

February 2023 Newsletter

Mayor Loel Trulove, Jr.

City Hall: Open Monday – Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM



Harvest Festival 9/23/23

The Harvest Festival is returning thanks to the volunteers at Tangent Together. Tangent Together welcomes anyone wishing to volunteer and sponsor events throughout the calendar year.

Tangent Together meets on the third Thursday of each month at the Tangent Rural Fire District building at 6:30 PM.

The next event is the Spring Social on April 1. If you wish to help, sponsor and meet your neighbors, please come to our next meeting on February 16, 6:30 PM at the Tangent Rural Fire Department.

Pet Waste Station

The City of Tangent has Pet Waste Stations across town to allow residents walking their furry friends a place to dispose of waste.

We have had a couple of complaints of people seeing pet waste that wasn't picked up, and nobody wants to step on it.

Another reason we ask people to dispose of waste in the pet waste bins is to stay in compliance with the State of Oregon Total Mercury Daily Load (TMDL) regulations.

The TMDL, or clean water plan, is a science-based approach to cleaning up polluted water so that it meets state water quality standards. A TMDL is a numerical value that represents the highest amount of a pollutant a surface water body can receive and still meet the standards.

For more information on the TMDL, visit epa.gov/tmdl to learn more about Total Mercury Daily Load and steps people can do to reduce the level of mercury.

Don't Pollute, Pick-Up Poop!



TANGENT ELEMENTARY EVENTS

- January Super Star Party Feb 2nd
- No School for Students Feb 3rd/6th
- Report Cards sent home in backpacks Feb 10th
- President's Day - No School Feb 20th
- February Super Star Party Feb 24th

City Hall will be closed Monday February 20 President's Day Holiday



New City Finance Director

The City of Tangent has hired a new City Finance Director to replace the retiring Bev.

Elijah Joyner was selected after two rounds of interviews and began his employment with the City of Tangent on January 17, 2023.

Hi, my name is Elijah Joyner, and I am relatively new to the Pacific Northwest. My wife and I moved to Oregon from Florida in the middle of 2020. I enjoy spending time in nature and I am incredibly excited to start serving the city of Tangent. I look forward to all of the fun experiences that lie ahead.

Stop by City Hall between 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM on Monday through Friday to make payments on septic service in person. A friendly reminder, we accept cash, check, and card. However, with a card, a surcharge is charged to the paying customer.

You may also pay online at the City of Tangent website, under Sewer Utility, and select Utility Payment.

A friendly reminder, City Hall will be closed on February 20 due to the holiday, so please have payment plans in place to not be late.

City Council Meeting 411

We swore two new council members in the January 9th City Council Meeting. All meetings are open to the public to attend and be informed of city business.

The agenda for the meeting is posted on the website on the first Monday of each month, with the meeting taking place on the second Monday.

The February meeting will start at 7:00 PM on February 13 at Tangent City Hall. Zoom is available for anyone unable to attend in person.

Two other important committees in the city are the Park Commission and Planning Commission.

The Park Commission has one vacant seat, a one-year term, and a perfect opportunity for someone wanting to get involved in local government.

The Planning Commission has two openings; please visit our website for more information.



Did you know

When the City of Tangent was incorporated in 1973, it had more land per capita than any other city.

52 different people have served on the Tangent City Council, and there have been 13 different Mayors in the 50 years of Tangent. The first Mayor was Phil Clark, who started his term on October 4, 1973.

The city had less than 500 people residing in Tangent when incorporated in 1974.

City Council: Meets on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7 PM.

Parks Commission: Meets on the last Tuesday of every other month at 7:00 PM.

Planning Commission: Meets on the 2nd or 4th THURSDAY of each month as needed at 7 PM.

All meetings at City Hall and available on Zoom

Tangent Together: 3rd Thursday of each month

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