



CITY OF JACKSONVILLE



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# JACKSONVILLE NEWSLETTER

## DECEMBER 2018



### Mayor

Paul Becker

### Council

Brad Bennington

Criss Garcia

David Jesser

Jim Lewis

Ken Gregg

Steve Casaleggio

### City Administrator

Jeff Alvis

### City Hall

Monday-Friday

8:30 am-4:00 pm

### Police

Office 541-899-7100

Dispatch 541-776-7206

### Fire

Office 541-899-7246

Dispatch 541-776-7206

### Planning

541-899-6873

Monday, Tuesday,

Thursday, Friday

8:30 am-2:00 pm

### Inspection Request

541-484-9043 or

800-358-8034

## *VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS*

Jacksonville celebrates the holidays and our past with **Victorian Christmas**. The town is decorated in all natural greenery with white lights and red bows to evoke Christmases past.

On weekends between December 1 – 23 there are pictures with **Father Christmas**, strolling **carolers** – some in vintage costumes – and complimentary **hot cider**, and **Jolly Holly Trolley rides**.

*\*There is **no charge** for taking pictures with Father Christmas. You are welcome to take your own photos as there is no professional photographer. You will find **Father Christmas** at a new location – **155 North 3rd Street, in the Dan McGeorge Photo Gallery.***

The Parade is Saturday—December 1, 2018 at 10:00 am  
(along California Street).

For a complete calendar of events please visit:

[www.ChristmasInJacksonville.com](http://www.ChristmasInJacksonville.com)

The Victorian Christmas Celebration is coordinated by the Jacksonville Oregon Chamber of Commerce and **Business Association**.

If you are interested in participating or donating please contact Jacksonville Oregon Chamber of Commerce and Business Association

541-899-8118 or email [chamber@jacksonvilleoregon.org](mailto:chamber@jacksonvilleoregon.org)



### **Town Hall Meetings—Chapter One of the Comprehensive Plan**

Please join the Citizen Advisory Committee (CAC) and members of the Committee for Citizen Involvement (CCI) for a town hall meeting to learn about the CAC's work to date on providing recommendations for revisions to Chapter One of the Jacksonville Comprehensive Plan. This will be an opportunity for you to ask questions and provide feedback. Two town hall meetings have been scheduled at Old City Hall, 205 W. Main Street, Jacksonville. Refreshments will be provided.

November 29, 2018  
4:00—6:00 pm

December 12, 2018  
5:00—6:00 pm

The intent of the review is to ensure that Jacksonville has a robust, long-term, and sustainable Citizen Involvement Program.



## New City Website

Be sure to explore the new City website. We continue to add content to the website as we learn more about the functionality that it brings to our citizens.

Sometimes you may not readily find a link to what you are looking for. If so, explore two of the new features on the new web site that might help. The "**HOW DO I...**" drop down menu provides the quickest access to the most frequently searched for information. If you don't see what you're looking for there, try out the search in "**I'm Looking For ...**" at the top right of every page of the website.

Please be patient as we transition and let us know if you find things that are not working.

### Testimonial

*"It is great!!! Much better than the old site. The audio is much easier to hear and run and the full agenda packet is also better to read." Bill S.*

## City Council Meetings At-A-Glance

A synopsis of the previous month's City Council agenda items and discussions so you, the citizens of Jacksonville, know what is going on in your local government.

### City Council Meeting Agenda Items

#### November 6, 2018

- Due to the Elections, the Mayor asked for no Action / Discussion Items

#### November 7, 2018—Special Session

- **Public Hearing—Consideration of Appeal: File Number 2018-119.** Council affirmed the findings of HARC File No. 2018-119 including all conditions therein and denied the appeal.

#### November 20, 2018

- **Swear in Interim Fire Chief Wayne Painter and Firefighter Jett Hamik.** It was a honor to participate in the swearing in of Interim Fire Chief Wayne Painter and Firefighter Jett Hamik.
- **Chinese New Year Parade Event Packet.** Council approved the Event Packet for the Chinese New Year Parade.
- **Jacksonville Community Center Funding Options—Resolution No. R2018-011.** Council approved a loan to the Jacksonville Community Center in the amount of \$23,400.
- **Audit Presentation FY 2017-2018.** Jeny Grupe from KDP Certified Public Accountants, LLP presented the FY 2017-2018 Audit to City Council, Budget Committee members and citizens. Council accepted the FY 2017-2018 Audit.
- **Discussion of December 18, 2018 and January 1, 2019 City Council Meetings.** Council cancelled the December 18, 2018 meeting and rescheduled the January 1, 2019 meeting to January 8, 2019.

**Audio and Approved Minutes from each of the City Council Meetings is located on the City website.**

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Public Meeting Schedule	Date	Time	Place
City Council	Tuesday, December 4th	6:00 pm	Old City Hall
Citizen Advisory Committee	Thursday, December 6th	2:30 pm	New City Hall Conference Room
Town Hall Meeting Chapter One Comp Plan	Wednesday, December 12th	5:00—6:00 pm	Old City Hall
HARC	Wednesday, December 19th	6:00 pm	Old City Hall