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PUBLIC MEETINGS

March 2022

2nd
Municipal Court 5:30pm

8th
City Council Meeting 6:00pm

17th
Municipal Court 9:00am

22nd
City Council Meeting 6:00pm

April 2022

6th
Municipal Court 5:30pm

12th
City Council Meeting 6:00pm

21st
Municipal Court 9:00am

26th
City Council Meeting 6:00pm

City Hall Hours

Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Wednesday
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

All meeting agendas and materials are posted on the city's website at: www.cityofeaglepoint.org

Agendas are also posted on the bulletin board in the lobby at City Hall.

For questions regarding city meetings, contact Cindy Hughes, City Recorder at 541-826-4212 ext 106

Love Local History with the Eagle Point Museum

The Eagle Point Museum invites you to immerse yourself in Southern Oregon's heritage. Learn more about the history of our region at this spring series of talks with local historians sponsored by the Eagle Point Museum. Free and open to all who love history.

March 12, 2022 Saturday, 2 - 4 pm Ashpole Center	Native American Artifacts, Symbols and Traditions, with Cultural Ambassador Tom Smith
April 9, 2022 Saturday, 2 - 4 pm Eagle Point Museum	Oregon's Black Pioneers with OBP Board Member Troy Tate
May 14, 2022 Saturday, 2 - 4 pm Ashpole Center	From a Woman's Point of View: Eagle Point's Women Mayors, a panel discussion with Mayors Donna Butchino, Laree Linder, and Ruth Jenks
June 11, 2022 Saturday, 2 - 4 pm Ashpole Center	World War II POW Re-Education at Camp White with Historian Joe Peterson
July 9, 2022 Saturday, 2 - 4 pm Ashpole Center	John Beeson, Oregon Outcast with Archivist Jan Wright

For more information call 541-552-0743 or send an email to mbattistellaor@gmail.com

This series is made possible in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through the Library Services and Technology Act, administered by the State Library of Oregon.



Eagle Point Museum:
Friday—Sunday 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.



Harnish Wayside Park & Visitor Center:
Friday—Sunday 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.



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Important Dates

For more information check
the city website,
www.cityofeaglepoint.org



March 2022

13th - Daylight Savings Begins
17th - St Patrick's Day
18th - Full Moon
20th - First Day of Spring

April 2022

16th - Full Moon
17th - Easter Sunday
20th - Administrative Professionals Day
22nd - Earth Day

Eagle Point Department of Public Works

Meter Boxes and Landscaping

Sometimes it happens that we need to access a meter box for water system maintenance. Most lots have one or two meter boxes. During development of housing areas, there are easements created so that utilities can get to them, even on private property. People landscape in these easements, which is absolutely fine. However, it is not unusual for landscaping to grow and cover the meter boxes. Unfortunately, these utility accesses must always be open and available. If we find one overgrown, we have to cut the landscaping back to safely do our work. City workers accessing these easements are working on water related issues that are often time sensitive. We can't always take the time to trim landscaping in an aesthetically pleasing way. In order to keep control of the landscaping, we encourage residents to maintain any landscaping around utilities on their property so that utility accesses are completely safe and accessible.

Before:



After:



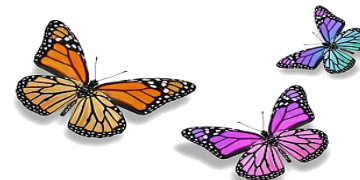
Street Trees

The city has started pruning street trees. This pruning will include parks trees and trees on private property that are obstructing traffic flow devices. The statute that governs street trees specifies certain height requirements and pruning guidelines. The trees are pruned for canopy raising to allow for school buses, garbage trucks, and RVTAs to pass without hitting them. All trees are pruned with the same intent, regardless of species. An informational pamphlet is available upon request.



Spraying Pre-Emergent

The city has contracted Greenway Spray to apply a pre-emergent pesticide in several locations around Eagle Point. They will begin application February 24th, and will operate in various capacities throughout the summer. They are very careful to spray safely and use very specific and selective chemicals. We have requested that their practices are butterfly friendly and they are even helping us identify butterfly friendly native plants found in our natural areas so we can protect them.



Please call or email Dean LeBret, PW Operations Supervisor, with questions. 541-973-9481 deanlebret@cityofeaglepoint.org

PUBLIC NOTICE OF VACANCIES: The City of Eagle Point is currently accepting applications for persons interested in serving on the Budget Committee (3 vacancies), Neighborhood Enhancement Commission (5 vacancies for this new commission), or Planning Commission (1 vacancy). Applicants must currently reside within the city limits of Eagle Point and have resided in the city for at least one full year. Additional details and applications may be obtained online at www.cityofeaglepoint.org or picked up at Eagle Point City Hall, 17 Buchanan Avenue South, Eagle Point, Oregon. If there are questions, please contact Cindy Hughes, City Recorder, at 541-826-4212 ext. 106.