City Community Updates





The USFWS is exploring additional public uses at Wapato Lake NWR, and you can help. On December 1st, a DRAFT Public Access Plan & Environmental Assessment document will be shared with the public that describes alternatives of how additional public uses, such as wildlife observation,

photography and hiking can occur on this public land. Please check back on our website fws.gov/refuge/wapato_lake after December 1st to access and review the draft plans. This review period runs from December 1st – January 15th and your feedback on the document is important and greatly appreciated as we continue to develop this significant community resource. To submit comments: email tualatinriver@fws.gov or mail a letter to 19255 SW Pacific Hwy, Sherwood, OR 97140



Public Works

Meadowlake Transmission Line

Trenchline Excvation has replaced 32,435 feet (6.14 miles) of water transmission pipeline.

Approximately 7,390 feet of pavement striping along Meadowlake road has been completed. The remaining project items, like water service

installation, are scheduled to finish in November/December.

Meadow Lake transmission line, the two overland sections of pipe have been installed next week we are looking at hooking the both sections and testing then that will take care of all scheduled pipe replacement. The City received a grant for \$7,150,000 for this project which was to cover all aspects of the work including engineering, permitting, construction and change orders.





Please remember to turn off your outside sprinkler systems

Water

- Panther Creek Reservoir road improvement phase of the project is complete.
- The water service phase of the Homestead lane is set to start next week.
- 2 customer water leaks found and repaired.

Sewer

Sewer Lateral repair at Carlton truck shop 12/2.

Parks

- Patronage to the lower park continues to be busy even now in winter time.
- Upper Park Christmas décor is illuminated and it is bringing folks to Carlton.

Streets

- Monroe Street sidewalk project is complete.
- Storm drains around town have been working properly, please report any storm runoff backups we will get out there right away to fix the situation.

Construction

- Brooklyn Terrace are starting on curb & sidewalk work this week.
- JR 2 are pressure testing their mainlines.

Register Here for the Carlton Holiday Light Contest:

https://www.ci.carlton.or.us/community/webform/sign-carlton-holiday-light-contest-here



Carlton Holiday Light Contest

Light up your property and show your holiday spirit and win BIGI

Residents and businesses within the City limits are automatically eligible to participate. To register, visit City Hall or email your name and address to aamerson@ci.carlton.or.us by December 3rd, 2021.

Judging will take place on Saturday, December 18, 2021.

All lights must be turned on by 5:00 p.m.

The top FIVE properties will win an exciting prize!

Judging will be based upon creativity, holiday spirit, and the use of lights to spread the cheer of the season.

Ret's light up Carlton together!



Police



Donation to Carlton PD

The Carlton Police Department would like to extend a gracious thank you to a Carlton resident that donated 4 flashlights to the department in order to help enhance the safety of our department's officers while they work their shifts.

Carlton PD Santa Patrol

Santa Patrol will be on Saturday,
December 11, 2021, from 11:00 a.m.
till about 1:00 p.m. Make sure your
kiddos keep an eye out for Carlton
Police Officers driving around with
Santa handing out stuffed animals and
candy.



Carlton Tree Lighting December 4, 2021, 4 p.m. till 7 p.m.

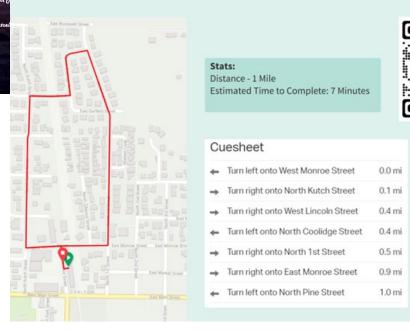
Come join the community for the annual tree lighting and watch Chief Martinez, Senior Officer Blair, Rick Hinkes, Lou Kinnaman, Gilbert Henry and Mike Kirby play some incredible Christmas music along with a few classic rock songs.



Carlton Bicycle Parade

Carlton Bike Light Parade will be Sunday, December 5, 2021, at 5:00 p.m.

Carlton Sike Light Parade



At-Risk Citizen Check-In Program

The Carlton Police Department and the City of Carlton are asking citizens to let us know about potential at-risk citizens within the city limits of Carlton that may be impacted by power outages, weather or other extreme conditions that may place them in harms way if not checked on. At-Risk citizens will be placed on a list that Carlton Police Officers and/or staff members will use to check in on them. (This program is pending the development of a sign-up/release liability form and webpage)



Theft Prevention Safety Tips

This is the time of year L/E and communities see an increase in theft crimes. These thefts often occur during the early morning hours between 2 a.m. and 5 a.m. The Carlton Police Department would like to share the following

prevention information regarding our "LOCK IT or LOSE IT program.

Lock It or Lose It Campaign. The Carlton, Oregon Police Department reminds citizens about its "LOCK IT or LOSE IT" program. The intent of the program is to promote awareness in hopes of eliminating thefts of vehicles as well as property being stolen from automobiles occurring in the City of Carlton and surrounding area.

The Carlton Police Department, as do all law enforcement agencies across the country, periodically conduct theft investigations from vehicles that seem to come in waves throughout certain periods of the year. Many of the thefts are from vehicles that were left unlocked. Items taken in these quickly committed crimes range from spare change to wallets, personal/business documents, electronics, and firearms

In most, if not all instances, these crimes can be prevented by simply locking car doors, assuring all the windows are completely shut, removing all valuable items or what might be perceived as containing valuables such as backpacks or other bags, keeping change and charging cords out of sight, and NEVER leave keys inside the vehicle.

Getting in the mindset of locking doors to your home, garages, and vehicles is the first step of minimizing the chance of becoming a crime victim.

Carlton Police Department has "LOCK IT or LOSE IT" yard signs available for residents to display in their yard if they would like to help encourage a strong community prevention mindset. This program supports the mission of the Carlton Police Department's dedication to the community by proactively solving problems and protecting life and property through education and prevention. "Police & Community Together", can and will make our community safer and more livable.

Please be aware of your surroundings and report any suspicious activity immediately to your local law enforcement agency.

For more information about the "LOCK IT or LOSE IT" program and/or if you would like a sign to place in your yard please feel free to contact the Carlton Police Department at 503-852-3805 or email Chief Martinez at kmartinez@ci..carlton.or.us

For additional information about Police activity and statistics, please visit: https://www.ci.carlton.or.us/police/page/crime-statistics

Carlton Police Statistics through November 30, 2021	
Calls for Service: Year to date (Jan 1- Nov 30)	2356
Calls for Service: November 2021	140
Traffic Stops: Year to date (Jan 1- Nov 30)	325
Traffic Stops: November 2021	9

Carlton Police Activity November 1 - 30, 2021	
Follow up/Information/Detail/Message	17
Area Check	5
Assist Outside Agency	5
Patrol	4
Investigation	3
Traffic Stops	3
Alarm Response	1
Fraud	1
Harassment	1
Noise	1
Welfare check	1



Finance-Administration-Planning

- Planning
 - o December 20th meeting canceled due to lack of agenda
- > YCSD
 - O Elementary School Book Fair starts December 8th through 15th. Contact school for hours of operation.



Letters to Santa Mailbox installed and ready for letters! Letters mailed by December 20th will get a response from Santa!



Fire Aware. Fire Prepared. Wildfire Wednesday's webinar sessions are returning this fall! We will feature one webinar per week starting on November 10 through December 8, 2021. Visit the Online Webinar Guide on the Fire Program website for more information, <u>BEAV.ES/FAFP</u>

Fall Schedule, weekly from 12:00-1:00pm:

November 10: 2021 Fire Season - A learning opportunity **November 17**: Prioritizing your home hardening approach

November 24: Thanksgiving BREAK - no webinar

December 1: From the home to the landscape (defensible space): Fall Edition

December 8: Prescribed fire

Register for one or all webinars here,

https://oregonstate.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN UnEB4iFOSaWLzGeHKBUA-w



Applications For the 2021 Fire District Toy Drive Can be picked up at City Hall!