

OUR TOWN

City Administrators Message

Regrettably, Harrisburg City Hall remains closed to the public, at least for awhile. We are awaiting the arrival of some new equipment and signage that will help keep the public and city staff safe when we do open.

I also expect that the Harrisburg City Council will lift our local Emergency Declaration early next month. If that occurs, the moratorium on water shut-offs and late fees will expire. Thus it is important for everyone to get their city utility bill up to date as soon as possible. Please call 541-995-6655 to pay your bill or for more information.

Harrisburg FY 2020-21 Budget

Harrisburg, like cities and counties around the nation, faces unique challenges in constructing a new budget that will take effect July 1, 2020.

We know overall city revenues will be down, perhaps drastically, for the remainder of this year and next. Because it is so hard to estimate just how things will go, we are planning for some reductions in city services. However, core municipal services such as police, water, sewer and streets should remain basically stable.

Harrisburg Public Library

The Harrisburg Public Library is still closed due to the Covid-19. "Curb-Side Pickup" for our Patrons is still available. For more information; please call the Library at (541)995-6949 or visit our City Website at www.ci.harrisburg.or.us/library.

Imagine Your Story is this years summer reading program theme. Please contact the Library for more information and find out how you could participate while practicing social distancing.

Contact Information Change

To better serve you, please indicate any contact changes below. Thank you.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Account Number: _____

Summer Activities

The Summer Sounds Concert Series are a favorite activity for citizens in Harrisburg. Unfortunately, the Oregon Governor's 3-Phase Re-Opening plan does not allow festivals, concerts, fairs, and other events that typically bring in hundreds and sometimes thousands of people.

That deeply affects our Old Fashioned 4th of July Celebration, as well as the Harrisburg Harvest Festival. Both of these events benefit our community, and both are not able to continue in the same manner as they have in the past.

The Harrisburg Harvest Festival is working on a plan for their event next year, but is still taking donations to benefit Ag Education. In the meanwhile, watch Facebook, and the city website for the 'Reverse' Parade activities on the 4th of July! A standard event calendar and flyer will be sent with utility bills in next months bill, or you can visit <https://www.facebook.com/HarrisburgJuly4thCelebration/> for more information. They also accept donations!

Republic Services will unfortunately not be holding their clean up day in town this year.

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Residential Utility Rates FY 2019-2020

The utility bill is a combination of water, sewer and storm drain charges. Please contact City Hall for more information.

Water: Base Rate: \$21.30

Per Unit (per *EUU): \$1.74

Sewer: Minimum Charge: \$21.18

Sewer User Fee: \$7.68 per unit

Storm Drain: \$3.60

Xpress Bill Pay

Xpress Bill Pay is our online payment provider. You can pay your utility bill by e-check, Visa, Mastercard, Discover or Debit at no extra cost to you. Visit www.ci.harrisburg.or.us/utilitybilling for more info.

Important June Dates

June 8: HRA Board Meeting at 6:00, followed by the Budget Committee Meeting at 6:30pm.; continued June 10 if needed

June 10: Municipal Court at 2pm.

June 18: Municipal Court at 2pm.

June 16: Planning Commission Meeting at 7pm.

June 23: City Council Business Meeting at 6:30pm