



CANNON BEACH COMMUNITY BULLETIN

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FOLLOW THE LATEST LAND USE PUBLIC NOTICES

The Cannon Beach Community Development Department is happy to introduce the [Public Notices](#) page, where the community can access the latest land use public notices in Cannon Beach and follow the latest happenings in their community.

In an effort to build a more transparent and accessible system, the City of Cannon Beach will post all land use public hearing and surrounding property owner notifications to its website. When a new public hearing for a land use application is noticed or a type II or III development action is noticed to surrounding property owners, the City will post those notices to its Public Notice webpage, which will be archived yearly for citizen accessibility.

The City is committed to building more transparency and accessibility to government records. The City has recently started to transfer all of its hard-copy records to an electronic, searchable, database for easier access for all community members. The first efforts of this process can be seen and searched through the property records housed at the City's [Interactive GIS Mapping](#) site. By utilizing the 'identify map features' tool at the top of the page, citizens can find the History By Location records for each property. These History By Location files provide all of the converted and downloadable records for properties across Cannon Beach.

You can take the [GIS Tutorial](#), which walks you through the easy ten-step process to retrieve the land use records available for each property in Cannon Beach.

For questions or comments on the Public Notices page or accessing records please contact the Community Development Department at planning@ci.cannon-beach.or.us.

THIS MONTH'S AGENDA



[City Council - 09/07/2021](#)
[City Council, DRB & PC Joint Meeting - 09/08/2021](#)
[City Council Work Session - 09/14/2021](#)
[Parks Committee - 09/16/2021](#)
[Design Review Board - 09/16/2021](#)
[Coffee With Councilors - 09/20/2021](#)
[Public Works Committee - 09/21/2021](#)
[Planning Commission - 09/23/2021](#)



FISCAL YEAR 21-22 PAVING

Five streets in Cannon Beach will get a fresh layer of asphalt this fall, as part of the City's ongoing pavement maintenance plan.

The locations scheduled for an overlay are Elkland Court, Glenwood Court, Kimberly Court, E. Harrison (from Hemlock to Spruce) and the end of N. Larch Street just north of Ecola Creek. The work is planned for the week of September 27 through October 1, but it is weather-dependent. These roads were chosen because the current asphalt is exhibiting significant spidering and cracking. Public Works staff evaluated these locations and identified other infrastructure upgrades or repairs that were completed ahead of the resurfacing.

Access to these streets may be restricted or adjusted during paving. Signage and/or flaggers will be in place during the work. Property owners anticipated to be impacted by this project were notified in the end of August, via letter, phone calls and social media.

The City budgeted \$100,000 in fiscal year 2021-2022 for pavement work. Bayview Asphalt's quote of \$86,798 was selected after requesting quotes from four companies. This quote was the lowest submitted.

As part of this public improvement contract with Bayview, additional paving is scheduled for spring 2022, on N. Larch Street between 1st and 2nd Streets. More information about the projected timing of this work will be available early next year.

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CODE ENFORCEMENT



Did you know the City has a Code Enforcement Complaint Form on their website?

1. Find Services from the menu on the City's Website.
2. Click Code Enforcement Complaint under Police Department.
3. Complete the form to submit your complaint.

<https://www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us/police/webform/code-enforcement-complaint-form>

Cannon Beach **Transportation System Plan** **2nd Open House** **Transportation** **Alternatives**



September 22nd

6 to 7PM

@cannonbeachtsp.com



City of Cannon Beach
TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM PLAN

CITY HALL CLOSED TO VISITORS EXCEPT BY APPOINTMENT

Effective **August 27, 2021**, the following policies will be in place per [Administrative Order 21-02](#):

- All City operations will continue with the exception that City Hall will be closed to visitors inside the building. All in-person transactions will take place through the walk-up window installed next to the ballot drop box.
 - The service window will be open daily from 8:00 – 5:00 pm
 - If you need to meet with a staff member, please schedule an appointment with that staff member
 - A predetermined time and location will be set and staff will meet you there, i.e. Council Chambers door at 2pm
 - For non-monetary transactions with the Community Development Department, the drop off/pick up box is still available outside their office
- There will be no audience members for City Council, Commissions, Boards and Committees meeting.
 - All public comment, participation and attendance will be through Zoom only
 - PDF's on How to Make Public Comment at a meeting and How to Attend a Meeting through Zoom are posted on each meeting page on the website
 - Members of Council, Commissions, Boards and Committees may attend in person or via Zoom

ECOLA FOREST RESERVE REOPENING

Elevated fire danger conditions have subsided. The City of Cannon Beach will be reopening public access to the Ecola Creek Forest Reserve **Friday September 3rd**.

The Cannon Beach Fire Department and City officials are monitoring the reserve closely and will post immediately if circumstances change. Thank you for your patience and make sure to check the City website for additional information.

[2021 Fire Season Restrictions](#) are still in effect. Please check Cannon Beach Fire Department's website for the latest announcements.

FIND OUR CONTENT



All our meetings are recorded via YouTube. Check the City's channel.



Visit the City's Facebook for our latest posts.



Check out our meetings page for agendas, packets, presentations & minutes.

ORFORD AND SITKA STAIRS REPLACEMENT



Orford Stairs - Before



Orford Stairs - After

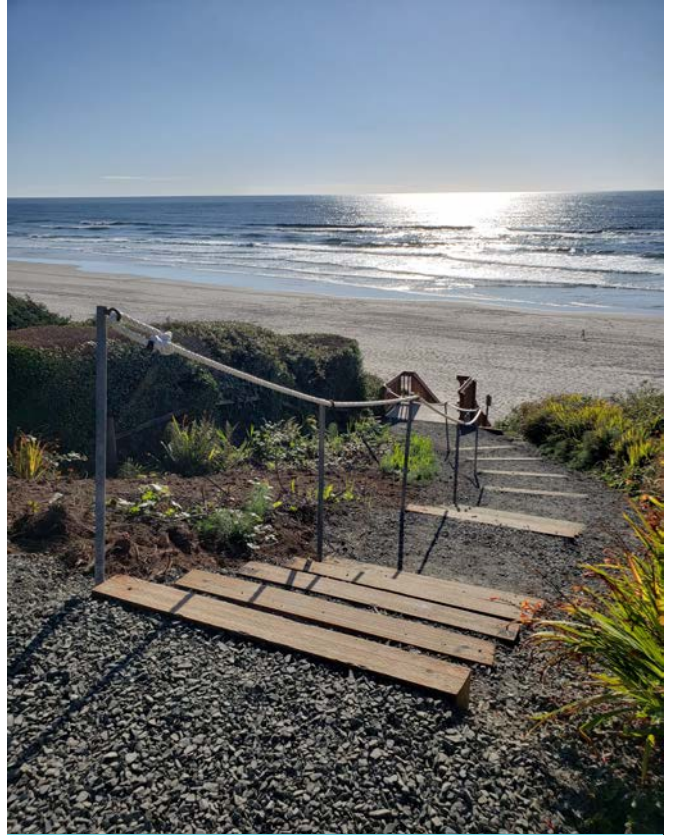


Sitka Stairs Team

ORFORD AND SITKA STAIRS REPLACEMENT CONTINUED



Sitka Stairs From Bottom - Before



Sitka Stairs From Top - After



Sitka Stairs From Bottom - After

WANT TO ATTEND A LIVE CITY MEETING VIRTUALLY?



1. Click Agenda and Minutes from the City's Website.
2. Find your meeting and click View Details.
3. Click on the Zoom link.

<https://www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us/meetings>

VACCINE INFORMATION

Clatsop County and its local partners are striving to ensure that local residents can receive the COVID-19 vaccine in as timely and convenient a manner as possible.

Vaccines are being administered according to a multi-phase plan from the Oregon Health Authority.

GROUPS CURRENTLY ELIGIBLE FOR VACCINATIONS: All individuals ages 12 and over

PLEASE NOTE: Currently the Pfizer vaccine is the only one approved for individuals under 18 and will be used for all individuals 12 to 17 years old who want to be vaccinated. Immediate family members of those 12 to 17 years old can also receive the Pfizer vaccine at the same events.

Other individuals age 18 and over who wish to be vaccinated will receive the Moderna vaccine.

<https://www.co.clatsop.or.us/publichealth/page/vaccine-information-faqs>

FARMERS MARKET



We are thrilled to announce that the Cannon Beach Farmers Market will be open for the 2021 season!

Our market is scheduled for June 15th through September 28th, providing Clatsop County remains in moderate or lower risk for COVID. We will be taking proper precautions to help protect our vendors, volunteers and customers. Our vendors will be offering a wide variety of produce, cheeses, flowers, artisan foods, drinks and more! Come out and enjoy the fun, food, shopping, hopefully sun and more!!! See you at the Market!



CITY OF CANNON BEACH

NOTICE OF VACANCIES CITY COMMISSIONS, BOARDS & COMMITTEES

The City of Cannon Beach is seeking applications for the following vacancy:

TOURISM & ARTS COMMISSION: ONE (1) vacancy to a fill four-year term immediately. The seven-member Tourism and Arts Commission develops grant guidelines and procedures and distributes and accounts for the monies in the "Tourism and Arts Fund" which are to be used by local non-profit groups to promote tourism and the arts in Cannon Beach. Each member shall have experience in one or more of the following areas: public relations, marketing, advertising, tourism, lodging, promotions, events promotion, art and/or publicity. The Tourism and Arts Commission holds its meetings as needed.

Note: Tourism and Arts Commission applicants are not required to reside in Cannon Beach and are eligible if he or she has worked, at least part-time, within the City of Cannon Beach for at least one year, immediately preceding appointment.

To be eligible to serve on a City committee, applicants must have resided within the city or its urban growth boundary during the one year immediately preceding appointment; or at the time of appointment, shall have owned real property located within the city or its urban growth boundary for at least one year immediately preceding appointment. (See '**Note**' re: TAC).

Applications with questionnaires are available by email addressed to recorder@ci.cannon-beach.or.us, or on-line at www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us Applications and questionnaires must be returned to Recorder, Cannon Beach City Hall, at P.O. Box 368, Cannon Beach, OR 97110. For more information, please contact (503) 436-8052.

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TSUNAMI WAYFINDING WEDNESDAYS



We are going to continue exercising our Tsunami Wayfinding routes to prepare ourselves and our community to mobilize from whichever location we are to the nearest Tsunami Assembly area.

Objective: We will exercise the walk from certain locations to the Tsunami assembly areas. We will start the exercises from 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm for the next 6 Wednesdays, starting September 1st. It is important to time all walk out evolutions for personal information. Any Tsunami sign issues email Emergency Manager, **Rick Hudson**.

Click the link below to view the evacuation maps to assist.

Tsunami Evacuation Routes & Assembly Areas

Schedule of Starting Locations:

- September 1st – From Your Home
- September 8th – From City Hall: 163 E Gower St
- September 15th – From Les Shirley Park: 208 E 5th St
- September 22nd – From Tolovana Beach State parking: 188 Fernwood St.
- September 29th – From Your Beach Access
- October 6th – From Cannon Beach Elementary School: 268 Beaver St.

We will then continue to walk on the first Wednesday of each month starting November 3rd 5:30-6:00.





The American Red Cross is always looking for new volunteers. We would love the City's help by posting the information below in the newsletter or website to reach out to the public and let everyone know there are many volunteer positions available with a variety of needs and opportunities.

Thank you for all the you do!

This year's wildfire season is off to an early and aggressive start and the American Red Cross Cascades Region needs volunteers to help. Red Cross volunteers have already provided aid in dozens of communities. It's critical to have a trained, ready volunteer workforce to make sure we can provide comfort and support to anyone who needs aid after a disaster.

Shelter volunteers are needed to help support . Also, health professionals are needed to assist with people's health needs in disaster shelters. If you are an RN, LPN, LVN, APRN, NP, EMT, paramedic, MD/DO or PA with a current and unencumbered license, this position could be right for you. Sign up at redcross.org/volunteer and get free training now to be a Red Cross volunteer and be ready to help your community.

The Red Cross does have a Facebook post happening on Friday at 9am specific to volunteer recruitment. It would be great if you could share on your Facebook page, once our post is live. Our Facebook page is at: www.facebook.com/redcrosscascades

Jeneé Pearce-Mushen | Community Leader Volunteer | Cascades Region | American Red Cross



Summer **FULL OF LIFE**

Cannon Beach Blood Drive

SEPTEMBER 14, 2021

10Am – 3PM

Cannon Beach Chamber of Commerce
207 N. Spruce, Cannon Beach, OR 97110

For an appointment, please visit redcrossblood.org

Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

Any questions, please call or email:

Jeneé * 503-36-9292 or jenee@pacificalarmsyste.com

Share the vibe. Give blood to help save lives.

Download the Blood Donor App | RedCrossBlood.org | Call 1-800-RED CROSS

FOLLOW US

A REAL TIME IMMEDIATE SAFETY AID FOR VISITORS TO THE CANNON BEACH AREA.



City of Cannon Beach Employees, CERT team members, local residents, and business employees are invited to walk to the Tsunami Assembly sites during the Wayfinding Wednesdays.

Carry the Orange "FOLLOW US" umbrellas as a visual aid and help guide visitors to the assembly site location in times of Earthquake and Tsunami.



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SOLVE

BEACH & RIVERSIDE CLEANUP

An Oregon watershed wide event!



JOIN A LOCAL BEACH CLEANUP

Location: Cannon Beach City Hall

Check-in Location: 168 E. Gower, Upper Parking

Date and Time: Saturday, September 25, 2021 from 10:00 – 1:00PM

REGISTER to VOLUNTEER Visit: solveoregon.org

PREVENTING CRIMES OF OPPORTUNITY

There has been a drastic increase of commercial and residential break-ins (burglary) in Clatsop County the last few weeks. Not all, but many have been crimes of opportunity with property being taken from unattended, unlocked vehicles and homes. Police Departments throughout the County are working hard to prevent crime. There are things that you can do to prevent crime too.

- Keep all doors and windows locked. If you have an alarm, activate it. If you don't have an alarm, get one if you can.
- Never leave keys in doors near glass. Hang spare keys out of reach from doors and windows.
- Never leave strollers, bikes, lawn mowers, tools, sporting equipment or any other valuable items sitting unattended around your home.
- Never leave your purse: in the cart at the supermarket or department store; on the floor next to your chair; hanging from the back of your chair, or on the chair next to you in restaurants or on public transportation; or in an unattended desk at work.
- Never leave laptops, purses, keys, cameras or other valuable items next to a door or visible from a window.
- Never leave valuables visible in your car. If you must leave them in your car unattended, place them in the trunk **before** you reach your destination.
- If you witness a burglary or other crime in progress, call 911 and report "Crime in Progress." **Write down everything you see** and keep notes in a safe place. Read your notes to the 911 operator.

CLATSOP ALERTS



Clatsop Emergency Notification & Community Information

BE IN THE KNOW... We can't alert you if we can't reach YOU!

Community members and visitors can **CHOOSE UP TO 3** ways to receive emergency notifications and community information from Public Safety, City, Tribal and County Officials for Clatsop County, Oregon.

1. Residential and business landline numbers are automatically included in the emergency contact list and do not require any action.
2. Address specific numbers such as mobile numbers, mobile texts, e-mail, and fax numbers are not included in the emergency contact list and require a manual sign-up.

SIGN UP at <https://www.co.clatsop.or.us/em/page/clatsopalerts>

Fireworks Make Us Flee Our Nests!

Research has shown that disturbances like fireworks cause nest abandonment and high stress in adult birds.



Photo: © Bob Kroll

All fireworks are now illegal in Cannon Beach.



Fireworks are a serious fire hazard.

Cannon Beach is a "Safe Zone" for birds, pets and wildlife.

Please join us in embracing this new law.

Cannon Beach Municipal Code
Ordinance 9.16.010 and fines up to \$5,000
see Ordinance 9.16.030 Violation - Penalty levels





SEEKING: TOWELS

Do you have any old towels, sheets or large t-shirts? If so, **the Haystack Rock Awareness can put them to good use in helping with our bird rescues.** We're in the midst of "jumpling" season, when young Murre chicks follow their fathers by jumping off Haystack Rock to fish in the waters below. Some of the chicks injure themselves, landing on rocks or sand. Others are washed ashore in strong swells and unable to get back out to sea. In these cases, **we wrap the injured or stranded chicks in towels for transport to the North Coast Wildlife Center.** So if you have any old towels, sheets or large t-shirts you're looking to get rid of, we can give them new life. **To donate, email: tonry@ci.cannon-beach.or.us or call (503)436-8079.**