

To: City Council
 From: City Manager Nathan Cherpeski
 Subject: Friday Update
 Date: May 25, 2018



Calendar

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

Date	Time	Event	Location
May 28, 2018	All Day	Observance of Memorial Day Holiday	Non-emergency City Offices
June 4, 2018	7:00 P.M.	City Council Meeting	City Hall Annex - Conference Room
June 11, 2018	7:00 P.M.	Planning Commission	City Hall Annex-Council Chambers
June 18, 2018	7:00 P.M.	City Council Meeting	City Hall Annex-Council Chambers

Administration

City Manager - I met this morning with the President and CEO of Craft3. They describe themselves on their website as “a regional nonprofit that makes loans in Oregon and Washington to strengthen the resilience of businesses, families and nonprofits, including those without access to traditional financing.” As a Community Development Financial Institution, they have invested more than \$470 million since their inception. They recently opened an office in Klamath Falls and will be drafting a strategic plan for their services in our area. They are excited about our community and we are glad they have chosen Klamath Falls for their new office. You can find more information at www.craft3.org

Waste Management - I know that recycle education is a topic that many people are interested in and Waste Management is putting together new information as well as a program to address contamination both in residential and commercial recycling. They are updating information to push out to the public regarding acceptable materials to include in commercial recycle and what items to exclude. Attached is a new flyer designed to highlight materials they would like to get more of in the recycling mix, as well as specifically identifying others to leave out.

Airport

- City Council at their May 21st meeting approved the Airport’s selection of Mead & Hunt for engineering services related to FAA Airport Improvement Program (AIP) projects scheduled in the next five years. Projects anticipated include rehabilitations of Taxiway G (2019-2020), Taxiways D & B (2020-2021), Taxiway F (2021-2022) and Runway 7/25 (2022-2023). Estimated total cost of all projects is approximately \$20 million dollars of which the FAA will fund 93.75%. Much of the work is anticipated to be completed by local contractors which will result in a significant boost to the local economy.

- Rocky Mountain Construction has re-mobilized on the Taxiway B Project that began last summer but was suspended last fall due to weather before all the asphalt paving could be completed. Rocky Mountain Construction expects to complete the remaining paving on the project in the next couple of weeks and then apply the required paint markings to meet FAA regulations. Full project completion is expected by the end of June.
- Airport Director John Barsalou recently attended the joint conference of the Oregon and Washington Airport Management Associations. The conference included briefings from the Oregon Dept. of Aviation and the FAA's Northwest Mountain Region Airports Office as well as topics on new aviation technology and trends, regulatory issues and enhancing airport revenue opportunities.

Support Services/Public Works

Hunter laid the fiber to the Prescott tank last month and IT Systems Administrator Will Robertson has worked with our Maintenance department to install the cabinets, conduit, cabling, and network hardware. Richard Holbo from Hunter has been onsite and has been directing the installation and configuration of the wireless network. The infrastructure on Prescott is ready to broadcast air fiber and the 360 degree air fiber antennae can be viewed from the street when you drive past the tank on Oregon Ave. Work is also being performed on the High Level reservoir off Loma Linda and the Center reservoir. Center reservoir will have 2 30' poles installed for surveillance cameras. Hunter is also assisting with the installation and configuration of the network backend going in at the PD NOC.



Development Services

The City of Klamath Falls will begin construction of the protected bike lane from Oregon Avenue to 9th Street. We hope to have the bike lane ribbon cutting on Thursday, June 21st. In anticipation of constructing this new amenity in our downtown, we have prepared an informational page on our City website at:

<https://www.klamathfalls.city/living-here/bike-lane/articles/bike-lane>

Contained on this webpage is information about what protected bike lanes are, what to expect and how the finished product should look along with how to travel within and around protected bike lanes. Please follow our Facebook page at Facebook/TheCityofKlamathFalls or our website for updates on this project.

