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A Note From The City Administrator

It's great that it is now spring time and starting to warm up. Governor Inslee made revisions to the Healthy Washington Plan to include a Phase 3 (which Walla Walla County is currently in) and shifting data analysis for phases from regions back to counties. Phase 3 adds 50% capacity to indoor dining at restaurants and 25% capacity for spectators at outdoor youth athletic events. More information can be found here: <https://medium.com/wagovernor/inslee-announces-statewide-move-to-phase-3-of-recovery-plan-return-to-spectator-events-and-tier-2-4a53000f2724> and State Business Guidance: <https://www.governor.wa.gov/issues/issues/covid-19-resources/covid-19-reopening-guidance-businesses-and-workers>. The State is also offering Round 4 of COVID-19 Emergency Grants for Small Businesses. The application portal is here: <https://commercegrants.com> and opens on March 29th, 2021.

Many interesting items are going through the City's Park, Arbor, and Recreation Board at the moment. The City obtained a State Department of Natural Resources Grant to work on its first ever Urban Forestry Management Plan for City Park and City Federally Classified roadway street trees. Also, planning is going on around what Summer Camp, which is hosted through a collaboration with Campfire and United Way of the Blue Mountains, will look like. A mailer with camp information will be sent with the May newsletter. Thank you to United Way of the Blue Mountains for generously sponsoring our Summer Camp program at Kiwanis Park. The Park, Arbor, and Recreation Board is held the fourth Friday of every month at 8 AM.

Public Works projects are underway this spring. Some key projects are as follows:

- **Meadowbrook Blvd Resurfacing:** The City received a grant from the State Transportation Improvement Board to resurface Meadowbrook from Lamperti to State Route 125. Broken sidewalk panels and ramps are currently getting fixed. It is expected the resurfacing will occur in early to mid-April. A video of the highlights is here: <https://youtu.be/cHpl38P2Eok>.
- **SW Wastewater Trunk Line & Lift Station Replacement:** The City received USDA-Rural Development, State Department of Ecology, State Community Economic Revitalization Board, and Port .09 Grant/Loan Funds to construct a wastewater trunk line and lift station to convey wastewater from all areas of the community south of 12th St to the Wastewater Treatment Plant out on Owens Rd and construction is underway. Crews are excavating the site for the lift station at the end of SW Teal and will then work on constructing the wastewater line along SW Teal, SW Mojonier, and SW Owens, so the County can conduct their Chipseal work on SW

Mojonnier this summer. After this, construction will shift to the S. College Ave corridor and then connecting that with the lift station south on SW Teal Rd. This project will solve capacity issues for the southern extent of the College Place Wastewater System. A project website is located here: http://www.cpwa.us/residents/southwest_college_place_wastewater_trunk_line.php.

- **Central College Place Sidewalks:** The City will construct sidewalks on the east side of SW Davis from 3rd to Whitman, west side of SW Bade from 5th to 6th, west side of SW Bade from 7th to 10th, and SW 12th from College to Bade. This is funded by State Community Development Block Grant. Construction will begin in April. More information can be found on this webpage: http://www.cpwa.us/residents/central_college_place_sidewalks.php.

As you can see the City is undertaking a multitude of projects even while we all deal with the COVID-19 pandemic. I wish to thank city staff for pursuing and successfully obtaining the number of State and Federal grants.

The library is continuing service to College Place residents via curbside delivery, virtual programming, and by appointment library visits throughout the month of April. We will be opening to the public for Phase 3 level service on May 4th. Appointments will not be necessary at that time, however, masks and social distancing will be required.



The College Place Library is hosting an informal poetry discussion via Zoom on Thursday, April 15th. The talk will cover any and all topics community members are interested in, and will be hosted by one of our library staff, a creative writing graduate from the University of Washington. For more information, check out the College Place Library Facebook page, or to register, follow this link: bit.ly/3qEONoW. You can also email ulyse@wwcrl.org with any questions or concerns.

The library will be closed on Good Friday, April 2nd for staff development training.



SonBridge is excited to announce extended store hours beginning April 15th. Our regular hours, Sunday to Tuesday from 10:00 AM-4:00 PM will continue. Our new hours will be on Thursdays from 10:00 AM-7:00 PM. Donations will still be accepted Sunday-Thursday from 10 AM—4 PM. Our extended hours on Thursdays are to allow shoppers with day jobs, that take place during our regular store hours, an opportunity to shop and save money. As we transition from winter to spring, we anticipate many donations from the community as people do their spring cleaning. We would also like to remind readers that we are always accepting donations of all sorts. For a full list of acceptable donations, please visit our website sonbridge.org. Additionally, we are always accepting volunteers to help out in the store. Volunteer opportunities include working at the front of the store, or in the back, sorting and pricing donations.

COVID-19 Virtual Meeting Protocol for Public Comment

When submitting public comments, include both your name and address regardless of the manner you are using. There are three ways to submit a public comment.

- Comments in writing of no more than 1 page (If typed, no less than 11 pt. font) may be submitted **no later than 4:30 PM** on the meeting date to be included in the record.
- Comments may be made by telephone during the meeting by calling a number that will be provided to you upon notification to the City Clerk **no later than 4:30 PM the day of the meeting.** *
- Comments may be made by virtual meeting attendance, with a link that will be provided to your email upon notification to the City Clerk **no later than 4:30 PM the day of the meeting.** *

*If you would like to make a public comment by either phone or virtual attendance, you can contact the City Clerk at Ineissl@cpwa.us or by phone at 509-394-8511 no later than 4:30 PM on the meeting date.



Take Back Weekend

Saturday, April 24th, 10-2, at the Walla Walla PD

54 E Moore St in Walla Walla

Sunday, April 25th, 10-2, at College Place Walmart

SE Corner in the Walmart parking lot



Drug Take Back

Unused / Expired Drugs

NO Oxygen Containers!

NO Chemotherapy Drugs!

NO Mercury thermometers!

NO Radioactive Substances!

NO Sharps mixed in with Drugs!

Needles & Sharps Dumpster will be available.



CI Shred Truck Fundraiser \$\$

Your monetary donation will benefit

Walla Walla
Area Crime Watch



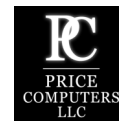
Price

Computers

Will take discarded

computers & electronics

for safe & secure disposal



Junk Tire Disposal

WW County

Residents Only!

From 10am-4pm

Tires only

16 tire limit

per household

No businesses
No semi-truck tires

Due to Covid all take back items must be placed in the trunk of your vehicle or the bed of your pickup.

Volunteers will be standing by to grab the materials from your vehicle.

Shred Material is limited to 4 grocery bags or up to 3 standard boxes limit or call 520-3735.

Please call if you have questions: Vicki— 509-520-3735



Fin de semana de devoluciones

Sábado, 24 de abril, 10-2pm, en el Walla Walla PD

54 E Moore St en Walla Walla

Domingo, 25 de abril, 10-2pm, en CP Walmart

Esquina sureste en el estacionamiento de College Place Walmart



Devolución de medicamentos

Medicamentos caducados / no utilizados

¡NO medicamentos de quimioterapia!

¡NO termómetros de mercurio!

¡NO se permiten objetos punzantes mezclados con drogas!

¡NO sustancias radioactivas!

¡NO contenedores de oxígeno!

Agujas y objetos punzantes

¡El contenedor de basura estará disponible!



Camión Triturador \$\$

Recaudador de Fondos

¡WW Area Crime Watch está aceptando donaciones en el Shred Truck!



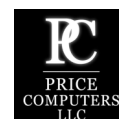
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Computadoras y Electronicos

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Eliminación de llantas chatarra

¡Solo para residentes del condado!

de Walla Walla

De 10am-4pm

llantas solamente

16 llantas por familia

No se reciben llantas de negocios ni llantas para camiones

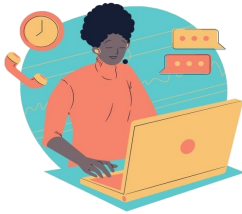
Debido a las restricciones de Covid, todos los artículos de devolución deben colocarse en el maletero de su vehículo.

Si usted tiene más de 4 bolsas de supermercado de papel, por favor llame al 520-3735.

Si tiene preguntas llame a Vicki - 509-520-3735

65+ years old or 50+ years old in a multigenerational home and need a COVID vaccine appointment?

¿65+ años o 50+ años en un hogar multigeneracional y necesitan una cita para la vacuna COVID?



No computer or internet access?

¿Sin computadora o Acceso al internet?

Call Walla Walla Department of Community Health at (509)524-2647

Llame al Departamento de Servicio a la Comunidad del Condado de Walla Walla (509) 524-2647

Please leave your name, date of birth, phone, and state your lack of access.

Deje su nombre, fecha de nacimiento, número de teléfono y indique su falta de acceso.



Departamento de Servicio a la Comunidad del Condado de Walla Walla



Walla Walla County Department of Community Health



College Place Farmers Market

Get started early and plan your Thursdays!

We want you to be part of our Thursday whether you're a Vendor, Entertainer, Volunteer, or Sponsor!

Visit www.cpwa.us/residents/events/farmers_and_artisans_market.php for all the information about our market.

See you there!

Community Calendar

Apr. 5th at 5:00 PM – Economic Development, Tourism, and Events Commission.

Apr. 6th at 5:30 PM – City Council Workshop.

Apr. 8th at 12:00 PM – Civil Service Meeting.

Apr. 13th & 27th at 7:00 PM – City Council Meeting.

Apr. 20th at 7:00 PM - Planning Commission.

Apr. 21st at 4:00 PM – Youth Advisory Commission.

Apr. 22nd at 4:00 PM – Historic Preservation Commission.

Apr. 23rd at 8:00 AM – Park, Arbor & Recreation Board.

All meetings are being held virtually. You can watch a livestream on the City YouTube page at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCbx3grqzLDL_05NusReSI-g. If you have a comment you would like to make, please contact Lisa Neissl – City Clerk at lneissl@cpwa.us. Comment requests received by the Clerk no later than 4:30 PM on the meeting date will be accepted. Check our website and Facebook Page for updates!

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