



Wilsonville's Mikaela Ochocki won the Miss Oregon Teen USA pageant in March and is competing at Miss Teen USA in November. In August, she's visited the City Council to advocate for better mental health resources for school-aged kids.

## Miss Oregon Teen USA Wants Schools to Put Mental Health First

Wilsonville teen Mikaela Ochocki entered the Miss Oregon Teen USA pageant on a whim. "I was visiting my grandmother in Georgia a few years back. She asked me why I had never competed in a pageant, and it got me thinking."

*"There's a saying in the pageant world, 'When it's your time, it's your time.' I guess it was my time."* After Wilsonville High School switched to virtual learning at the onset of the pandemic last year, the 18-year-old theater and dance enthusiast decided she was ready to give pageants a try. Against her wildest expectations, Ochocki was

crowned Miss Teen Oregon in March. "There's a saying in the pageant world, 'When it's your time, it's your time.' I guess it was my time," she said with a laugh. In November, Ochocki will compete in the national Miss Teen USA pageant in Tulsa, Okla. Her preparation runs the gamut, from prepping for a long private interview to learning to walk gracefully on seven-inch heels. "It takes a lot of ankle strength," Ochocki reveals. "I could have never done it without my years of dance and ballet training."

Her win has also launched a year-long journey of *Continued on Page 2*

## City, Republic Services Host Bulky Waste Day on Oct. 23

The City's popular Bulky Waste Day returns on Saturday, Oct. 23, 9 am-1 pm, at Republic Services (10295 SW Ridder Rd.) in Wilsonville. The event is provided in partnership with Metro and Republic Services, the City's franchised recycling and waste hauler.

Bulky Waste Day allows Wilsonville residents to dispose of large or unusual items that cannot be picked up curbside. Proof of residence is required. Please do not arrive with materials that cannot be removed from your vehicle without assistance. Car occupants must unload all bulky waste (wearing masks) as instructed on site.

In lieu of charging participants, organizers request that participating residents donate new, wrapped toiletry items — including soap, shampoo, laundry soap, deodorant, paper towels, etc. — to help Wilsonville



Community Sharing's Food Bank assist local families in need.

Bulky Waste Day accepts dishwashers, televisions, refrigerators, computers, monitors, stoves, dryers, water heaters, couches, mattresses, scrap metal, tables and chairs, and clean, untreated wood.

The program does not accept construction debris of any type, propane bottles or canisters, paint, batteries, solvents, thinners, household garbage or car tires.

For more information contact Matt Baker, City Public Works Supervisor, at mbaker@ci.wilsonville.or.us, 503-570-1548.



## Historical Murase Walnut Grove Dedicated

Barb Boozier and City Councilor Charlotte Lehan unveiled a plaque recognizing Murase Plaza's walnut grove as Oregon Heritage Trees (above). The Sept. 16 dedication event on the former Boozier property included some local history from nut farmer Marvin Brown (right) about Oregon's flourishing mid-20th Century walnut harvesting industry.



## Mayor's Message

### Apply to See and Learn First-Hand How City of Wilsonville Operates

The City is now recruiting residents to participate in the annual Civics Academy (formerly the Citizens Academy).

For those unfamiliar, the Civics Academy serves as a '101' class in how our city operates. The program includes in-depth presentations from the City Manager, City Councilors, State legislators, lobbyists and City employees, and also includes optional visits to the State Capitol and the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility.



The City introduced the Civics Academy in 2015 at the behest of City Manager Bryan Cosgrove as a way to get more people informed, engaged and involved. Ever since, many program graduates have shown their passion for keeping Wilsonville a great community by sharing their time and expertise as volunteers and leaders.

Participants get to engage with other civic-minded community members while learning the basics about how City staff and elected officials collaborate with the general public and other governmental agencies to improve our community.

Since its inception, the program has motivated people become more involved. In fact, many of our 175 graduates remain engaged as volunteers, including several on City boards and commissions.

We live in a divisive time when many people rely on information from those in their social media bubble. I've heard alumni of our Civics Academy describe their experience as a refreshing and positive opportunity to meet neighbors and participate in direct fact-based discussions with elected officials and staff. Participants leave with a first-hand knowl-

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edge of what makes Wilsonville unique and of the work being done to build and maintain our city; many feel empowered to contribute their own time and expertise.

The Civics Academy program consists of about eight Thursday evening meetings; participants attend about 20 hours of classroom-style lectures, discussions and other exercises. The program accepts about 25 people, and reserves up to two spots for high-school students.

I encourage you to apply by Oct. 31 if you're interested in making Wilsonville an even better place. The Civics Academy has been instrumental in building a stronger, more diverse roster of community leaders, and I can't say enough good things about it. You can learn more at [ci.wilsonville.or.us/academy](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/academy).

Julie Fitzgerald, Mayor

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## Wilsonville's Miss Teen Oregon

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appearances, support of a charitable organization (Best Buddies International works with people experiencing intellectual and developmental disabilities) and advancing her platform.

That platform — addressing mental health in schools — is timely. Advancing it could benefit many students and families.

“High school counselors are great for guiding students through the college application process, but we need dedicated mental health professionals too,” she said. “They can help students develop coping skills and encourage better mindsets.”

Ochocki created a social media hashtag, #LetsAsk, to promote her cause. She has testified at school boards meetings around the state. In August, she brought her platform before the Wilsonville City Council.

“The #LetsAsk hashtag is about asking school administrators what we could do to better address mental health,” Ochocki said. “It’s also about asking students and staff what support they need.”

Advancing mental health for school-aged students is an idea that is very personal to Ochocki, who remembers having access to a great counselor during her time at Boeckman Creek Primary School. She said she didn’t feel as supported during her middle and high school years.

“There could be great counselors in these schools, but students may not feel comfortable going to them,” she said. “I want mental health professionals at every school and a drive to let people know that the resource is available.”

Photos via Instagram @missorteenusa.

## Mental Health Support Resources Available to Wilsonville Students

Additional resources and more details available at [wlwv.k12.or.us/Page/16476](http://wlwv.k12.or.us/Page/16476)

### Clackamas County Crisis and Support Line 503-655-8585

The Crisis and Support Line phone number is available 24/7. Staff provides support to anyone who might be worried or anxious. Multilingual service.

### Latinx Go Team 971-254-0198

Offers tips on how to reduce stress. They also connect with community resources such as food, rent and utility assistance programs, counseling, etc. They also offer information on how to protect yourself from COVID-19.

### A Safe Place Family Justice Center 24/7 Crisis Line: 503-654-2288

Free services for anyone experiencing or fleeing a domestic violence or sexual violence relationship, and access to Clackamas Women’s Services.

### Racial Equity Support Line-Lines for Life 503-575-3764

The Racial Equity Support Line is staffed by people with lived experience of racism. They offer support to those who are feeling the emotional impacts of racist violence and microaggressions, as well as the emotional impacts of immigration struggles and other cross-cultural issues.

### Safe + Strong Helpline 503-655-8585

The Safe + Strong Helpline is an emotional support and resource referral line that can assist anyone who is struggling and seeking support. Callers do not have to be in a crisis to contact this line. Help is free and available 24/7. Language interpreters are available.

### Al-Anon/Alateen 1-888-4AL-ANON

Support groups for people who have been affected by someone else’s drinking.

### Native Youth Crisis Line 1-877-209-1266

Supports specifically for Native Youth including but not limited to a crisis line, Elder’s Wisdom and connection to other resources.



### Q Space qchatspace.org

Online discussion groups for LGBTQ+ teens. Chat only; no video or audio. Conversations are facilitated by trained staff. Chats offered various times/days, sometimes topical. Website also has lists of other groups. websites and information for LGBTQ+ students and parents.

### The Trevor Project

866-488-7386 or text ‘START’ to 678678  
National organization offering support including but not limited to suicide prevention for LGBTQ youth and their friends. Offers online international peer-to-peer community. Texting service, phone line and instant messages on website open 24/7.

### Youth Era 971-334-9295

Services youth seeking mental health support. Virtual drop-in centers weekdays 3-6 pm on Discord include multiple chat options, video game competitions, cooking classes, mindfulness exercises, watch movies and other activities. Virtual one-on-one peer support. Streaming peer support on Twitch Monday-Friday, 10 am-1 pm and 6 pm-10 pm. Student Support group on Zoom Thursdays from 5-6 pm. LGBTQ+ Empowerment Group on Zoom Wednesdays from 3:45pm-5:15 pm. Multilingual.

### Oregon YouthLine

Call: 877-968-8491 or text ‘teen2teen’ to 839863  
Web: [oregonyouthline.org](http://oregonyouthline.org)  
Free, confidential teen-to-teen crisis and helpline. No problem too big or too small. Teen available from 4-10pm, adults are available by phone all other times.



8200 SW Wilsonville Road  
503-682-2744  
[WilsonvilleLibrary.org](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org)



## Storytime Live at the Barn

Starting Oct. 14, the Library is hosting Family Storytime live from the Stein-Boozier Barn.

Join us at the barn for five Thursday morning shows, Oct. 14-Nov. 18 at 10:30 am (no show on Nov. 11).

Essentially an outdoor space, the barn’s large doors are being opened at both ends to provide optimal ventilation. The barn is unheated, so check the forecast and dress for the weather.

Masks (ages 5+) and physical distancing are required. No food is allowed, so please save your snacks for afterward, outside the barn.

These live Storytime performances are being streamed on YouTube for those unable to attend in person.

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/Storytime](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/Storytime)

## Halloween’s Haunted History



Dr. Bill Thierfelder, professor emeritus and docent at the American Museum of Natural History, traces the origins of Halloween from its ancient

beginnings, through the Reformation and into the 21st Century.

Join us for this informative lecture on Wednesday, Oct. 6, 11 am-12:30 pm

Sign up to receive the Zoom meeting code:

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes)

## A Kindergarten Carnival!

Calling all Kindergartners and their families! You are invited to join us at this year’s virtual Kindergarten Carnival, Oct 6-9.

Pick up your packets from the Children’s Desk. They include a free book, bookmark, STEM activities and more.

Once you have your packet, you’ll be ready to participate in the virtual Kindergarten Carnival on the Beanstack app.

Visit the library website for more information:

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/kindy](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/kindy)

## Write a Novel in Just 30 Days

So, you’ve always wanted to write a novel, but didn’t know where to start? Learn tips and tricks to write a 50,000 word novel in a month.

Saturday, Oct. 16,  
11 am-12:30 pm

Sign up to receive the Zoom meeting code:

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes)



## Upcoming Classes and Events



Wilsonville Library

193 videos • 1,653 views • Updated yesterday

### Library closed Monday, Oct. 11

### Teen Online Lounge Event

Our Friday evening lounge event is just for teens!  
Friday, Oct. 8, 7-8 pm.

For students in grades 6-12. On Zoom: 901-104-467.

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/teens](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/teens)

### Book Club

Live discussion with our reference staff on Zoom.

“Never Let Me Go” by Kazuo Ishiguro  
Thursday, Oct. 28, 6-7 pm

Sign up to receive the meeting code.

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/bookclub](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/bookclub)

### English Class/Conversation Group

Friendly, informal group where non-native speakers can practice speaking English on Mondays at 6 pm.

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/ECG](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/ECG)

### Article Club

Live discussions with our reference staff on Zoom.

“The Ambush That Changed History”  
by Fergus M. Bordewich

Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1-1:30 pm

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org/articleclub](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org/articleclub)

Visit our website for more events:

[WilsonvilleLibrary.org](http://WilsonvilleLibrary.org)





## Apply to Civics Academy to Get an Inside Look at City Operations

The City is now accepting applications from residents interested in joining the 2022 Wilsonville Civics Academy (formerly the Citizens Academy).

The City's annual program is a good fit for any resident who seeks more active engagement with the Wilsonville community.

The curriculum includes presentations from City staff and other information to prepare participants for future service with City boards or non-profit agencies.

"The work of the City is much broader and more complex than many people realize," said City Council President Kristin Akervall, a 2015

***"The work of the City is much broader and more complex than many people realize."***  
—Kristin Akervall, Civics Academy alumnus and City Council President

graduate. "Joining the Academy was enlightening, and helped me arrive at the exciting conclusion that it is possible to make an impact in local government."

Any resident over the age of 16 may apply to participate in this free program, which is capped at about 25 participants. The program meets one

Thursday evening each month, 6-8:30 pm, between Dec. 2021 and June 2022. The City is prepared to hold program meetings virtually, via Zoom, should

**2022 Civics Academy**  
**Apply by Sun, Oct. 31**  
[ci.wilsonville.or.us/academy](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/academy)

COVID-19 safety precautions remain necessary.

The Civics Academy is

designed to increase public engagement by offering more in-depth knowledge about City departments and services than one can obtain by reading the Boones Ferry Messenger or relying on word of mouth.

Participants collaborate with other civic-minded community members, meet with elected officials and can participate in optional day trips to the State Capitol and the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility.

The educational program also helps attendees delineate between responsibilities of City staff and elected officials and learn about public meeting requirements.

Applications may be submitted until Oct. 31. The online application is available in English and Spanish at [ci.wilsonville.or.us/academy](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/academy).

To learn more, please contact Zoe Mombert at [mombert@ci.wilsonville.or.us](mailto:mombert@ci.wilsonville.or.us) or 503-570-1503.

## Charbonneau Festival of Arts Postponed Until June 2022

The Board of Directors of Charbonneau Arts Association (CAA) has postponed the 38th Annual Charbonneau Festival of the Arts, which had been scheduled to take place in November.

"Art with Flair" has been rescheduled for June 3-5, 2022, when better weather allows festival organizers to take advantage of the Charbonneau's outdoor amenities.



The new date also allows an opportunity to seek collaboration with Wilsonville Arts and Culture Council, which traditionally hosts its annual festival in June.

"We will be reconnecting with all registered artists and musicians to help make it easier for them to transition to the June live and virtual show," said CAA Board Vice President Elaine Swyt.

A virtual festival was held last fall, which funded the non-profit's annual donations to the art programs at Wilsonville and Canby High Schools.

Charbonneau Arts Association's sole fund-raising goal is to support arts education for students in Wilsonville and Canby. Funds raised by CAA support student participation in scholastic art competitions, professional gallery exhibitions, art supplies and classroom experiences.

**Charbonneau Festival of Arts**  
**June 2-4, 2022**  
[charbonneauarts.org](http://charbonneauarts.org)

The CAA was established in 1982 by Charbonneau artists to share their love

of art with others. The Charbonneau Festival of Arts has grown to one of the largest festivals in the area (and the oldest), featuring artists from Wilsonville and nearby cities.

Join the CAA, donate or learn more about the organization at [charbonneauarts.org](http://charbonneauarts.org).



503-682-7790 RideSMART.com  
28879 SW Boberg Road

### Caution: School Kids Are Crossing

School-aged kids have resumed in-person learning, so remain aware when kids are walking, biking and rolling through your neighborhood. School routes are everywhere. #DriveLikeIt



### Take the Challenge: Bike to Work!

The Get There Challenge takes place Oct. 4-17, incentivizing alternatives to car travel. Participants can unlock skill-building achievements and log bike/ped commutes and remote work days for a chance to win prizes, including a \$500 Visa gift card. Challenge yourself and help make Oregon an even better place to live, work, and play. Learn more and sign up at [getthereoregon.org](http://getthereoregon.org).

### SMART Launches Innovative "Bus on Shoulder" Pilot on Nov. 1

The Oregon Department of Transportation is collaborating with South Metro Area Regional Transit to support more reliable travel.

Beginning in November, SMART 2X buses to/from Tualatin are using the highway shoulder to expedite travel times.



This innovative one-year "Bus on Shoulder" pilot project operates on a two-mile stretch of Interstate 5, in both directions, between the I-205 interchange and Elligsen Rd.

Authorized SMART buses may use the shoulder in clearly marked areas when traffic speeds drop below 35 mph; buses must yield to emergency use of the shoulder.

Passenger and freight vehicles may not use the shoulder except in the case of emergencies, which may include vehicle breakdowns, avoidance of road obstruction, or allowing an emergency vehicle to pass.

Bus on Shoulder projects have been

effective at getting commuters through congestion points faster, safely and cost-effectively. The program provides SMART customers with a quicker, smoother ride and a more reliable commute.

To introduce the pilot project, SMART is hosting a kick-off event on Oct. 26 at noon at the Wilsonville Transit Center. The free event is open to the public.

Visit [tinyURL/i5busonshoulder](http://tinyURL/i5busonshoulder) to learn more or contact Don Hamilton, don.hamilton@odot.state.or.us, 503-731-8265.

For ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) or Civil Rights Title VI accommodations, translation/interpretation services, or more information call 503-731-4128,

TTY 800-735-2900 or Oregon Relay Service 7-1-1.

¿Habla usted español? Podemos proveer la información en esta publicación en español. Para recibir la información en español, por favor llámé al 503-731-4128.



### WACC Exhibition to Honor “Helpers,” Showcase Work of 20 Local Artists

On Saturday, Oct. 23, The Wilsonville Arts & Culture Council (WACC) plans to celebrate its Community Portrait Project with a 10 am event at the former site of the Wilsonville Arts & Technology School, 29796 SW Town Center Loop E.



Last year, WACC sought to recognize Wilsonville’s “helpers” — people who are always helping, especially when help is most needed — by collecting their stories and photos and commissioning students to create narrative portraits to honor and celebrate their kindness.

**Community Portrait Project Celebration**  
**Sat, Oct. 23, 10 am**  
 Former Arts & Technology School  
 29796 SW Town Center Loop E

The Oct. 23 exhibit includes about 20 original portraits. WACC is

also displaying the portraits on its website and they may also tour locations throughout Wilsonville this fall.

Please note that the event may be adapted, as necessary, to adjust to COVID-19 protocols in place at that time.

Find more information at [wilsonvillearts.org](http://wilsonvillearts.org).



Christopher Shotola-Hardt, by Max C.



Tom Styczynsk, by Kiki L.

### City Seeks to Fund New Community Enhancement Projects

Each year, the City receives \$1 from Metro for every ton of wet waste processed in Wilsonville at Republic Services. These Community Enhancement Funds are re-invested in local community improvement projects nominated and led by individuals, businesses, non-profits and/or City staff.

The City is seeking new projects to consider funding when nominations open in November.

The criteria established by Metro and the City stipulate that a project must meet at least one of the following goals to qualify for funding consideration:

- Improve the appearance or environmental quality of the community.
- Reduce the amount or toxicity of waste.
- Increase reuse and recycling opportunities.
- Result in rehabilitation or upgrade of real or personal property owned or operated by a non-profit organization.
- Result in the preservation or enhancement of wildlife, riparian zones, wetlands, forestlands and marine areas, and/or improve the public awareness and the opportunities to enjoy them.
- Result in improvement to, or an increase in, recreational areas and programs.
- Result in improvement in safety.
- Benefit youth, seniors, low income persons or underserved populations

Those who are interested in nominating projects will have multiple opportunities to discuss prospective applications with staff during virtual information sessions to be scheduled with program administrators.



The addition of “Beauty and the Bridge” interpretive signage at the I-5 Underpass was one recent project funded by the Wilsonville-Metro Community Enhancement Program.

Applications are open Nov. 2-Jan. 29, providing applicants with time to meet with City staff and prepare their proposals.

This program has funded a significant number of community projects, including the Art and Culture Survey and Strategic Plan, Beauty and the Bridge Interpretive Signs, the Graham Oaks Nature Park Pedestrian Safety Crossing, the Community Reader Board and Wilsonville Public Library Signage, the 2017 Community Health Fair, the Clackamas Community College-Wilsonville Campus Public Art Project, and many others.

The City expects to have a smaller funding budget available for 2022 after a special allocation in the last fiscal year of about \$80,000 to mitigate damage from February’s ice storms.

To learn more, contact Zoe Mombert, Assistant to the City Manager, 503-570-1503, [mombert@ci.wilsonville.or.us](mailto:mombert@ci.wilsonville.or.us).



Parks & Rec Administration  
 29600 SW Park Pl.  
 503-783-7529

Community Center  
 7965 SW Wilsonville Rd.  
 503-682-3727



#### Join Us at the 2021 Fall Harvest Festival

Mark your calendars for this year’s annual Harvest Festival on Saturday, Oct. 16, 10 am-1pm, at Murase Plaza. In lieu of an event fee, Parks and Rec is accepting donations for Wilsonville Community Sharing.

Our signature fall event features live music, free pumpkins, a live Storytime with the Wilsonville Library, crafts, a scavenger hunt and more! Event activities are being spread out to promote social distancing, and masks must be worn when social distancing cannot be maintained.

Visit us online at [WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/HarvestFestival](http://WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/HarvestFestival) for a complete event schedule and additional details.

#### We Need Daffodil Day Volunteers!

Join Parks Maintenance Specialist Chris Delk for Daffodil Day, Saturday, Oct. 23, 9 am-noon.

We’re seeking volunteers to help us plant roughly 2,000 daffodil bulbs along the Oak Woodland Walk behind Wood Middle School. If you’re interested, please pre-register at [WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/Daffodils](http://WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/Daffodils)

#### Sister City Board Sets Three-Year Plan

The Kitakata Sister City Advisory Board recently completed a facilitation process to create a three-year work plan. The board hopes to host a variety of events to get more community members involved in its cultural programs and exchanges.

The board is interested in local business sponsors, and seeks to connect sponsors with similar companies in Kitakata, Japan, for knowledge sharing and potential product exchanges.

The work plan goals and actions include:

1. Strengthen the relationship through development of a shared vision and goals with Kitakata.
2. Increase community awareness of the Kitakata Sister City Program.
3. Engage Wilsonville’s youth in the Sister City Program through expanded education and offerings.
4. Raise funds for the Kitakata Sister City program.
5. Foster connections, and build awareness of the program within the business community.

#### New Nature Play Area in Memorial Park

A new nature play area is scheduled to open in Memorial Park in late October or early November. This new play area is located on the south side of Memorial Park towards the river, just East of the River Shelter.

The nature play area features a boulder cabin, a stick fort, a hallowed out log canoe, and other ‘self-directed’ play features designed to give kids a space for unstructured, self-directed, and creative free play.

By foregoing classic playground structures, kids are encouraged to use their imagination and work with elements in nature to create new games and problem solve.

In the wise words of Fred Rogers, “play is often talked about as if it were a relief from serious learning. But for children, play is serious learning. Play is really the work of childhood.”

Visit [WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/NaturePlay](http://WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/NaturePlay) for more information.

### Upcoming Classes and Events

**Honey Flow Vinyasa Yoga**  
 Thursdays, Nov. 4 - Dec. 23  
 (no class Nov. 11, Nov. 25)  
 5:15- 6:15 pm  
 Community Center  
 \$80  
 Course #: 9995

**Life 101 Lecture**  
 Take the Right Steps - Fall Prevention  
 Mon., Oct. 25, 10:30-11:45 am  
 Community Center  
 No Charge, please call to register

**Oil Painting- “Secluded Bridge”**  
 Tues., Nov. 2, 5:30-9 pm  
 Parks and Rec Admin. Bldg.  
 \$50  
 Course #: 9985

**Everyone is an Artist, Exploring Watercolor**  
 Tuesdays, Nov. 9-Dec. 14  
 10:10 am-12:10 pm  
 Virtual - Zoom  
 \$75  
 Course #: 9964

**Beginner Water Color**  
 Tuesdays, Nov. 9-Dec. 4  
 1-3 pm  
 Virtual - Zoom  
 \$75

Visit our website for more events:

**WilsonvilleParksandRec.com**

Lose an item in a City Park?  
 Our lost and found (at 29600 SW Park Pl.) is open M-F 8 am-5 pm. You can also call 503-783-7529.

**POLICE CHIEF'S CORNER**

**School Safety Remains in Good Hands with New SRO Hire**

As the school year begins and (hopefully) some sense of normalcy, I am excited to announce the continuation of our partnership with the West Linn-Wilsonville School District to provide the School Resource Officer (SRO) program.



Police Chief Rob Wurpes

I am proud of the hard work our Wilsonville SROs have done, and pleased to introduce the program's newest SRO, Deputy Zach Keirse. He inherits a challenging and important role that includes supervision of three primary schools, three middle schools and Wilsonville High School.

Zach has been with the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office since 2014, serving most recently as a patrol officer here in Wilsonville. He has a Bachelor's degree



Deputy Zach Keirse is the new School Resource Officer.

from Portland State University in Business Administration: Advertising Management, and is always looking for new creative ways to support the community he serves. Zach enjoys traveling, hiking, white-water rafting, and volunteering for an Portland-metro area non-profit organization.

His role is to provide a safe learning environment in our schools, provide resources to school staff, foster positive relationships with students, develop strategies to

resolve problems affecting our youth, and protect all students so that they may reach their potential.

His duties include:

- Investigating criminal incidents on school grounds
- Investigating threats made to the school and/or students
- Assisting school counselors and staff with student and parent counseling on school- and home-related incidents
- Speaking to students at the request of teachers
- Resolving parking issues at the high school
- Enforcing traffic laws within school zones
- Assisting patrol with follow up investigations involving students and juveniles in Wilsonville schools
- Supporting the Clackamas County Juvenile Department to assist with action planning
- Working with our Juvenile Probation and Juvenile Counselors
- Working closely with Health Housing and Human Services (H3S)
- Aiding district administrators and in the development of school safety plans
- Addressing questions and concerns from students, teachers, parents and administrators during school hours.
- Attending major school events (home sporting events, dances, etc.)

The role is multi-faceted, and includes much more than just enforcing laws. An effective SRO must be flexible, acting as an educator and informal counselor as well as a law enforcement officer.

I am confident Deputy Keirse will be a fantastic fit, and an asset to our community of students and educators. Please join me in welcoming him to the West Linn-Wilsonville School District!

*Chief Robert Wurpes*

**Practice Earthquake Preparedness During Annual Great Oregon ShakeOut**

A major Cascadia Subduction Zone earthquake is believed to be inevitable.

Planning ahead can help mitigate the consequences of a catastrophic earthquake.

The Great Oregon ShakeOut is an annual earthquake safety drill and preparedness event. Join in and practice taking cover on Thursday, Oct. 21 at 10:21 am.

**Drop, Cover and Hold On**

Immediately Drop, Cover, and Hold On! to reduce your chance of injury when shaking begins, as it's impossible to know an earthquake's intensity.

**DROP where you are, onto your hands and knees.**

This position protects you from being knocked over and allows you to stay low and crawl to a safer area.

**COVER your head and neck with one arm/hand.**

If a sturdy table or desk is nearby, crawl underneath.



If there's no nearby shelter, crawl next to an interior wall (away from windows). Stay on your knees; bend over to protect vital organs

**HOLD ON until the shaking stops.** If under shelter, hold on to it with one hand and be ready to

move with your shelter if it shifts. If not sheltered, hold on to your head and neck with both arms and hands. Do not move outside to another location. Quakes occur without warning and may be violent enough to prevent running or crawling. People are more likely to be injured if moving during strong shaking.

You never know if the first jolt of an earthquake is the start of 'the big one,' so always Drop, Cover and Hold On!

Create your family's disaster preparedness plan, so you're better prepared for the aftermath of a major earthquake. Learn more at [ShakeOut.org/Oregon](http://ShakeOut.org/Oregon).

**Hello, Dolly!**

At the City's Community Block Party in August, City Councilor Charlotte Lehan (second from left) and Wilsonville Mayor Julie Fitzgerald (right) posed with representatives of the Wilsonville Library Foundation.

The Library Foundation was raising awareness for Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, a youth literacy non-profit that mails free books each month to kids under the age of 5 years old.

To learn more about how your child can get free books and/or sign up, visit [wplf.org/dolly-parton-il/](http://wplf.org/dolly-parton-il/)



**Voters to See TVF&R Bond Measure on November Ballot This Year**

This November, voters will have the opportunity to vote on whether Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue can issue \$122 million in proposed general obligation bonds for emergency services.



If the proposed bond measure were to pass, TVF&R would use proceeds to:

- Replace response vehicles as they reach the end of their usable life, including fire engines, trucks, and medical vehicles used throughout the District.
- Fund fire station projects including seismic upgrades, security features, expansions, or living quarter modifications at 10 of 29 stations
- Rebuild the King City fire station at the existing location.
- Relocate the Aloha fire station to a more central location for local and regional response.
- Fund safety upgrades for TVF&R's training center where responders practice fire suppression, emergency medical care, technical rescue, hazardous material response, and other emergency skills.
- Purchase land for future fire stations in areas where growth is expected to occur.

**Would Property Tax Rates Increase?**

Due to declining debt on existing bonds, the proposed measure would maintain the current rate of \$0.1415 per \$1,000 of assessed value unless assessed property values decline. For property assessed at \$300,000, about average in TVF&R's service area, the estimated cost of the proposed bonds would continue to be about \$42.45 per year or \$3.54 per month if the measure passes. Assessed value is currently between 36-38% lower than market value.

The total tax rate for TVF&R is currently \$2.1167 per \$1,000 of assessed value, which includes:

- \$1.5252 Permanent Rate
- \$0.45 Local Option Levy
- \$0.1415 General Obligation Bond

**What if the Measure Does Not Pass?**

If the proposed bond measure does not pass, the proposed safety projects, land, and equipment purchases would not be completed, and the tax rate would decrease.

For more information or to schedule a presentation, call Cassandra Ulven at 503-649-8577.

*This information was reviewed by the Oregon Secretary of State's Office for compliance with ORS 260.432. The assigned approval number SH21-065.*

**TVF&R Promotes Karen Bureker, District's First Female Captain**

Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue made history in September with the promotion of its first female captain, Karen Bureker.

Bureker began her career at TVF&R 19 years ago as a firefighter paramedic. In 2006, she promoted to apparatus operator followed by a promotion to lieutenant in 2014.



"She leads by example and has the ability to manage both incidents and personnel extremely well," Fire Chief Deric Weiss said. "Beyond firefighting, she has led initiatives that have made the District more welcoming to all, and I look forward to watching her continued growth and leadership."

According to a study released by the National Fire Protection Association, only 4% of career firefighters in the U.S. are female. As of today, TVF&R is hovering at just over 7%.

While progress is being made, there is still a need to forge ahead with efforts to increase diversity in the fire service. The District is committed to building a more diverse workforce that is reflective of the communities we serve and creating an inclusive and welcoming environment for everyone.

## Streetscape Plan, Wilsonville Middle Housing Project Scheduled for Adoption

In September, the Town Center Streetscape Plan and the Wilsonville Middle Housing Project were both recommended for adoption by the City’s Planning Commission.

Now both Planning Department initiatives are scheduled to be considered for adoption at public hearings during the City Council’s virtual meeting on Monday, Oct. 4.

To learn more about both plans:

- Visit [ci.wilsonville.or.us/streetscapeplan](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/streetscapeplan) to review the Streetscape Plan, which establishes design guidelines for sidewalks and streets to create a distinct look and feel for Wilsonville Town Center.

- Visit [letstalkwilsonville.com/middle-housing-code-update](http://letstalkwilsonville.com/middle-housing-code-update) to review the Wilsonville Middle Housing Plan, which updates residential code to comply with Oregon House Bill 2001 and meet future housing needs.

Oral or written testimony may be presented at public hearings. Written comment may be submitted in advance. Meeting agendas include instructions for submitting public testimony in advance or at the meeting.

To access agendas and materials for any City Board or Commission meeting, visit [ci.wilsonville.or.us/meetings](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/meetings).

## City News

### City Manager Bryan Cosgrove Signs New Four-Year Contract

At the Aug. 2 meeting of the Wilsonville City Council, the City Council unanimously voted to extend the employment agreement with City Manager Bryan Cosgrove for four years, through June 2025.



The Council noted Cosgrove’s fiscal management, team-building acumen and leadership navigating the City through the ongoing pandemic.

“I appreciate the confidence, and I do want to redirect a lot of the comments I heard back to my staff and to you,” Cosgrove told the Council. “It takes a Council to set a vision and stick with it; that continuity of vision is very important. And it takes a very talented, team-oriented staff to carry out that vision.”

Cosgrove joined the City of Wilsonville in 2011 after a nine-year stint as the City Manager for the City of Silverton, Ore.

### Keith Katko Appointed as City’s New Finance Director

Keith Katko, who has more than 22 years of municipal finance experience with the City of Wilsonville, has been appointed to serve as the City’s new Finance Director.



Katko replaces Cathy Rodocker, who retired in June 2021. He most recently served as the City’s Assistant Finance Director, since 2018. For the 10 years immediately prior to that, he was the Finance Department’s Operations Manager. He joined the City’s Finance Department as an Accountant in 1999.

“I am immensely proud to be able to contribute to an ongoing legacy of financial responsibility in Wilsonville, and to serve the Wilsonville community in this capacity,” Katko said. “I have a passion for accounting, and I enjoy the challenges, opportunities and the diverse set of responsibilities associated with municipal finance.”

During his tenure with the City, Katko has collected comprehensive expertise in several municipal financial functions, including treasury, investments, debt management, grants, change management, budget preparation, financial forecasting, internal control, fund accounting, capital project accounting, urban renewal, database report writing, financial reporting and presentation and finance department operation.

“Keith is a collaborative and reliable leader who understands Wilsonville’s finances intricately,” Cosgrove said. “His skills, commitment and integrity made him the right choice.”

Katherine Smith, the Finance Operations Manager, is stepping into Katko’s former role as the City’s Assistant Finance Director.

The City of Wilsonville has a \$47.6 million FY 2021-22 operating budget, a \$46.9 capital projects budget, and an all-funds budget of \$241.8 million.

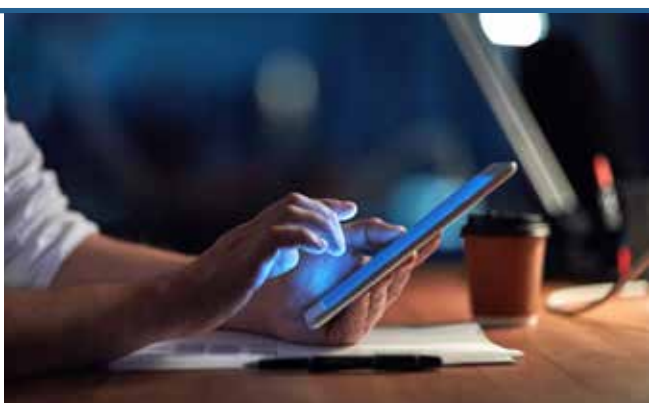
For 23 consecutive years, The Finance Department has been honored by the Government Financial Officers Association (GFOA) for excellence in financial reporting.

## Notable Actions: City Boards and Commissions

City Council	Action	What it Means
Sept. 9	The City Council approved the adoption of the Twist Bioscience Wilsonville Investment Now (WIN) Zone.	The designation provides property-tax rebates to California-based Twist Bioscience, which plans to invest \$70 million in capital improvements at the site and create 200 jobs in within its first year.
Sept. 9	The Council adopted a new collective bargaining agreement between the City of Wilsonville and Wilsonville Municipal Employees Association (WilMEA).	The three-year agreement is in effect through June 30, 2024.
Aug. 16	The Council approved a resolution that authorizes the City Manager to execute an agreement with Kiewit Infrastructure West Co. to provide preconstruction services for the Willamette River Water Treatment Plant Expansion project.	The project is to expand the plant’s capacity from 15 million gallons per day (MGD) to 20 MGD to meet projected growth in Wilsonville and Sherwood.
Aug. 16	The Council also adopted a resolution allowing NW Natural Gas to install and maintain high-pressure gas delivery equipment at SMART Transit.	The project accommodates the City’s growing fleet of Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) vehicles.
Aug. 16	The Council approved the sole-source selection of Friends of Trees for a one-year contract for tree-planting services.	The agreement enables the non-profit to partner with the City on a project to replace trees lost to the February 2021 ice storm, both on public rights-of-way and in residential neighborhoods.
Aug. 16	The Council approved Mayor Julie Fitzgerald’s recommended appointments to the Kitakata Sister City Advisory Board.	Srurthy Menon (through 12/31/23) and Kevin Stewart (through 12/31/2021) have been appointed to the board.
Aug. 2	The Council approved a special allocation of \$80,500 in Community Enhancement funds at the recommendation of the Wilsonville-Metro Community Enhancement Committee.	Funding was allocated exclusively in support of projects that aid residents in grinding stumps, rehabilitating trees or cleaning up Significant Resource Overlay Zones damaged in February’s ice storm.
Aug. 2	The Council authorized the City’s use of an alternative contracting method to contract the Boeckman Road Corridor Project.	Progressive Design Build (PDB) contracting provides better coordination and collaboration on the Boeckman Dip Bridge project and three interconnected projects along the Boeckman Road corridor, lowering expenses.
Aug. 2	The Council extended the employment agreement with City Manager Bryan Cosgrove.	A new four-year contract extends Cosgrove’s contract through June 2025.
July 19	The Council approved an intergovernmental agreement with the City of Sherwood to share the costs of a project to increase the intake capacity of the Water Treatment Plant	The project, to accommodate future growth in both cities, is expected to get underway next year.
July 19	The Council also approved two intergovernmental overnight loan agreements between the City and the Urban Renewal Agency.	Required by State urban renewal law, these transactions provide resources to fund work on the 5th St./Kinsman Rd. extension, the “Boeckman Dip” bridge and Brown Rd.
July 19	The Council authorized the City Manager to execute an agreement with PFM Financial Advisors, LLC for financial advisory services.	Advisors assist the City on a wide variety of services related to capital financial planning, cost benefit analyses and keeping up to date with financial markets.
July 19	The Council approved a new three-year contract with Metereaders LLC to provide meter reading services to the Finance department.	Data provided by Metereaders is used to generate utility bills for residential and commercial water customers.
July 19	The Council passed a pair of resolutions in support of the City’s request for grant funding from the Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD).	One grant would substantially fund the 2023 Wilsonville Housing Needs Analysis; the other funds additional work by staff and consultants on housing affordability components of the Frog Pond East and South Master Plan.

## Stay Informed

- Sign up to receive City news:
- Follow City of Wilsonville: Facebook, Nextdoor and Twitter
- Watch City Council meetings:  
Online: [ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV)  
Comcast/Xfinity: Channel 30  
Zipty Fiber: Channel 32



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## Leaves Swept Into Roadways Pollute Water, Cause Flood Damage

Full leaves sure look beautiful ... until they are clogging storm drains, flooding roadways and polluting the water in local streams and rivers!



The City reminds residents to avoid raking or blowing fall leaves, grass clippings or any other yard debris onto streets, as these items cannot be removed effectively by street sweepers. The accumulation of leaves on streets also endangers motorists and bike riders, whose tires may slip on wet leaves.

Leaves and other yard debris also harm waterways, and can starve fish by depleting oxygen as they decay.

Help keep our community healthy and livable by responsibly collecting and disposing of leaves.

Republic Services collects leaves in residential yard-debris carts. Avoid compacting debris; overweight barrels create collection problems for cart lifts. Use recyclable or biodegradable lawn and leaf bags (available at hardware stores) and set them beside your debris cart for collection.

Other disposal methods:

1. Composting: Develop your own organic matter that can be used like soil to repel weeds and retain moisture. Plenty of online tutorials cover the basics to get you started.
2. Recycle: Leaves and other yard debris can be off-loaded at two nearby locations:
  - Grimm's Fuel, 18850 SW Cipole Rd., Tualatin, 503-692-3756
  - S&H Recycling, 20200 SW Stafford Rd., Tualatin, 503-638-4909
3. Bring them to Wilsonville's Leaf Drop-Off Day on Nov. 20 (see page 8).  
Your extra efforts improve roadway safety, prevent flooding and protect the aquatic habitat.

## Planting Trees Lowers Water Temperatures, Helps Native Fish Flourish

The Willamette River's native fish need cool, clean water to survive summer heat.



During July and August, the temperature of the Willamette River in Wilsonville regularly exceeds 68 degrees. Salmon populations become stressed in water temperatures above 68 degrees, and suffer increased mortality rates in water that exceeds 70 degrees.

Planting trees along streams, such as Boeckman Creek, shades the water from solar heat so cooler water reaches the Willamette River. Planting also provides food and habitat for aquatic wildlife and stabilizes erodible soils.

The fall is a great time to plant new trees. The City

encourages property owners who live next to drainage ways and streams to help protect native fish and improve the water quality by planting trees.

### Get Five Free Trees!

To promote healthy cool streams in Wilsonville, the City offers community members and local property owners up to five free native tree seedlings to plant on their property.



The City encourages plantings along streams and other water bodies to reduce stream temperature and pollutants. The trees are obtained from a local nursery.

For more information and to get a tree coupon for five trees, contact Sarah Sand, Stormwater Management Coordinator, at 503-570-1552; sand@ci.wilsonville.or.us.

## Get a Free Kitchen Compost Bucket, Start Recycling Food Scraps

This month, the City of Wilsonville is providing free kitchen compost buckets to Wilsonville residents who have an interest in recycling food scraps.

A Wilsonville-Metro Community Enhancement Grant is funding the giveaway of 500 1.3-gallon compost buckets, as well as educational workshops and programs on the value of recycling and composting.

Kitchen compost buckets make it easy to collect food scraps for composting. Collect food scraps in your bucket and — when your bucket is full — deposit your scraps in your green Republic Services yard debris bin for weekly removal.



The City is giving away 500 free kitchen compost buckets to encourage food scrap recycling.

Food waste represents about 20 percent of materials sent to landfills, according to Metro. As this food decomposes, it creates methane, a powerful contributor to climate change. Your participation helps the climate and also keeps harmful grease, fats and oils out of garbage disposals to give our sewer system a break.

Beginning Monday, Oct. 11, Wilsonville residents may pick up compost buckets at the Wilsonville Community Center (7965 SW Wilsonville Rd) and the Parks & Recreation Admin. Building (29600 Park Pl) any weekday between 8 am and 5pm. Buckets may also be picked up at the Oct. 16 Fall Harvest Festival. Proof of residency is required and there is a limit of one bucket per household.

The Wilsonville Library is hosting a compost-themed StoryTime in-person on Thursday, Oct. 14, 10:30am, at the Stein-Boozier Barn."

### Composting Classes

Wilsonville Parks & Recreation is inviting residents to attend free educational workshops and classes on composting, recycling, and sustainability. Virtual classes are scheduled Oct. 9 and Oct. 23.

Additionally, interested parties can visit the Wilsonville Community Center to attend a 'Vermicomposting 101' class on Oct. 9. Participants of the Vermicomposting class will receive their own worm bin, along with a compost bucket.

To view the full schedule of educational workshops and classes, please visit [WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/Compost](http://WilsonvilleParksandRec.com/Compost)

For more information, contact Erica Behler, Recreation Coordinator, at 503-570-1525, or behler@ci.wilsonville.or.us



## Community Planting Event Set for Oct. 23; Get a New or Replacement Street Tree

Portland-area non-profit Friends of Trees has partnered with the City of Wilsonville to replace street trees removed after February's ice storm and to plant new trees for those interested.

Street trees are generally located in front or side yards, or between curbs and public sidewalks. Their benefits including shielding the sun, absorbing storm water and increasing property values.

For \$35 per tree, registrants may select a street tree from a pre-approved list of varieties; the City is covering the balance of the planting costs. See the list of trees available, and sign up at [friendsoftrees.org](http://friendsoftrees.org).

Friends of Trees is planting trees throughout Wilsonville on Saturday, Oct. 23. The deadline to order trees for this planting event is Monday, Oct. 4.

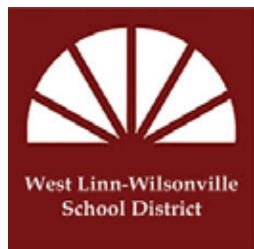


## Briefs

### West Linn-Wilsonville Schools Welcome Students Back to the Classroom

West Linn-Wilsonville schools opened their doors for students on Sept. 8, marking a return to fully in-person learning for the first time since March 2020.

The district's schools have several health and safety protocols in place to start the school year, including face coverings for all staff and students while indoors, a screening process, increased ventilation, and optional COVID-19 testing (among other safety measures). Students, staff, and families have adapted to new practices



and protocols, allowing for a successful start to the school year.

Schools have focused on building care and connection with students in the first few days back in the classroom, creating strong relationships to bolster school community.

To learn more about the start of the school year, including ways in which the community can stay involved with the district's Family Empowerment Center, please visit the district website at [wlwv.k12.or.us](http://wlwv.k12.or.us).

### U.S. News & World Report Lists Oregon Tech Among Nation's Best Colleges

Oregon Institute of Technology ranks among the nation's best universities in multiple categories in the newly-released U.S. News and World Report "Best Colleges" rankings.

The report lists Oregon Tech at No. 2 Top Public College in the West, No. 10 Best Western Regional Colleges and No. 62 Best Undergraduate Engineering Programs.

The overall university rankings, published annually since 1983, are based on several criteria, including graduation and retention rates, graduation rate performance, social mobility, faculty resources, expert opinion, student excellence, financial resources and alumni giving. The publication places the heaviest weight on student outcomes, including analyzing schools' success at retaining and graduating students within a six-year time range.

The undergraduate engineering program rankings are based on peer assessment surveys. To appear on an undergraduate engineering survey, a school must have an undergraduate engineering program accredited by ABET. Oregon Tech is also featured as a Top Performer on Social Mobility for advancing social mobility by enrolling and graduating large propor-

tions of disadvantaged students awarded with Pell Grants.

Full 2021 U.S. News university rankings can be found at [usnews.com/colleges](http://usnews.com/colleges).

Oregon Tech has also been ranked No. 23 overall for 2021 Bachelor's Colleges in the United States by Washington Monthly magazine, a ranking based on contribution to the public good in three broad categories: social mobility, research, and promoting public service.

Also, Oregon Tech is ranked No. 39 among Western schools in Washington Monthly's "Best Bang For The Buck" category of how well a college helps non-wealthy students attain marketable degrees at affordable prices—the top ranking among Oregon universities.

The news coincides with PayScale's annual Return on Investment (ROI) ranking, based on graduates' return on tuition and borrowing investments and places Oregon Tech alumni as the second-highest ROI in Oregon.

To view a complete list of Oregon Tech accolades, visit [oit.edu/news/university-accolades-rankings](http://oit.edu/news/university-accolades-rankings)



## Shred-It Day! Dispose of Sensitive Paper Documents on Nov. 6



materials for shredding in the City Hall parking lot, 9 am-2 pm.

Shred-it has “contactless” protocols in place to prevent the transmission of COVID-19. Residents are invited to drive up and unload paper items only into large recycling bins. Each bin is rolled to the nearby truck when full, so that contents may be immediately shredded.

**Paper Shredding Event**  
**Sat, Nov. 6, 9 am-2 pm**  
 City Hall Parking Lot  
 29799 SW Town Ctr. Loop E.

There is no charge for this event. Instead, the City is asking participants to make a donation on site (cash or check) to Wilsonville Community Sharing for the benefit of our neighbors experiencing need.

The City is once again partnering with Shred-it this year to provide a secure way for residents to dispose of sensitive documents.

On Saturday, Nov. 6, residents can bring paper

## Get Your Rake Ready! Fall Leaf Drop at City Hall Set for Nov. 20

In partnership with Republic Services, the City hosts the annual Leaf Drop-Off Day on Saturday, Nov. 20, 9 am-2 pm.

**Leaf Drop-Off Day**  
**Sat, Nov. 20, 9 am-2 pm**  
 Wilsonville City Hall  
 29799 SW Town Center Loop E.

Wilsonville residents are invited to drop-off leaves only — no other yard debris,

please! — at the City Hall parking lot, 29799 SW Town Center Loop East.

City Public Works employees will be on hand to assist residents with disposing of leaves into large dumpsters provided by Republic Services.

While no fee is charged for dropping-off leaves, the City suggests that participants bring a cash or check donation for Wilsonville Community

Sharing, operator of the community food bank and social-services referral agency. Learn more at [WilsonvilleCommunitySharing.org](http://WilsonvilleCommunitySharing.org).

The City recommends that residents use large paper bags available from local hardware stores that can be recycled with leaves — rather than using plastic bags that are not recyclable.

The leaf-collection event is a component of Republic Services’ franchise agreement for solid-waste collection and disposal services with the City of Wilsonville.



## Clackamas County Has Resources for People Experiencing Food Insecurity

Free food is available in and near Wilsonville for people in need. For food assistance across Clackamas County, please visit: [clackamas.us/coronavirus/resources#food](http://clackamas.us/coronavirus/resources#food) or try the following community resources.

**Oregon Food Bank’s Food Finder** locates affiliated pantries that are currently offering food: [oregonfoodbank.org/find-help/find-food](http://oregonfoodbank.org/find-help/find-food)

- **Tualatin Food Pantry** ([schoolhousepantry.org](http://schoolhousepantry.org)) is, located on the lower level of Rolling Hills Community Church at 3550 SW Borland Rd, Tualatin. Mondays 4pm-7pm, Wednesdays 10am-1pm, Fridays 10am- 1pm
- **Wilsonville Community Sharing** ([wilsonvillecommunitysharing.org](http://wilsonvillecommunitysharing.org)) is located at 28925 SW Boberg Rd, Wilsonville. Tuesdays 12:30-2:30pm, 6-8 pm

### Clackamas County Meals on Wheels

([ccmow.org/meal-program](http://ccmow.org/meal-program)): Offering low-cost home delivered meals to seniors.

- **Wilsonville Community Center**  
 Call 503-682-3727 to arrange delivery.



**211info** provides information and referrals to food resources across Oregon and Southwest Washington, with information about more than 1,000 different food programs and an in-house SNAP (food stamps) advocate who can help people overcome barriers to accessing food stamps.

Visit [211info.org/food](http://211info.org/food).

# City Calendar

For the most up-to-date information, visit [ci.wilsonville.or.us/calendar](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/calendar)

## OCTOBER

4 Mon	• City Council at City Hall 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
5 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
11 Mon	• DRB Panel A 6:30 pm, City Hall (virtual)
12 Tue	• Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Committee Mtg. 6 pm, Art Tech HS
13 Wed	• Planning Commission 6 pm, City Hall (virtual) • Kitakata Sister City Advisory Board 6 pm, virtual
14 Thu	• Parks & Recreation Advisory Board 6 pm, Parks & Rec. Admin. Bldg.
16 Sat	• Fall Harvest Festival Stein-Boozier Barn, 10 am-1 pm
18 Mon	• City Council at City Hall 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
19 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
23 Sat	• Bulky Waste Day 9 am-1 pm, Republic Services
25 Mon	• DRB Panel B 6:30 pm, City Hall
26 Tue	• Bus on Shoulder Program, Test Ride Noon, City Hall
27 Wed	• Library Board Meeting 6:30 pm, Parks & Recreation Building

## NOVEMBER

1 Mon	• City Council at City Hall 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
2 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
6 Sat	• Paper Shredding Event 9 am-2 pm, City Hall
8 Mon	• DRB Panel A 6:30 pm, City Hall
9 Tue	• Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Committee Mtg. 6 pm, City Hall
10 Wed	• Planning Commission 6 pm, City Hall • Kitakata Sister City Advisory Board 6 pm, virtual
11 Thu	• Veterans Day City Offices Closed
15 Mon	• City Council Meeting 5 pm-Work Session, 7 pm-Meeting
16 Tue	• Municipal/Traffic Court 5 pm, City Hall
20 Sat	• Leaf Drop-Off Day 9 am-2 pm, City Hall
22 Mon	• DRB Panel B, 6:30 pm, City Hall
25 Thu	• Thanksgiving Day City Offices Closed
26 Fri	• Thanksgiving Observed City Offices Closed

All dates and times are tentative; check the City’s online calendar for schedule changes at [ci.wilsonville.or.us/calendar](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/calendar)

# Harvest Festival

**OCTOBER 16, 2021**

STEIN BOOZIER BARN  
 MURASE PLAZA, WILSONVILLE OR  
 10 AM - 1 PM

**FREE PUMPKINS**

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**LIVE MUSIC**

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**SCAVENGER HUNT**

**STORY TIME**

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**COSTUME PARADE**

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**PHOTO STATION**

## Vaccine Update

For the up-to-date vaccine news and availability in Clackamas County, visit [clackamas.us/coronavirus/vaccine](http://clackamas.us/coronavirus/vaccine)

## Wilsonville City Council

The City Council usually convenes on the first and third Monday of the month at City Hall, with work session generally starting at 5 pm and meeting at 7 pm. Meetings are broadcast live on Xfinity Ch. 30 and Ziplly Ch. 32 and are replayed periodically. Meetings are also available to stream live or on demand at [ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV](http://ci.wilsonville.or.us/WilsonvilleTV). Public comment is welcome at City Council meetings.



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