:** FISH Food Bank will be open on Wednesday, Feb. 22, 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m., and the following Saturday, Feb. 25, 11:00 a.m. - noon at City Hall gym. Should you have any questions, please contact FISH Food Bank at 541-386-3474. Volunteers needed! Can you help one Thursday a month from 9:00 a.m. to Noon unloading the food delivery truck?

**Play and Learn @Home:** A FREE program for families with children ages 0-5 to receive monthly activity kits delivered to their communities. Age-appropriate craft items, baby toys, sensory materials, parenting resources, community connections, and kindergarten readiness. Please call **(541) 340-1428** to sign up or visit <https://fourriversfamily.com/pals> for more information and to sign up.