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City Council Term End
 (alphabetical by last name)

James Houdyshell, Mayor 2026

Jan Olsen, Council President 2026

Michael Coffman 2028

Abby Hungate 2026

Amanda Johnson 2028

Gabrielle Plunkett 2028

Jenny Strathdee 2026

Planning Commission Term End
 (alphabetical by last name)

Trevor Alley 2026

Vacant 2025

Jack Crawford 2026

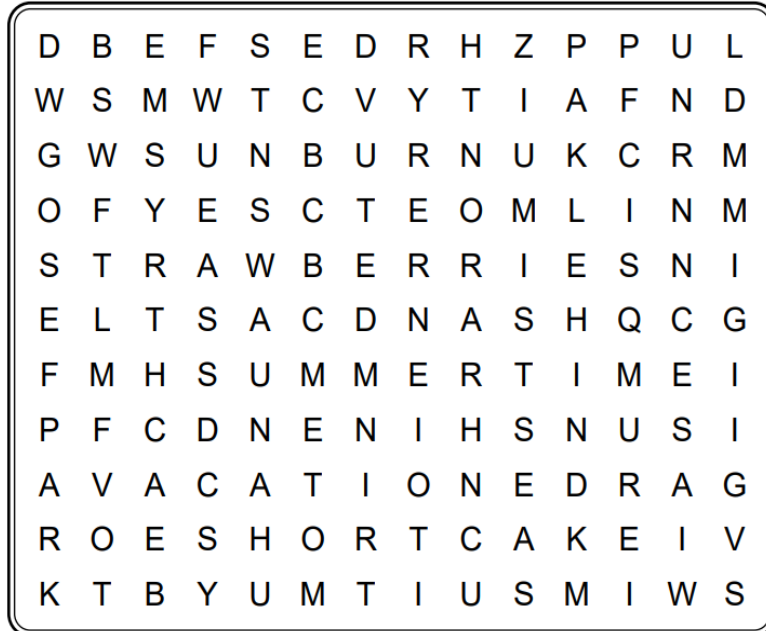
Bryan Hall 2026

Cammi Hungate 2027

Rick Olmsted 2025

Vacant 2027

SUMMER THEMED WORD FIND



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| SUMMERTIME | SUNSHINE | BEACH |
| STRAWBERRIES | GARDEN | PARK |
| SHORTCAKE | VACATION | SWIMSUIT |
| SANDCASTLE | SUNBURN | HIKING |

EMERGENCY WATER & SEWER PAGER NUMBER

It is critical to call the Emergency Water & Sewer pager number if your sewer alarm sounds or you experience any other water or sewer emergency. This service is included in your monthly utility bill and is available 24/7. It's important to note that this is a pager system and NOT a cell phone. If you do not leave your name, number and address, Public Works will not have adequate information to be able to respond to your call.

Emergency Water & Sewer Pager: 503-301-6479



DONALD MONTHLY RECORD

JUNE 2025

IMPORTANT DATES:

City Council Meeting and Budget Hearing
 June 10th at 6:45pm at Donald City Hall. See website or community boards for agenda and online access to meeting.

Utility Bills Due
 June 15th

Red Tags Delivered
 June 16th at 10am

Late Fees Applied
 June 23rd at 8am

Water Shut Offs
 June 18th at 10am

Street Sweeper
 June 26th after 8am
 Move Property Off Street

Planning Commission:
 TBA at 6:45pm at Donald City Hall. See website or community boards for agenda and online access to meeting.

PACIFIC LUMBER GRAND OPENING!



Pacific Lumber and Truss Company held the grand opening of its new Donald facility on May 15. For decades, Pacific Lumber & Truss has served the ever-evolving needs of commercial builders, home builders, remodeling contractors, and homeowners. City Manager Eric Underwood spoke at the grand opening, saying, "Pacific Lumber brings with it not only a strong reputation in quality and service, but also a spirit of hard work and sustainability that aligns with the values we hold dear here in Donald. We wholeheartedly welcome you to our business community. Here's to many years of growth and success!"

ABBY HUNGATE APPOINTED TO COUNCIL SEAT

At the May 13th City Council meeting, Abby Hungate was appointed to the Council seat vacated when Gerry Waller resigned March 15, 2025. Abby was one of three people who applied for the vacant Councilor position. She has previous experience as a City Councilor in Donald and we appreciate her willingness to serve her community on the Council again. City Manager Underwood gave her the Oath of Office at the May 13 meeting after her appointment.



BUDGET COMMITTEE UPDATE

The Budget Committee, composed of the Mayor, Councilors and four Donald citizens met on May 20 to consider the proposed Fiscal Year 2025-26 budget prepared by City staff.

Water & Sewer Rates: Adjustments based on the January 2025 Consumer Price Index would result in slight increases in water used after July 1, 2025:

- o Water Monthly Base Charge: \$53.29 (from \$51.84)
- o Water Consumption per 1,000 gallons: \$3.73 (from \$3.63)
- o Sewer Monthly Base Charge: \$41.48 (from \$40.35)

o Sewer Commercial Rate above 5,190 gallons: \$2.16/1,000 gallons (from \$2.10)
 Detailed information will be included with the July 1 water bill.

The proposed budget was approved by the Budget Committee and will be considered by the Council at the June 10 Budget Hearing for adoption. To view the budget: <https://www.donaldoregon.gov/auditsandbudgets>



ALICE BENTZ RESIGNS FROM PLANNING COMMISSION, APPLICANTS ARE BEING SOUGHT FOR APPOINTMENT TO VACANT SEATS

Alice Bentz, who served on the Planning Commission for the past two and a half years has resigned her position effective May 24, due to moving out of the City of Donald. She has also served the community on the Budget Committee and will be greatly missed.

There are currently two vacancies to fill on the Planning Commission, which meets as needed on the fourth Thursday of the month at 6:45 pm. Applications are available at City Hall and on the City website <https://www.donaldoregon.gov/planningcommission>



DISTRICT 63 FIREFIGHTERS 50TH ANNUAL BINGO NIGHT

SATURDAY JUNE 28TH, 2025



DONALD FIRE STATION
20909 FELLER ST NE
DONALD, OR 97020





Food starts at 5:30 PM
Hamburgers or Hot Dogs,
Chips, and Pop for \$7
Ice Cream \$3

BINGO starts 6:30 PM
\$1 a card per game
Cash prizes
Door prizes
Raffle prizes
Silent Auction

Proceeds go to:
Wayne Yoder Memorial Scholarship
& Community Events



**JAN OLSEN,
COMMUNITY
MEMBER OF THE
YEAR (2024)**

Jan Olsen was presented a certificate at the May 13 City Council meeting to recognize her as the 2024 Community Member of the year. She is currently serving as the Council President.

THE IMPORTANCE OF WATER CONSERVATION

By Alonso Limones, City of Donald Public Works Director: This month I want to talk about a very important topic: water conservation. The demands on the City of Donald water supply increase every year. The challenge for today is to learn how to use our water wisely. Industry and population continue to grow in our town, therefore each of us has a responsibility to conserve this precious resource.



Helpful hints on how to conserve our water supply:

- Wait to run the dishwasher until it is full.
- Use water saving shower head.
- Avoid long showers.
- Fix drippy faucets.
- Check bathroom toilets for leaks. (Twice a year add a few drops of food coloring to the tank. If the colored water enters the bowl on its own, then you know you need to have it repaired.)
- Water your lawn early in the morning. (Moisture in lawns watered during the middle of the day is mostly evaporated on a hot, sunny day.)

We must all begin to use this resource more carefully and efficiently. Conservation will not only save our water supply, but will also save us money.



ARBOR DAY BEAUTIFICATION OF GAZEBO AREA BY VOLUNTEERS

Thanks to all of those that came out and participated in the Arbor Day Tree Planting/Landscaping event. About 15 people volunteered their time to plant the flowerbeds, spread bark dust, plant the tree and host a flower pot painting activity for the kids. The new tree will be a great addition to the gazebo area and the landscaping looks beeeeeautiful! The City will also be installing irrigation to keep the plants nice and healthy.

DONALD DAZE: SAVE THE DATE-SATURDAY JULY 12, 2025

PARADE ENTRIES WELCOME FOR THE DONALD DAZE FESTIVAL!

Join our Hometown Parade. This is a great chance to advertise your business, non profit, promote an upcoming event or just have fun celebrating a favorite Donald tradition! Kids—Decorate your bike, trike, or scooter for the parade. This is a great chance to get creative. Prizes awarded for the best float and best bikes! Visit our site to register and learn

more! <https://www.donalddaze.com/parade>

EVENT LEADERS NEEDED!

The Donald Festival Committee has 5 upcoming open board positions: Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary, and two Board Members at Large. These are two year positions and run from August 1, 2025-August 1, 2027. This is a wonderful opportunity to give back to the community and help run the Annual Donald Daze Festival. Without the board, and leaders like you, we cannot guarantee a festival in 2026. Please email info@donalddaze.com for more information.

