

City Community Updates



Public Works

Water Projects

- A new 4" water meter was installed at the Grade School. The old meter's accuracy test showed that the meter had lost more than 10% accuracy. Jesus, Corey & Jerome installed the meter on a day when school was off. The installation went well with no problems. Many thanks to the Public Works Crew!
- The Meadow lake transmission line bid opened the week of April 5th, and Trenchline Exc was the low bidder. This was exciting news since Trenchline had worked for Carlton before on the Steel tank to town water line 4 years ago and did an excellent job. Council will review the bid recommendation at their May Council meeting.
- The Panther Cr. Reservoir project permits have not yet been finalized by all agencies. We are working with the agencies so that the project is not delayed to 2022.

Sewer Projects

- On the night of Sunday, April 11th, starting at 700PM, Public Works cleaned/vacuumed the Sewer Mains on Pine St., Yamhill & Main & from Pine to Cunningham. We also videotaped the Mainline from Pine & Main to Cunningham St. This videotape will be passed onto engineering for inspection and will be available technical data used in the design of the new sewer main on Main St.



- On the construction side of the sewer, the building project on Washington St. the Flaneur building is required to install a new sewer main on Washington from 1st to 2nd ST. This is approximately 225' of new 8" pipe and two new person holes & connection of all existing laterals to the new pipe.

Parks

- Wennerberg Park was opened Tuesday, April 13th, with road access to the entire Park.
- The fencing around the new playground equipment in Wennerberg Park was removed the morning of Tuesday, April 13th.

Thank you City Council and all team members for the hard work to install this for our community!





Streets

- The intersection at Grant & Cunningham will receive stop signs this week.



Police

Vehicle vs. Pedestrian Accident 300 block of West Johnson (Media Release)

On April 9, 2021, Carleton Police Department received a phone call from a driver involved in a traffic accident in the 300 block of West Johnson Street in the City of Carleton. The Driver reported that a juvenile had run into the roadway between some vehicles without warning, and the Driver could not stop before coming to rest on the youth's foot.

The youth was subsequently taken to the hospital by family members.

The Carleton Police Department was not contacted by the family or any witnesses. It wasn't until the Driver had reached out to the police department that an investigation was started. The Driver was cooperative during the investigation.

Based on statements obtained from the Driver, the youth, witnesses, and evidence at the scene, Carleton Police Department determined the juvenile had run into the roadway without looking and without warning from a neighbor's driveway. Further investigation revealed that several vehicles blocked pedestrians' ability to pass the vehicles without having to go into the roadway to get around them.

The investigation revealed that speed and/or driver error were not a factor in the accident.

The Carleton Police Department would like to take this opportunity to remind citizens to share with the youth of our community the pedestrians' responsibility to not enter the roadway without ensuring it is safe to do so. For additional information about pedestrian safety and responsibility videos, please visit the Carleton Police Department city website <https://www.ci.carleton.or.us/police/page/events-videos-and-photos>

Death Investigation

On April 7th, Carleton Officers responded to the 200 block of N. 4th St. regarding a deceased subject in a residence. Officers conducted an investigation and did not find any evidence that would indicate the death was suspicious.

Hit and Run (Shooting Sherwood)

On April 6th, Carleton Officers learned that there had been a hit-and-run traffic accident in Sherwood and that one vehicle had left the accident scene. It was also learned that at the time of the accident, one of the vehicles' occupants had discharged a round at the other vehicle. The vehicle that had been shot at left the scene of the accident and was believed to possibly headed toward the City of Carleton due to several reports of a vehicle driving recklessly that matched the vehicle that had left the accident scene. Officers Micah Steeves and Tim Jordan observed the vehicle in question enter the City of Carleton, traveling westbound at a high rate of speed. The officers followed the vehicle to an address in the 500 block of Madsen Lp. It was confirmed that there was a bullet hole on the passenger side of the vehicle. The Driver was subsequently contacted without incident. A police officer from Sherwood Police Department responded to the scene and issued the driver a citation for failing to perform the duties of a driver at the scene of an accident. The subject in the other vehicle that fire the shot was subsequently contacted by Sherwood police in the City of Sherwood and arrested by Sherwood police on charges related to the shooting.

Ongoing Neighborhood Dispute

Carlton police responded to the area of Adams St. and S. Mason St. on April 9th regarding two individuals yelling at each other. The individuals have been involved in an ongoing neighborhood dispute for several years. This incident is under investigation.

Criminal Mischief

Carlton police responded to the area of Adams St., and S. Mason St. on April 9th regarding a motor vehicle being spray painted. This incident is under investigation.

Theft/Criminal Mischief

April 9th, Carlton police responded to the 400 block of S. Park St. in regards to criminal mischief and theft report. It was reported that an RV power cord had been cut and the adapter stolen. This case is under investigation

Theft

During the night of April 8th and 9th, a generator was stolen from a residence in the 500 block of S. Pine St. This case is under investigation.

Found Property

Public works found a wallet in the lower Park and subsequently turned it over to the Carlton Police Department, who located the owner and returned it to the owner.

- **Finance-Administration-Planning**
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Hello Carlton!!!

City Manager, Shannon Beaucaire, has started and can be reached at Email: sbeaucaire@ci.carlton.or.us

- The lifeguard positions for this summer have been posted and advertised. Applications are accepted through April 30th.

COVID

Oregon Health Authority Guidelines:

[OHA 2351E Sector Guidance – Outdoor Recreation and Outdoor Fitness Establishments \(state.or.us\)](https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/Prevention&Promotion/InfectiousDiseases/COVID-19/Pages/OHA-2351E-Sector-Guidance-Outdoor-Recreation-and-Outdoor-Fitness-Establishments-(state.or.us).aspx)

Effective April 9 – 22, Yamhill County is in a Caution period. Caution period apply to counties facing backward movement of= the success of controlling the spread of COVID-19.

Please continue your diligence in preventing the spread of COVID-19 so that Yamhill County can remain in the Low risk category!

