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MEETINGS

Citizens are encouraged to attend all meetings of the following City groups. Watch Jones Cable channel 51 for specific information, or call City Hall at 659-5171. Work sessions, business meetings, and other meetings where a quorum of the body is present are open to the public under the Oregon Public Meetings Law.

City Council 7:00 PM 1st and 3rd Tuesdays	Center/Community Advisory Board 10:00 AM 2nd Friday
Planning Commission 6:30 PM 2nd & 4th Tuesdays	Traffic Safety Commission 7:30 PM 2nd Monday
Library Board 6:45 PM 3rd Monday	Parks & Recreation Commission 7:00 PM 4th Monday

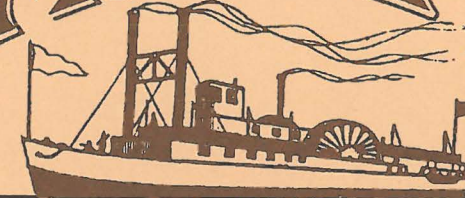
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Packed Aeration Towers

February 27 marked the opening ceremonies for the City's water treatment facilities. Mayor Craig Lomnicki opened the valve that sent City well water into the aeration towers for treatment.

"...providing clean and safe drinking water to Milwaukie..."

Many residents will remember the closure of 5 City wells in August, 1988, because volatile organic chemicals were discovered. In May, 1990, voters approved the sale of water revenue bonds to fund the construction of the treatment facilities just completed.

Initial testing has shown that the packed towers are 99% effective in removing contaminants. City drinking water contaminant levels are far below the level considered safe by the Health Division and DEQ.

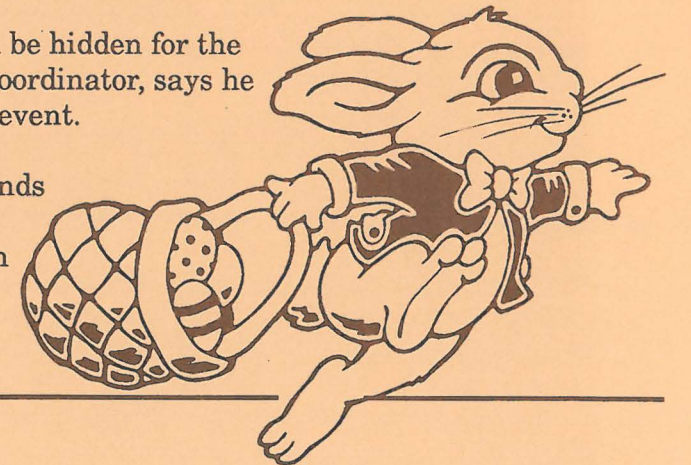
The project has involved considerable coordination between the City and state agencies. According to Fred Hansen, DEQ Director, "The Department of Environmental Quality is pleased at the cooperative efforts of the agencies involved. We have been able to work well together on our goals of providing clean and safe drinking water to Milwaukie residents and of identifying potential sources of the contamination."

"Egg"stravaganza

Join us for the annual Milwaukie Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 30, 10:00 AM at North Clackamas Park. The hunt is open to children eight and under.

Over 2000 colored eggs and a variety of prizes will be hidden for the children. Don Robertson, Parks and Recreation Coordinator, says he expects a very special guest to drop by during the event.

The hunt will once again be sponsored by the Friends of the Milwaukie Center, Oregon Cutting Systems (Omark), and the Milwaukie Parks and Recreation Department.



✓ Senior Citizens Against Crime

Crime prevention is everyone's responsibility, not just a job for the police. Crime can be reduced by simple measures like remembering to lock a door, knowing about common con games, and watching out for your neighborhood.

Although surveys consistently show that persons over 65 are victims of crime far less frequently than young people, many senior citizens are so worried about crime that they shut themselves up in their homes and rarely go out. But isolating ourselves behind locked doors and not getting together with our neighbors actually makes it easier for criminals to work in the neighborhood.

When You're Out

- ✓ If you must carry a purse, hold it close to your body. Don't dangle it.
- ✓ Never carry a wallet in your back pocket. Put it in an inside jacket pocket or front pocket.
- ✓ Make sure someone knows where you're going and when you expect to return.
- ✓ Avoid dark, deserted routes, even if they're the shortest.
- ✓ Carry change for emergency telephone and transportation use.
- ✓ Whenever possible, travel with friends to stores, the bank, or the doctor.
- ✓ When using the bus or other public transportation, sit near the driver if possible.
- ✓ Don't overburden yourself with packages and groceries that obstruct your view and make it hard to react.
- ✓ Have your car or house key in hand as you approach your vehicle or home.
- ✓ If a friend or taxi driver takes you home, ask the driver to wait until you are safely inside.
- ✓ When you drive, keep doors locked and windows up. Park in well-lighted, busy areas. If you have car trouble, be wary of strangers who offer help. Stay in your car and ask them to call a service truck or the police.
- ✓ Communicate the message that you are calm, confident, and know where you are going. Trust your instincts. If you feel uncomfortable in a place or situation, leave.



School Program at Milwaukie Elementary

In response to parent requests, the Milwaukie City Council and the North Clackamas School District approved an After School Activity Program at Milwaukie Elementary. The program is scheduled to start the first week of April.

"ASAP is already offered at two elementary schools, Seth Lewelling and Ardenwald. We

are very flattered that the parents requested a program for Milwaukie Elementary," said Don Robertson, Park and Recreation Coordinator.

The program offers alternative after school activities for children. The daily schedule includes arts and crafts projects, organized games, and snacks. The facility will be staffed by two recreation

leaders. ASAP is a supervised activity program and is not designed to be a full-service day care facility.

ASAP is in operation on school days from dismissal to 6:00 pm for grades 1 - 6 only. The fee is \$5 per day or \$1.50 per hour.

More program information is available at the Milwaukie Elementary School office.

Milwaukie Center's Medical Escort Service

Thirty volunteers provide needed medical transportation to area seniors. More than a ride, the volunteers offer companionship and assistance to the frail and elderly.

This vital service offers the type of help required if a senior is to remain in his or her own home. The volunteer drivers also pick up prescriptions necessary for continuing health.

Recently the Center received a particularly nice letter from one of the its clients. Here are some of her thoughts.

"I want to...express my appreciation...for the wonderful service provided...by your volunteer drivers. ...buses and taxis are hard for an elderly person. Taxis...are expensive.

I am so grateful for you

and...(those) who volunteer their time and efforts to drive us to our doctor appointments. Without exception, they have all been friendly, courteous, and kind...."

The Center has over three hundred volunteers, who last year served 35,472 hours. The Medical Escort Service is one of many services offered to the citizens of North Clackamas County.



Milwaukie's Regional Role

Improved service delivery is a Milwaukie City Council goal. The City, in addition to signing intergovernmental agreements for services like water and sewer, is looking for other opportunities to consolidate service delivery. This process is called regionalization.

When considering service proposals, City Council and staff look for several criteria. Three important points are:

- the service need is real or problem exists
- the City will maintain a

certain level of input and control in the project

- the program will be cost effective to residents

Milwaukie is already involved in several regional activities. The Ledding Library is a member of a County-wide library network. Milwaukie residents voted to join the North Clackamas Regional Park District organization last year. The City's sewerage treatment plant is operated through a joint agreement with Clackamas County Service District #1. Milwaukie and

Clackamas County signed an Urban Growth Management Agreement in 1990 for more efficient land development outside the City limits.

Other regionalization projects Council and staff are pursuing include joint fire service delivery, joint planning along the Johnson Creek Corridor, and storm water management planning. With City resources becoming scarcer, finding ways that Milwaukie can join with its neighbors to deliver needed services will continue to be an important City goal.

1991 LEDDING LIBRARY QUESTIONNAIRE

We are interested in the types of library services that you use or would use if offered. Please answer this questionnaire and return it to the address shown by April 1.

1. Where in the Milwaukie area do you live? Nearest intersection or elementary school:

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2. We'd like to know about you. ☐ Male ☐ Female

Your age group:

____ Elementary/Jr. High

High School

Adult

Senior Adult

Please check age groups in your household:

Preschool

Elementary/Jr. High

High School

Adult

Senior Adult

3. How often has your household used the Ledding Library for any reason in the past year?

Several times

Once a month or more

 Rarely/ Not at all Why?

Why?

4. In locating library materials, do you prefer to use:

Card catalog

On-line computerized catalog

Staff assistance

5. Please check in column (A) the library services you have used and in column (B) services used by other members of your household. In column (C) please state your opinion (1-Poor; 2-Satisfactory; 3-Good) of the following:

(A)	(B)	(C)	COMMENTS
	Paperback collection		
	Hardback non-fiction collection		
	Hardback fiction collection		
	Children's book collection		
	Bestsellers		
	Teen age book collection		
	Magazine/newspaper collection		
	Assistance from librarians		
	Children's records		
	Children's cassettes		
	Adult records		
	Adult compact discs		
	Video collection		
	Reference/research collection		
	Programs for preschoolers		
	Programs for schoolage children		
	Programs for adults		
	Homebound service		
	Study areas		
	Interlibrary loan service		
	Large print books		
	Adult literacy		
	Photocopy machine		
	Microfilm reader		
	Automotive repair collection		
	Business information		

If available, would you or other members of your household use the following services or collections?

☐ Special interest programs for teenagers

☐ Microcomputer software (What type?) _____

We welcome your ideas _____

6. Please rate the following: (1-Poor; 2-Satisfactory; 3-Good)

Staff:

☐ Courtesy

☐ Promptness

☐ Accuracy

☐ Helpfulness

☐ Telephone service

Comments: _____

Library facilities and hours:

☐ Parking

☐ Lighting

☐ Furnishings

☐ Noise level

☐ Restrooms

☐ Decor

☐ Reading areas

☐ Floor plan

☐ Cleanliness ☐ Open hours

Comments:

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