

To: City Council
 From: City Manager Nathan Cherpeski
 Subject: Friday Update
 Date: March 9, 2018



Calendar

Here is the calendar as provided to me by the Departments.

Date	Time	Event	Location
March 19, 2015	6:00 P.M.	City Audit Committee - Report by Auditor	City Hall Annex- Conference Room
March 19, 2018	7:00 P.M.	City Council	City Hall Annex- Council Chambers
April 2, 2018	7:00 P.M.	City Council	City Hall Annex- Council Chambers

City Manager/Administration

Christmas Lights - City staff are supporting a small group the Mayor convened to address Christmas decorations for the downtown area. As you may recall, we couldn't hang the traditional snowflakes across the street due to concerns with the mounts. The group is looking at getting outlets on the street lights and decorating those in some fashion. We will look to include money in the budget to accomplish the needed work.

North Eldorado Project - Staff will be bringing this project to Council at the next meeting. We see bids continuing to rise for street work. This project is no exception. While the costs have risen, we believe the work still needs to be completed. We have value engineered the project and staff believes the shortfall is within the general fund's ability to cover this year.

Support Services

Human Resources, in conjunction with the Police Department, is conducting police officer recruitment March 9th and 10th. This is an extensive process which includes candidates performing the Oregon Physical Abilities Test (ORPAT), a written exam, and interview panels with Police Department personnel, citizen involvement, HR staff, and Police Command staff. We are excited to report that there are over 30 candidates, more than double compared to the last recruitment facilitated in 2016. Human Resources will be at the Police Department all day March 9th and 10th.

Public Works

City crews are currently working in the area west and north of Main Street clearing the right-of-way for our future Street maintenance and Micro-Surface project. John Bellon, City of Klamath Falls Parks Manager/Parks Forester, gave a class on proper pruning and trimming of the trees and shrubs within the right-of-way. Streets and Parks employees attended.

