# The Boones Ferry Messenger

#### Monthly newsletter of the City of Wilsonville

October 2019

## **City Council Appoints Career Educator**

r. Joann Linville's appointment to the Wilsonville City Council is a bit unconventional in that she wasn't initially considering applying for the position when it opened.

"I was approached by leadership in Charbonneau to consider running," Linville said. "My knee-jerk reaction was 'no, this isn't something for me,' but what changed my mind more than anything was the considerable amount of support from my neighbors."

Once she made the decision, though, Linville went all-in. She outlasted nine other candidates to earn the appointment, and was sworn in on Sept. 16.

"I was impressed with the



Joann Linville and her family members were all smiles after Linville (center) was sworn in as the Wilsonville City Council's newest member.

information and the knowledge that Joann had, but I was also very impressed with the times she talked about listening and continuing to learn," said Council President Kristin Akervall as the Council deliberated before unanimously approving Linville's appointment.

Linville's sharp listening skills were honed during a career that began in nursing, and included more than three decades as a senior administrator and faculty member at several community colleges.

*"When people have concerns* tions, the best apor questions, the best approach is to ask them to talk about their issue."

"When people have concerns or quesproach is to ask them to talk about their issue. No judgment. No defensiveness.

Just listen," she said. "You cannot respond to peoples' concerns until you know what they are."

Linville also revealed a quick wit when asked during her interview how she might help combat Wilsonville's ever-present traffic problems.

"Outside of using my golf cart..." Linville dead-

panned before answering.

"Some people feel like that might break the frame of professionalism, but I don't agree," Linville said. "I take situations and decisions very seriously, but I don't take myself very seriously. I'm not afraid to expose myself in that way."

Good humor should serve Linville well as she enters the political arena for the first time.

"I'm a policy person," she said. "I understand and I like policy. I'm not sure I'm a politician, not sure how much I'll like that part of the job."

Linville's term continues for 16 months, through December 2020. That gives her the better part of a year to decide whether to file as a candidate in the 2020 election.

"There's a positive and a negative side (to appointment)," Linville said. "The positive side is you get an opportunity to see if this is a good fit for both sides. The negative is that it may not be a good fit, and you're precluded from being seriously considered in the future."

Continued on Page 2



#### Mayor's Message **Citizens Academy is "Building** the Bench" of Local Leaders

A s we do each fall, the City is now appealing to residents to apply to participate in the annual Wilsonville Citizens Academy.

The program was created by staff at the request of City Manager Bryan Cosgrove soon after he

joined the City in 2011. Bryan recognized that developing a formal program to provide some perspective on how local government operates could provide benefits both to the City and to any resident looking to become more involved and connected with Wilsonville.



The City wins because staff and

elected officials have an opportunity to meet civicminded residents who are motivated to participate in leadership roles in the community. Participants often become excited about lending their own expertise to improve City programs, thereby helping to "build the bench" of local community leaders.

Community members benefit by building their social and professional networks and learning indepth about many of the City's core services. Direct conversations with elected officials and staff provide participants with important context about the work we do to build and maintain this great place we call - home.

#### Participants often become excited about lending their with how quickly own expertise to improve City programs.

We're pleased the Citizens Academy has become a successful method

of identifying people who are passionate about the City and eager to become more involved. Notably, City Council President Kristin Akervall and Councilor Ben West were prior participants in the program; both benefited and remained inspired to influence the community in other positive ways.

The Citizens Academy program consists of several evening meetings this winter; participants attend about 20 hours of classroom-style lectures, discussions and other exercises. The program also includes visits to Coffee Creek Correctional Facility and a trip to Salem to meet state legislators, tour the State Capitol and learn how the City advocates for policies that directly improve our community.

The program accepts 25 people, and reserves two of those spots for high-school students with an interest in learning more about local government.

I can't say enough good things about the Citizens Academy program, or the great community members we have gotten to know. If you're interested, apply by Oct. 31 or learn more about the program at ci.wilsonville.or.us/academy.

#### **City Seeks Applicants for 2020 Citizens Academy**

The City is recruiting community members to participate in the 2020 Wilsonville Citizens Academy.

The annual public-engagement program features City-hosted meetings and events designed to prepare community members for public service on City boards and commissions or other roles in local government/non-profit agencies. Meetings are scheduled to take place every other Thursday at City Hall between January and April.

"This program is a great way for residents and area employees to become more familiar with municipal government and to explore the many volunteer opportunities that allow people to make a difference in

Wilsonville," Mayor Tim Knapp said.

The Citizens Academy offers participants a chance to learn about City programs and operations directly from staff and elected officials, and to work with other civic-minded community members. Optional tours to the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility and the State Capitol are also included.

This free program is limited to 25 participants annually. Applications are accepted through Oct. 31; they are available at the City's website: ci.wilsonville. or.us/Academy.

For additional information, contact Zoe Monahan, Assistant to the City Manager, at 503-570-1503; monahan@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

Tim Knapp, Mayor

#### Highlights In This Issue:

Be Kind; Don't Leave Dog Waste Behind	2
Lake Oswego HS to Host Diversity Workshop	3
Memorial Park Dog Run Being Relocated	4
Fall Harvest Festival Returns Oct. 26	4
City Hosting Two October Networking Events	5
City Seeks Applicants for DRB	6
Bulky Waste Day Set for Oct. 26	8

#### ... and more!

City of Wilsonville 29799 SW Town Center Loop East Wilsonville, OR 97070

PRSRT STD U.S. Postage Paid Wilsonville, OR Permit No. 104

#### Postal Customer



Dr. Joann Linville makes her appointment official with a signature after being sworn in by Judge Fred Weinhouse.

## Linville Appointed to Council

Continued from Page 1

While acknowledging that risk and the position's steep learning curve, Linville speaks confidently about handling the new challenge. She's is already quite very familiar with City Hall, having served on the City's Development Review Board Panel A for three years, including two as board chair.

"It is important to me to keep my brain moving and to learn," said Linville, a self-described "perpetual learner" with two post-graduate degrees in education: a Masters from Western Washington (1994), and a Doctorate from the University of Washington (2003).

In 2011, Linville retired from her position as Vice President of Learning Services at Arizona Western College in Yuma, Ariz., to be closer to her family; both daughters and her grandson — "he's been my golf partner for years" — live in the Portland metro area. "I knew that I didn't want to live in Portland," she

#### Be Kind ... and Don't Leave Your Dog's Waste Behind!

Wilsonville is proud to be a dog-friendly com-munity. The City happily invites its fourlegged friends to enjoy frolicking outdoors in parks and other public places and even provides dogs their own park to roam off-leash ... and that facility is about to become even nicer (see page 4).

Alas, the City is less generous to owners who fail to clean up after their dogs. Wilsonville Code section 3.000(30) states: a dog owner or owner's designee is required to remove and properly dispose of any and all feces excreted by said dog or dogs in all city parks.

The City relies on park visitors to clean up after their dogs; we even provide multiple pet cleanup bag stations and trash cans in each park to make compliance easy.

Outside of the City parks, pet owners are asked to be just as diligent about clean-up. Wilsonville Code Section 10.240(2) states: it is unlawful for a dog owner to fail to pick up fecal excrement deposited by the dog owner's dog on public property. Private properties, such as apartments and condominium communities typically have similar rules.

Offenders can be cited, though enforcement of these rules is nearly impossible. The City relies on residents to do the right thing to keep Wilsonville safe and clean, and here are just a few reasons why.

 Ignore that misconception that dog waste is a natural fertilizer. Those piles will ruin grass, not

said. "I have family in Donald, so I had made a lot of trips down I-5 and I had a good sense about Charbonneau. I thought it would be a wonderful place for someone single and looking for a community that's safe. It's been a very good fit for me."

In retirement, Linville has remained active professionally, completing multiple assignments as an educational consultant, most recently as Interim Vice President of Instruction at Rogue Community College in Grants Pass, Ore.

In addition to volunteering on the City's DRB, Linville is Vice President of the Charbonneau Women's



help it grow.

- It carries disease and parasites. Dog waste is full of E. coli, salmonella and other stuff you don't want anyone ingesting, and the residue can remain in grass for years.
- As waste is broken down, it can end up in up in the storm water system. Protect the water supply by keeping waste out of storm drains.
- Common Courtesy! Nobody wants the mess and the stink! — of cleaning up a pair of shoes, a doormat or the floorboard of a car.

Please ... we're asking nicely ... take the extra moment to clean up your dog's mess. Let's work together to keep Wilsonville looking and smelling fresh!

Golf Association and a volunteer Rules Official for Oregon Golf Association events. She has also served on several committees at the Charbonneau Country Club.

Now, she's embracing yet another opportunity to listen and learn.

"I'm very thankful for the support I received from Council and I'm humbled to receive a 4-0 vote," she said. "I went from 'no, I'm absolutely not doing this!' to really putting both feet in. I'm excited about the opportunity."



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

#### Monthly Book Notes Concerts **Return on Oct. 12**

Our monthly free music concert series returns in October with John Nilsen, who performs piano music inspired by the Pacific Northwest, fusing new age, jazz and folk.

**Book Notes Concert** performances are held in



#### How to Write a Novel in 30 Days

Always wanted to write a novel, but didn't know where to start? Learn tips and tricks to write a 50,000 word novel in a month.

Thursday, Oct. 24, 6:30-7:30 pm.

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/ workshops

#### Murder Mystery Night for Teens

Do you have what it takes to solve a mystery? Come in costume and bring your sleuthing skills for this annual event. Collect clues and solve the crime! For students in grades 6-12.

Friday, Oct. 11, 6:30-8:30 pm.

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/teens



#### **Upcoming Classes** and Events

The Library is closed on Monday, Oct. 14

#### **Book Club** New members welcome! Thursday, Oct. 24, 6-8 pm WilsonvilleLibrary.org/bookclub

**English Conversation Group** 

Informal conversation circle to practice English. Mondays, 6-7:30 pm WilsonvilleLibrary.org/ESL

#### **First Friday Film**

A look at the final days in the life of renowned playwright William Shakespeare. Friday, Oct. 4, 6-8 pm

the reading area of the

library at 2 pm on the second Saturday of the

month.

Upcoming schedule:

- Nov. 9: Phil and Gavle Neuman
- Dec. 14: Bernie Sims

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/concerts

#### Space Talk: Saturn V Rocket

The Saturn V rocket, the largest and most powerful rocket in history, is responsible for landing man on the moon. Learn about the history and science of this engineering marvel. Presented by docents from **Evergreen Aviation and** Space Museum.

Saturday, Oct. 19, 1-2 pm.

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/lectures





#### Free Spanish, Card Making **Classes Scheduled in October**

 Local instructor Carlos Iturrino returns with "Spanish Beginning 2," a continuation of "Beginning Spanish". This 4-week class meets Mondays



and Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30 pm, from Oct. 28 through Nov. 20 (no class Nov. 11).

 Make cards that wow with a Card Making Class for adults. This 4-week class meets Tuesdays, 1-2:30 pm, Oct. 29-Nov. 19. All supplies are provided.

Sign up online for these free classes starting Oct. 1.

WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes

#### wilsonvilleLibrary.org/films

#### **Great Books Discussion Group**

"Apology" & "Crito" by Plato New members welcome! Tuesday, Oct. 8, 6-8 pm WilsonvilleLibrary.org/GB

#### **Genealogy Club**

Discover your family roots. New members welcome! Monday, Oct. 21, 1–2:30 pm WilsonvilleLibrary.org/GC

#### Science Zone

Science fun on Early Release Day. For children in grades 3-5. Wednesday, Oct. 23, 1:30-2:30 pm WilsonvilleLibrary.org/kids

#### Visit our website for more events: WilsonvilleLibrary.org



#### Milestone SMART Ad, In-Studio Interview Encourage New Riders

This summer SMART achieved a new milestone when it created a radio ad in Spanish for popular Hispanic station KWIP (880 AM/103.9 FM).

The project was the brainchild of intern Vanessa Quan, who believed reaching out to the Hispanic community could help increase ridership. Another intern, Marcco Higham, wrote and delivered the 30-second spot.

Pleased with SMART's ad, KWIP invited SMART P to join a live interview with Claudia Cruz Morales' K "Remate Al Aire" show. Transit Dispatcher Pedro "Pete" Pedron spent 30 minutes on the airwaves extolling SMART services.

"I was nervous at first," Pedron said. "What if she asks me something I don't know?"

Pedron shared details of its 3X route, which provides mid-day service between Wilsonville and Canby in partnership with Canby Area Transit (CAT). The service began a year ago, but ridership has fallen short of expectations.

SMART hopes reaching out to the underserved Hispanic community and providing listeners with promotional incentives — a week of free rides was provided

#### What's New at SMART? Program Enhancements Now in Place

Last month, South Metro Area Regional Transit (SMART) implemented several highly-anticipated service improvements funded by the new Statewide Transportation Improvement Fund.

SMART recently developed a Programs Enhancement Strategy in anticipation of the new funding, which has been adopted as part of the City's Transit Master Plan.

Among the most anticipated enhancements now in effect:

- Added mid-morning and mid-day service on Route 1X to Salem, allowing customers to travel during the day in addition to commuter hour service.
- Free service on Route 2X to Tualatin with 30-minute service throughout the day. Service



Pete Patron (foreground) and Marcco Higham go on the air at KWIP studios in Dallas, Ore., to discuss SMART services.

Aug. 26-30 — makes more people aware of this and other services, increasing ridership and providing convenient transport to new passengers.

SMART leadership credits Quan and Higham for identifying a new outreach strategy to reach Spanish speakers, supporting the agency's desire to incorporate equity and inclusion with each program. Wilsonville's Hispanic population is about 13% of the population.

"No matter who you are, or where you're from, we want to help you get to where you're going as quickly and safely as possible," Transit Director Dwight Brashear said.

will terminate at Tualatin Park & Ride with ample connections to TriMet buses for easy access to Tigard and Downtown Portland.

• Increased frequency of Route 4 Saturday service. This service change allows SMART customers to explore Wilsonville's shops, parks, library, movie theater and other destinations throughout town; buses arrive every 30 minutes.

Other enhancements include eight new trips on Route 7 to Villebois to meet all WES trains, a revised Route 7 that uses the Barber Bridge to lessen travel times and adds stops in Villebois to increase accessibility and continuation of Route 3X mid-day service to Canby.

Learn more about these and other enhancements online at **ridesmart.com**.

#### Lake Oswego to Host Free Diversity and Inclusion Workshop on Oct. 19

The neighboring cities of Lake Oswego, West Linn, Wilsonville, Tigard, and Tualatin share commonalities and a network of partnerships among city employees, police departments, school districts, community organizations and elected officials.

With each city striving to address ever-increasing issues of equity and inclusion, agencies from each jurisdiction are collaborating to provide the area's first Multi-City Equity Summit on Saturday, Oct. 19.

This day-long event, 8 am to 4 pm, aims to educate citizen and business leaders, government and police representatives, school teachers and admin-



istrators, and residents of all ages who are concerned about advancing diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI).

This summit addresses issues related to racism, discrimination and exclusion with presentations, facilitated dialogs and action plan development at breakout sessions throughout the day, including:

- Looking at Oregon history through a DEI lens (Educational)
- Unconscious bias we all have it and need to learn to recognize it (Educational)

Multi-City Equity Summit Sat, Oct. 19, 8 am- 4 pm Lake Oswego High School 2501 Country Club Rd. How to build inclusion, wellbeing, and trust in a community (Facilitated dialog)
Barriers to equity:

structural and cultural (Facilitated dialog)

• Micro-aggressions and implicit bias (Facilitated dialog)

Keynote speaker Dr. Marvin Lynn has served in a variety of leadership roles at urban public institutions He is a Professor and Dean of the Graduate School of Education at Portland State University.

For complete program information, and to register for the event, visit **multicityequity.org**.





#### Walk + Roll to School on Oct. 2

Walk + Roll to School was established to increase student walking + rolling (bike, skateboard, scooter, etc.) to school. Communities all over the world participate.

Research shows that kids do better in life when they have regular activity in their schedule. They are healthier and more likely to go to college.

Using active transportation to commute to and from school is a great way to connect with your community, stay fit and have fun.

Let's help to get as many students walking + rolling to school! Is your school registered?

Check here: RideSMART.com/bikewalkroll2019

#### Take SMART's Halloween Trolley to Oct. 26 Fall Harvest Festival

Join fellow ghosts and goblins and hop aboard for a free 10-minute trolley ride on Saturday, Oct. 26, 8-11:30 am.

SMART is shuttling Fall Harvest Festival goers between the City Hall parking lot and the Stein-Boozer Barn at Memorial Park.



**One Last Walk Wednesday, Oct. 2** Join Walk Smart for our last group walk of the season. Meet us on Wednesday, Oct. 2, at Oregon Tech's south doors. The walk begins at noon and lasts about 30 minutes. Meet new people and get a little lunchtime exercise. Thanks to Oregon Tech and all the

other partners that have made the program possible this year.



**Oregon Institute of Technology** 

Questions? Contact griffin@ridesmart.com



Fall Harvest Festival ¡Todos son bienvenidos! Saturday, Oct. 26 8–11:30 am



#### Memorial Park Dog Run Being Relocated in Spring

Wilsonville's population of pooches will soon have a new off-leash roaming area at Memorial Park. The City's existing dog park is being relocated to accommodate the eventual placement of a BMX pump track for cycling, as illustrated in the Memorial Master Plan.

"The master plan locates the bike track and a new skate park within the area of the park that already includes other active amenities like disc golf and field sports," said Mike McCarty, Parks & Recreation Director.

Dogs — and owners, too! — are getting a new dedicated off-leash area in the northeast portion of the park, near the new community garden. The 1.5-acre park features separate areas for large and small dogs. The park is served by a new 30-spot paved parking lot, accessible from Wilsonville Road via Kolbe Lane.

"It's very similar in size to the existing park; the small dog area may be a little bigger." McCarty said. "More importantly, we are now able to provide a few

## *"It's very similar in size to the existing park; the small dog area may be a little bigger."*

new amenities that aren't in place at the existing site, including new restrooms and a dog-washing station."

Installation of the fencing is underway, and

expected to be completed by the end of the year. The park isn't expected to open until spring, after restrooms and other amenities are at or near completion.

The timeline for construction of the pump track has not yet been determined, but one important ingredient is already in place.

"People have asked about the dirt pile," McCarty said. "The dirt moved for construction of the parking lot is being repurposed and used during construction of the bike course."

For more information, contact Mike McCarty, Parks & Recreation Director, at 503-570-1579, mccarty@ ci.wilsonville.or.us.

#### Fall Harvest Festival, Costumed Races Return on Oct. 26



Once again, Wilsonville Parks & Recreation is hosting its annual Fall Harvest Festival at the

historic Stein-Boozier Barn at Memorial Park. The City's familyfriendly fall celebration

once again includes the

Fall Harvest Festival Sat, Oct. 26, 9 am-noon Stein-Boozier Barn at Memorial Park

5K Fall Frolic and Kids Dash Costume Run.



#### Fall Harvest Festival Saturday, Oct. 26, 9 am-noon

Throw on a costume and join us for pumpkin decorating, crafts, horse and carriage rides, library story time, face painting, cookies, cider and a costume parade! The event is free; organizers are requesting toiletry donations to support Wilsonville Community Sharing.

#### Fall Frolic 5K / Kids Dash Costume Run Saturday, Oct. 26

Registration 8 am; Race Begins at 9 am The Fall Frolic 5k Costume Run features a 5K loop from the Stein-Boozier Barn through beautiful Memorial Park.

The top three finishers receive an engraved medal and a pumpkin pie! All racers registered by Oct. 7 receive an event T-shirt!

Runners should be prepared to run/walk on a variety of surfaces, including pavement, gravel, grass and dirt. Cost for the 5k is \$15 (\$20 day of event).

The quarter-mile kids dash is FREE, but participants must be pre-registered. For more information on these and other Parks & Recreation events, visit **wilsonvilleparksandrec.com** or call 503-783-7529.





#### WilsonvilleParksandRec.com

Parks & Rec Administration 29600 SW Park Pl. 503-783-7529

#### Community Center 7965 SW Wilsonville Rd. 503-682-3727

#### Prenatal Yoga at the Community Center

The Community Center now offers Prenatal Yoga with certified prenatal yoga instructor, Ahsamon Ante-Marandi!

Prenatal yoga can help participants reduce stress, build strength and stability, find comfort in their growing bodies and prepare for birth. Yoga also helps expectant moms connect with their baby and relieve common discomforts like fatigue, low back pain, and sleeplessness. Breath awareness helps calm emotions, center the mind and deliver energy and alignment into the





#### **October Sister City Exchange**

Recreation Coordinator Erica Behler is traveling to, Kitakata, Japan, with other members of the Wilsonville Sister City Association in early October. The group is being hosted in Kitakata in order to experience Japanese culture, meet with the city's mayor and sister city delegates and to discuss the sister city relationship, the upcoming 2020 Olympic Games in Tokyo and other topics related to local industry and tourism.

At the end of the month, 22 students and 3 chaperones are visiting from Kitakata. From Oct. 26-Nov. 4, visiting students and chaperones are staying with Wilsonville residents and exploring the Portland area. The visit includes day trips to the Columbia River Gorge and the Oregon Coast, and a day in local schools.

#### Upcoming Classes and Events

Daily Essential Oils Ages 14+ Tuesday, Oct. 15 6-8 pm Parks & Rec. Admin Course #9165 \$10

Intro to Meditation Workshop Ages 16+ Saturday, Oct. 19 1:30-3 pm Parks & Rec. Admin

Course #9203 \$10

Harvest Festival & Fall Frolic 5k

body. A welcoming space is provided for mamas to gather and connect with each other. Participants should bring their own yoga mat. This class is suitable for any stage of pregnancy; check with your doctor or midwife before practicing.

#### **Estate Planning 101**

Interested in learning about Estate Planning? Join Attorney Michael Rose of Rose Elder Law to learn about basics such as wills, trusts, probate, powers of attorney, advance directives and Medicaid planning. The free lecture will take place on Tuesday, Oct. 8, 10–11:30 am at the Wilsonville Community Center. Please call Sadie Wallenberg at 503-570-1526 to register or to learn more.

#### NEW – Mahjong Drop In

The Community Center is now offering drop-in Mahjong on Wednesday afternoons, 1-4 pm. There is no charge to participate in the centuries-old tile-based game. Players are encouraged to bring their own tiles, if possible, to accommodate more participants.

#### **Functional Movement Workshop**

How much fun can you take? As we age, the habits of a lifetime start catching up with us. How we move when getting in and out of a chair, sitting, standing and walking can end up making the body extremely grumpy. Bring the FUN back into your daily routine by taking the time to learn to move in natural alignment. This workshop takes place on Wednesday, Oct. 23, 12:50-1:50 pm, at the Community Center. Cost is \$5. All Ages Saturday, Oct. 26 9 am-noon Stein-Boozier Barn 5k Course #9172 Kids Dash Course #9173 (see above)

#### Prenatal Yoga

Thursdays Oct. 31-Dec. 19 (No class Nov. 28) 6-7:15 pm Community Center Course #9202 \$59

Visit our website for more events: WilsonvilleParksandRec.com

#### **POLICE CHIEF'S CORNER**

#### **Students Are in Good Hands with New School Resource Officer**

**Police Chief** 

Rob Wurpes

Deputy

Stephanie Mc-

selected as our

new SRO. We

excited to have

Wilsonville to

challenge; she

has previously

patrol officer in

our community.

been with the

Sheriff's Office

Stephanie has

worked as a

take on this new

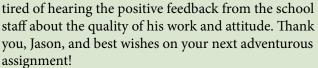
are all very

her back in

Clusky has been

Our service to this great community includes providing a School Resource Officer (SRO), in partnership with the City and the West Linn-Wilsonville School District.

For the past couple of years, Officer Jason Dolan has diligently worked this job and I am personally grateful for his work in this role. While frequent, I never got





Deputy Stephanie McClusky is Wilsonville's new School Resource Officer.

for 5 years, and has also spent time in the city of Happy Valley. She has a bachelor's degree from Oregon State University with an emphasis on juvenile studies. In her time off, she enjoys road trips, hiking, fishing and reading. She inherits a very challenging and important role that includes supervision of three primary schools, three middle schools, Wilsonville High School and Arts & Technology High School. Our SRO has many duties including, but not limited to:

- Investigating criminal incidents on school grounds
- Investigating threats made to the school and/or students
- Assisting school counselors and staff with student and parent counseling on school- and home-related incidents
- Speaking to students at the request of teachers on various subjects
- Resolving parking issues at the high school
- Enforcing traffic laws within school zones
- Assisting patrol with follow up investigations involving students and juveniles in Wilsonville schools
- Supporting the Clackamas County Juvenile Department to assist with action planning
- Working with our Juvenile Probation and Juvenile Counselors
- Working closely with Health Housing and Human Services (H3S)
- Aiding district administrators and in the development of school safety plans
- Addressing questions and concerns from students, teachers, parents and administrators during school hours.
- Attending major school events (home sporting events, dances, etc.)

As you can see, that is not a short list! The safety of students is one of our primary concerns, and I am confident our schools are in good hands with Officer McClusky.

Robert Wurpes, Chief of Police

#### Practice Earthquake Preparedness During Annual Great Oregon ShakeOut

ith a major earthquake looming as an inevitable part of our future, the City of Wilsonville

and other preparedness advocates seek to limit potentially catastrophic consequences. Planning ahead can help improve our lives after a life-altering event.

With this in mind, the City is one of many local municipalities participating in the Great Oregon

ShakeOut, an earthquake drill and preparedness event scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 19 at 10:19 am.

When initial shaking begins, it's impossible to know an earthquake's intensity, so always immediately Drop, Cover, and Hold On! Typically, this reduces your chance of injury.

**DROP where you are, onto your hands and knees.** This position protects you from being knocked down and also allows you to stay low and crawl to shelter if nearby. it for shelter -If no shelter is nearby, crawl next to an interior

-If a sturdy table or desk is nearby, crawl underneath

wall (away from windows) -Stay on your knees;

bend over to protect vital organs HOLD ON until the shaking stops.

-Under shelter: hold on to it with one hand; be

ready to move with your shelter if it shifts -No shelter: hold on to your head and neck with both arms and hands.

Do not move to another location or outside. Earthquakes occur without warning and may be violent enough to prevent running or crawling. People are more likely to be injured if moving around during strong shaking.

Because you never know if the initial jolt of an



#### Practice a Home Fire Escape Plan: Map an Escape Route, Practice Getting Out Safely

October is Fire Prevention Month. Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue encourages homeowners to create and practice a home fire

escape plan.

The Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal campaign, "Not Every Hero Wears a Cape — Plan and Practice Your Escape," focuses on the im-



portance of knowing what to do in the event of a fire.

The 3,122 residential structure fires in Oregon in 2018 resulted in 30 deaths, 125 civilian injuries, and \$80 million in property and content loss. The two most common causes were cooking and heating.

The majority of people who die in a fire succumb to heat and smoke inhalation, not flames. Smoke alarms greatly reduce fire fatalities; those who are deaf or hard of hearing can install alarms that use strobe lights and/ or vibration.

Most fatal fires happen at night when people are sleeping. Working smoke alarms are designed to activate early to help ensure that you and your family have time to safely escape from your home. Dark, deadly smoke that can fill a home in minutes.

To plan a residential fire escape, we recommend drawing a map of your home and marking two exits from each room as well as a path to your designated safe meeting place outside each exit. One of those exits could be a window.

Once you have an escape map, have a home fire drill; practice using different ways out. We recommend closing doors behind you as you leave to help slow the spread of smoke, heat, and fire. It's important to teach children how to escape on their own in case you can't help them. Families with infants, toddlers, and loved ones with mobility needs should adapt a plan that ensures everyone gets out safely.

Once outside, remain outside, and call 911. Never go back inside a burning building for anything.

For additional tips and tools to create a fire escape plan, visit **tvfr.com**.



#### "Why do we have only one grocery store in a town this size?" - Sandra

In 2017, Safeway acquired the Lamb's Thriftway store at Wilsonville Town Center. Safeway's parent company, Albertsons Companies, Inc., opted at that time to close the Albertson's in Old Town, leaving Wilsonville with just one traditional "grocery-only" store ... but it's hardly the only place in town to buy groceries. Residents can find a complete grocery store within the Fred Meyer in Old Town. On the north end of town, groceries are available at Target and Costco, both located at Argyle Square. The now-vacant Albertsons store, at 30299 SW Boones Ferry Rd., remains under lease to Albertsons Companies, Inc., thru 2028.



COVER your head and neck with one arm and hand

earthquake is the start of 'the big one,' always Drop, Cover, and Hold On! Learn more at ShakeOut.org/ Oregon.

## **BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT**

## Spark CITY HOSTING TWO OCTOBER NETWORKING EVENTS

The Wilsonville Chamber of Commerce hosts its Morning Spark events to provide regular networking opportunities for Chamber members. Morning Spark events are great for meeting and making new business connections within the community. Facilitated introductions among attendees ensures you meet everyone in the room!

The Chamber welcomes new guests to join the fun and talk shop. Non-members may attend two Morning Spark events before Chamber membership is required.

The City is proud to partner with the Wilsonville

Chamber to host two October Morning Spark dates. Come say hello to local business operators, City staff and members of Wilsonville's workforce. Morning Sparks are being held 7:30-9 am:

- Oct. 2 at Wilsonville Library (host: Wilsonville Public Library Foundation)
- Oct. 16 at Wilsonville City Hall (host: City of Wilsonville)

For more information, or to register for a Morning Spark event, visit **wilsonvillechamber.com**/ **events**/. Heard any strange rumors? Have a burning question about Wilsonville? If you're stumped, just ask us!

Visit the City's public engagement website to submit your question and to provide input on every current City project.

#### LetsTalkWilsonville.com



City Engineering staff recently used Community Enhancement funding to complete the Willamette Way/Graham Oaks Pedestrian Improvement project. New proposals are being sought for consideration during the upcoming funding cycle.

#### Local Funding Available for Community Enhancement Projects

Do you need funding to complete a project that could enhance Wilsonville's appearance or improve the city's environmental quality?

An agreement with Metro provides funding to cities that host solid-waste transfer facilities, like the Willamette Resources, Inc., (WRI) transfer facility operated by Republic Services here in Wilsonville.

In effect, the City is compensated for every ton of wet waste processed locally, and those funds are used to improve the community.

The Wilsonville-Metro Community Enhancement Program considers proposals annually, and a committee allocates funding for those projects that best "rehabilitate and enhance the area within the City limits."

Often, these projects are nominated by City staff and board members. A few recent examples:

- The City's Willamette Way/Graham Oaks Pedestrian Improvement project. Community Enhancement funds helped the City Engineering staff make the new crosswalk and rectangular rapid flashing beacon (RRFB) possible.
- The Backyard Habitat Rehabilitation program used Community Enhancement funds to complete eight site assessments at newly enrolled sites; one property received the Backyard Habitat Certification.
- A Street Tree Infill program, funded by the program during last year's cycle, will plant up to 250 trees in residential neighborhoods. The program was developed by the City's Public Works department in collaboration with non-profit Friends of Trees.

The City is seeking to increase the number of project nominations originated by community members. Citizens are encouraged to share ideas with the City or to apply directly for funding of projects that would provide a community benefit and meet at least one of these program goals:

- Improve the appearance or environmental quality of the community.
- Reduce the amount or toxicity of waste.
- Increase reuse and recycling opportunities.
- Result in rehabilitation or upgrade of real or personal property owned or operated by a nonprofit organization.
- Result in the preservation or enhancement of wildlife, riparian zones, wetlands, forest lands and marine areas, and/or improve the public awareness and the opportunities to enjoy them.
- Result in improvement to, or an increase in, recreational areas and programs.
- Result in improvement in safety.
- Benefit youth, seniors, low income persons or underserved populations

Before the nomination period opens in December, individuals and non-profit groups are invited and encouraged to bring their ideas to the program administrator for discussion and assistance in pursuing Community Enhancement funding.

To learn more about the Community Enhancement Program or to discuss a potential project, contact program administrator Zoe Monahan, Assistant to the City Manager, at monahan@ci.wilsonville.or.us or visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/bc-mce.

#### **Notable Actions: City Boards and Commissions**

#### City Council Action

Sept. 5 Charbonneau resident Dr. Joann E. Linville, a retired higher education administrator who serves on the City's Develop-

#### What it Means

Linville was sworn in at the Sept. 16 meeting; her term continues through Dec. 31, 2020.

**City Council Seeks Feedback on Possible Waste/Recycling Service Enhancements** 



Residential food scrap collection is one of several new services being considered by City Council.

 $T^{\rm he \ Wilsonville \ City \ Council \ is \ weighing \ a \ number}_{of \ new \ collection \ services \ to \ consider \ including \ in}_{munity's \ garbage \ and \ recycling \ franchised \ hauler.}$ 

Visit LetsTalkWilsonville.

**com** before Oct. 7 to offer feedback on the offerings listed below by ranking them in your personal order of preference; you can also recommend other



service improvement. Aggregate data is being presented to City Council before a decision is made upon which service(s) to pursue.

Potential new services include:

- **Residential Food Waste Program:** allow kitchen food scraps to be collected with yard debris
- Free Bulky Waste Pick-up for ADA/Senior Citizens: Wilsonville residents who have a disability or are older would have home pick-up of large/ bulky waste items at no charge
- Fluorescent Tubes Collection/Recycling: Republic Services would provide pre-paid shipping containers for specific types of fluorescent tubes for recycling by businesses
- Styrofoam Collection/Recycling: Republic Services would set up a Styrofoam collection station for residents and commercial/industrial customers.
- Wood Pallet Collection/Recycling: Republic Services would set up a wood-pallets collection station for commercial/industrial customers.

The addition of new services would not require rate adjustments. Any new collections would be designed to offset an increase in Republic Services profit margin that lands above the range established in the existing franchise agreement, which was signed in 2018.

Take the survey at LetsTalkWilsonville.com. For more information, visit ci.wilsonville.or.us/garbage.

#### **City Seeks Two Volunteers for Development Review Board**

The City is accepting applicants who are interested in serving a two-year term on the City's Development Review Board (DRB).

The DRB consists of two five-person panels that are empowered to review and take quasi-judicial action on land-use applications. Every application is assigned to one of the two DRB panels, which then conducts a hearing and renders decisions on all aspects of the

	ment Review Board, was appointed to fill a vacant seat on the Council.		
Sept. 5	A pair of resolutions were adopted to authorize an easement and a revised license agreement with Portland General Electric.	These resolutions accommodate a design change at PGE's new Electric Avenue vehicle-charging station, to be installed at the Wilsonville Library. Construction is set to begin this month, and the station operational by the end of the calendar year.	
Aug. 19	The City Council approved a construction contract in the amount of about \$294,000 to fund the Gesellschaft Well Facility Rehab and Upgrades project	The project rehabilitates and upgrades aging or outdated mechanical, electrical, and instrumentation components located at the Gesellschaft groundwater well facility, in order that they may be maintained as backup water supply for emergency situations.	

## **Stay Informed**

•Sign up to receive City news:

•Follow City of Wilsonville: Facebook, Nextdoor and Twitter

•Watch City Council meetings: Online: ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV Comcast/Xfinity: Channel 30 Frontier: Channel 32



application.

To a large degree, the decisions of the DRB determine how the city looks. DRB decisions are usually binding, but may be appealed to the City Council.

Applications for two "Panel A" vacancies are being accepted until Monday, Oct. 14, at 5 pm. Appointments are made by Mayor Tim Knapp and confirmed by a vote of City Council. Panel A typically meets on the second Monday of each month at 6:30 pm.

For more information, or to apply, visit **ci.wilsonville.or.us/drb\_apply**.



#### "Make a Splash!" Program Offers Free Children's Rain Boots to Clackamas County Families in Need

In September, the Early Learning Hub of Clackamas County launched "Make a Splash!", a new program to provide free Oaki rain boots to children ages 6 and younger wh



county children ages 6 and younger who qualify for income assistance programs.

The program is designed to provide a way for all children and their families to explore, have fun, learn, and play.

"Playing outside rain or shine helps children develop their imaginations, fine and gross motor skills, scientific thinking, and problem solving," said Chelsea Hamilton, Early Learning Program Planner for Clackamas County's Children, Family & Community Connections Division.

Free boots are available through Oct. 25, or while supplies last, to Clackamas County families with children ages 6 and younger that qualify for any incomeassistance program. Qualifying programs include:

- Oregon Trail cardOHP/CHIP
- OIIF/CIII
  Section 8
- WIC eWIC card
- Free/reduced school lunch
- TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families)

• Head Start The Early Learning Hub of Clackamas

County is an orga-

nized group of people supporting children, prenatally through six years and their families. There are 16 Early Learning Hubs in Oregon that collaborate with early



childhood programs to translate the research on early development into result-oriented interventions and programs.

One of the Hub goals is for children to be supported to enter school ready to succeed, and "Make a Splash" is one of many programs that offer children that opportunity.

To apply for free rain boots and find a pick up location, visit

makeasplashclackam.wixsite.com/boots. Fore more information, call 503-650-5682 or email makeasplash-clackamas@gmail.com.

#### **Arts & Theater News**

#### CCC-Wilsonville Campus Gallery Exhibit: "In the Blink of an Eye"

Until Dec. 6, the gallery at the Clackamas Community College's campus in Wilsonville features an exhibit of paintings from two artists, Sam Marroquin and David Cordes, entitled "Blink of an Eye."

Marroquin says her art is inspired by a quest for truth.

"Investigating current and historic events, I am always aware and processing what is going on around us," she said. "Images and ideas which are avoided



work."

Cordes, an organic chemistry professor, enjoys exploring the intersection of art and science.

"I like to work systematically, creating sets of paintings that examine particular themes and topics in the history of chemistry and technology," he said.

Visit the gallery Monday-Friday, 7am-5pm, or on occasional Saturday hours. CCC-Wilsonville is located at 29353 SW Town Center Loop East, Wilsonville.

For more information, contact Joyce Gabriel at 503-594-0950; joyceg@clackamas.edu.

Clockwise, from top left: Cordes, "Rontgen X-Rays;" Marroquin, "A Location Near You;" Cordes, "Maria Goeppert-Mayer;"Marroquin, "Nuclear Revenge."





#### Wilsonville STAGE Presents "Sylvia"; Nine Shows Set, Oct. 25-Nov. 10, at Charbonneau, Wilsonville Library

A nyone who has owned a dog knows how they can turn your life upside down.

In "Sylvia," a new comedy presented by Wilsonville STAGE, a middle-aged New Yorker finds this out when he comes across a large dog in the park, identi-

fied only by a heart-shaped dog tag that reads "Sylvia."



Taking a fancy to Sylvia, with no

owner in sight, Greg decides she'd be a great addition to the family. His wife, Kate, has a different opinion.

Sylvia becomes a source of tension in the couple's 22-year marriage. As clueless, doting Greg becomes more attached to Sylvia, Kate grows pettier and becomes competitive with the dog.

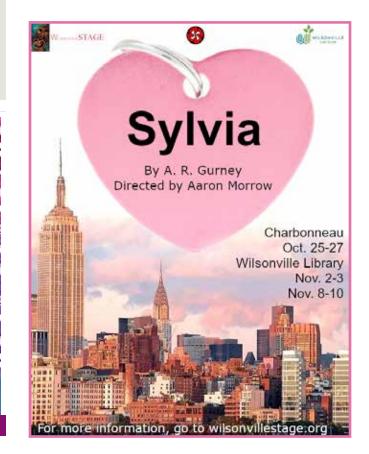
"Anyone who has ever owned a pet will love how richly and humorously the author has created Sylvia, the titular canine," said Aaron Morrow, the show's guest director, "and anyone that has been in a loving relationship will connect with the realness of Kate and Greg's wit and relationship."

Directing A.R. Gurney's critically-acclaimed comedy has been a bucket list item of Morrow's since playing Greg a few years ago at Gallery Theater in McMinnville.

"Sylvia has a little something for everyone to connect with," Morrow said. "It is a guaranteed opportunity to laugh, and to maybe shed a tear or two."

Sylvia is coming to Wilsonville, Oct. 25-Nov. 10, for nine shows; four at Charbonneau Country Club (Oct. 25-27) and five at the Wilsonville Library (Nov. 2-10).

To purchase tickets, and read a full synopsis, go to **wilsonvillestage.org**. Additional information is provided at **facebook.com/WilsonvilleSTAGE.org**.









C h a r b o n n e a u A r t s . o r g

#### **Correctional Facility Advisory Committee to Hold Public Meeting Oct. 3**

The Coffee Creek **Correctional Facility** Prison Advisory Committee (PAC) is hosting a public meeting Thursday, Oct. 3, 6 pm, in the Oak



Room at the Wilsonville Public Library.

The agenda includes departmental updates by the facility's superintendent and executive management team.

#### Nov. 9 Wine Tasting Fundraiser Supports Library Programming

■he Wilsonville Public Library Foundation is hosting "A Toast to Imagination," the fourth annual wine tasting fundraiser, on Saturday, Nov. 9, 7-9:30 pm.



The event showcases Willamette Valley wines from Archer Vineyards, Campbell Lane Winery, Carlton Cellars, Sineann Winery and Tumwater Vineyards.

The event supports a wide array of library programs, including Dolly Parton's Imagination Library (DPIL), which offers one free high-quality, age-appropriate book per month to children from birth to age five.

With the Foundation's support, DPIL has enriched the lives of more than 2,500 Wilsonville children, delivering more than 57,000 books and supporting the library's goal to ignite a passion for reading and learning in all children from birth; more than 800 children in Wilsonville are currently enrolled.

A Toast to Imagination Sat, Nov. 9, 7-9:30 pm Wilsonville Library 8200 SW Wilsonville Rd.

Other programs supported by the Foundation include Science Adventure, the Heritage Collection,

school family night, adult classes, History Pub (with McMenamins) and community outreach.

Tickets for "A Toast to Imagination," \$50 if purchased by Oct. 26, are available at wplf.org or at the Library.

To learn more about the event, and to support the Foundation's work, visit wplf.org or contact Pat Duke, Library Director, at 503-570-1590; Duke@ WilsonvilleLibrary.org.



#### **Dispose of Fall Leaves** on Nov. 9 at City Hall

The City of Wilsonville in partnership with Repub-L lic Services is holding the annual, free Wilsonville

The purpose of the PAC is to serve as a citizen advisory group to the facility regarding correctional issues, activities and practices affecting the community. The PAC also serves as a liaison to and from the public.

At the conclusion of the meeting there will be a public comment period.

For more information, contact Shelley Clayton, Public Information Officer, at 503-570-6405, shelley.e.clayton@doc.state.or.us.



#### **City, Republic Services Host** Bulky Waste Day on Oct. 26

*T*ilsonville's popular biannual "Bulky Waste Day" is taking place on Saturday, Oct. 26, 9 am-1 pm, at Republic Services, 10295 SW Ridder Road in Wilsonville.

The free event provides an opportunity for residents to dispose of large, hard to dispose items that don't fit into standard-sized garbage cans, including clean untreated wood, dishwashers, televisions, refrigerators, computers, monitors, stoves, dryers, water heaters, couches, mattresses, scrap metal,

**Bulky Waste Day** Sat, Oct. 26, 9 am-1 pm **Republic Services** 10295 SW Ridder Rd.

tables and chairs. Participating households must provide proof of Wilsonville residency and are encouraged to provide

a donation of toiletries (shampoo, soap, deodorant, etc.) to benefit low-income households served by Wilsonville Community Sharing.

Some items are not accepted, including construction debris of any type; propane bottles/canisters; paint; batteries; solvents; thinners; household garbage; tires; and related items.

For information contact Matt Baker, Public Works Supervisor, at mbaker@ci.wilsonville.or.us; 503-570-1548.

#### Annual Community Tree Lighting Set for Dec. 4

The annual Com-L munity Tree Lighting takes place at Town Center Park on Wednesday, Dec. 4, at 5:30 pm.

The evening includes a Story Time from Wilsonville Public Library staff, school choir performances and, of course, the lighting of the community tree! Santa is making an appearance at the Parks



## City Calendar

(	ОСТО	OBER		
1	Tue	<ul> <li>Municipal/Traffic Court</li> <li>5 pm, City Hall</li> </ul>		
2	Wed	SMART Walk at Lunch Noon, Oregon Institute of Technology		
3	Thu	CCCF Prison Advisory Committee Meeting 6 pm, Wilsonville Library		
4	Fri	<ul> <li>First Friday Films</li> <li>6 pm, Wilsonville Library</li> </ul>		
7	Mon	<ul> <li>City Council at City Hall</li> <li>5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting</li> </ul>		
9	Wed	Planning Commission     6 pm, City Hall		
10	Thu	<ul> <li>Parks &amp; Rec Advisory Board</li> <li>6 pm, City Hall</li> </ul>		
14	Mon	• DRB Panel A 6:30 pm, City Hall		
15	Tue	<ul> <li>Municipal/Traffic Court</li> <li>5 pm, City Hall</li> </ul>		
19	Sat	<ul> <li>Multi-City Equity Summit</li> <li>8 am-4 pm, Lake Oswego High School</li> </ul>		
21	Mon	<ul> <li>City Council at City Hall</li> <li>5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting</li> </ul>		
23	Wed	<ul> <li>Library Board</li> <li>6:30 pm, Wilsonville Library</li> </ul>		
26	Sat	<ul> <li>Fall Frolic 5K</li> <li>8 am, Stein-Boozier Barn, Memorial Park</li> <li>Bulky Waste Day</li> <li>9 am-1 pm, Republic Services</li> <li>Harvest Festival</li> <li>9 am-noon, Stein Boozier Barn</li> </ul>		
28	Mon	• DRB Panel B 6 pm, City Hall		
29	Tue	History Pub     6:30 pm, McMenamins Old Church		
NOVEMBER				
1	Fri	<ul> <li>First Friday Films</li> <li>6 pm, Wilsonville Library</li> </ul>		
4	Mon	<ul> <li>City Council at City Hall</li> <li>5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting</li> </ul>		
5	Tue	<ul> <li>Municipal/Traffic Court</li> <li>5 pm, City Hall</li> </ul>		
9	Sat	<ul> <li>Fall Leaf Drop-Off Day 9 am-2 pm, City Hall</li> <li>"A Toast to Imagination" Fundraiser 7-9:30 pm, Wilsonville Library</li> </ul>		
11	Mon	<ul> <li>Veterans Day City Offices Closed</li> <li>DRB Panel A 6:30 pm, City Hall</li> </ul>		
13	Wed	<ul> <li>Planning Commission</li> <li>6 pm, City Hall</li> </ul>		
18	Mon	<ul> <li>City Council at City Hall</li> <li>5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting</li> </ul>		
19	Tue	Municipal/Traffic Court     5 pm, City Hall		
25	Mon	DRB Panel B     6 pm, City Hall		
26	Tue	History Pub     6:30 pm, McMenamins' Old Church		
27	Wed	Library Board		

Leaf Drop-Off Day on Saturday, Nov. 9, 9 am-2 pm.

Wilsonville residents are invited to

Leaf Drop-Off Day Sat, Nov. 9, 9 am-2 pm Wilsonville City Hall 29799 SW Town Center Loop E.

drop-off leaves only — and no other yard debris — at the City Hall parking lot, 29799 SW Town Center Loop East.



and Recreation Admin Building for pictures. A craft room is available for kids. Hot cocoa and cookies are being served.

6:30 pm, Wilsonville Library

- 28 Thu Thanksgiving Day **City Offices Closed**
- 29 Fri Thanksgiving Observed **City Offices Closed**

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

### **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 ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV. Public comment is welcome at City Council meetings.



Tim Knapp Mayor knapp@ci.wilsonville.or.us



Kristin Akervall City Council President akervall@ci.wilsonville.or.us



Charlotte Lehan City Councilor lehan@ci.wilsonville.or.us

Ben West City Councilor west@ci.wilsonville.or.us



Joann Linville City Councilor linville@ci.wilsonville.or.us

#### **City Manager** Bryan Cosgrove 503-570-1504 cosgrove@ci.wilsonville.or.us

Wilsonville City Hall 29799 SW Town Center Loop E Wilsonville, OR 97070

Phone: 503-682-1011 Fax: 503-682-1015 Web: ci.wilsonville.or.us E-mail: info@ci.wilsonville.or.us



City Council: 503-570-1501; council@ci.wilsonville.or.us Police Non-Emergency Dispatch: 503-655-8211