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**Hubbard-Donald Police:**  
**Emergency:** 911  
**Non-Emergency:** 503-982-2340

**Aurora Rural Fire District:**

**City Council**      **Term End**  
**(alphabetical by last name)**

James Houdyshell, Mayor	2026
Jan Olsen, Council President	2026
Michael Coffman	2028
Amanda Johnson	2028
Gabrielle Plunkett	2028
Jenny Strathdee	2026
Vacant	2026

**Planning Commission** **Term End**  
**(alphabetical by last name)**

Trevor Alley	2026
Alice Bentz	2025
Jack Crawford	2026
Bryan Hall	2026
Cammi Hungate	2027
Rick Olmsted	2025
Vacant	2027

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**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

MAY 2025

**IMPORTANT  
DATES:**

**City Council Meeting**  
May 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:45pm at Donald City Hall. See website or community boards for agenda and online access to meeting.

**Utility Bills Due**  
May 15<sup>th</sup>

**Red Tags Delivered**  
May 16<sup>th</sup> at 10am

**Late Fees Applied**  
May 21<sup>st</sup> at 8am


**Water Shut Offs**  
May 20<sup>th</sup> at 10am

**Street Sweeper**  
May 29<sup>th</sup> 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.


**WELCOMING NEW BUSINESSES TO DONALD!**

The City Council approved three new Business Registrations at the April 8 meeting: Advanced Hydraulic Solutions Inc., Harco Manufacturing Co. and Oregon Mining and Ag Fabrication.



Advanced Hydraulic Solutions, Inc. is a specialized industrial hydraulic services company. They provide technical expertise to some of the largest manufacturing facilities in the state spanning steel, aerospace, lumber, paper and end stage products manufacturers. The central location of Donald along the I-5 corridor, the proximity to the freeway and the small-town environment made it a perfect fit for their company culture, values and mission.

Established in 1948, Harco Manufacturing Co. is a family owned and operated business specializing in the engineering and production of diesel and natural gas engine exhaust silencer products and solutions to address noise pollution challenges. They proudly support and serve the agricultural, marine, prime and standby power generation, new and used construction equipment, oil and gas, mining and forestry industries. They have happily relocated from Newberg to Donald to obtain more production space for their rapidly growing business.



**APPLICATIONS TO FILL CITY COUNCIL  
SEAT ACCEPTED THROUGH MAY 12**

Gerry Waller's recent resignation has created a vacant seat on the City Council, with a term that will expire December 31, 2026. **Applications to fill the Council seat are available at City Hall and on the City of Donald website, <https://www.donaldoregon.gov/> and must be submitted in person or via email to City Hall by May 12, 2025.**

The Council will vote on a replacement at its May 13 meeting. City Councilors receive a packet of information to review prior to the monthly meeting, which takes place on the second Tuesday of the month at 6:45 p.m. at City Hall. Applicants must be registered to vote in Marion County, a qualified elector by State law and have lived in Donald the past 12 months.





## ILLEGAL DUMPING AND COMMUNITY SAFETY

By Alonso Limones, City of Donald Public Works Director

Why is illegal dumping a problem? Illegal dumps diminish the quality of life and livability of the surrounding area. Illegal dumping of garbage, discarded appliances, old barrels, used tires, furniture, yard debris, oil, antifreeze and pesticides can threaten human health, wildlife and the environment. Illegal dumps can pollute local waterways and groundwater, or cause injury to children playing in or around the dumps. Tires retaining water become breeding grounds for mosquitoes and other noxious insects. Some dumps become home to rodents. Illegal dumps depress the value of surrounding land and neighborhoods.

Everyone's help is important to keep our community safe and clean! Do you always pick up after your pet(s)? Do you wash your cars on your lawn or at a professional car wash? Can you reduce the amount of stormwater runoff from your property? Do what you can to protect and keep safe both people and aquatic life!

## COUNCIL APPOINTS FOUR TO BUDGET COMMITTEE WITH THREE OPENINGS REMAINING

The Donald City Council recently appointed Alice Bentz, Rick Olmsted, Craig Olsen and Scott Olson to the Budget Committee, which will review the FY 2025-26 City of Donald Budget and recommend a budget to the City Council for approval.

There are still three vacant positions on the Budget Committee, which will meet on May 20 at 6 pm. Applications are available at City Hall and on the City of Donald website, <https://www.donaldoregon.gov/> and are due by May 12, 2025.



## SAVE THE DATE - SATURDAY JULY 12, 2025 DONALD DAZE: A HAZELNUT FESTIVAL AND CELEBRATION!



You're invited to the 2025 Donald Daze: A Hazelnut Festival and Celebration, Saturday July 12th, 2025 from 10 am-5 pm. Enjoy the Parade, Family Fun Zone, Car Show, delicious food, talented arts and crafts vendors, Beat Goes On Marching Band, special guests Danza Azteca Ohtli, and more! Learn more at [www.DonaldDaze.com](http://www.DonaldDaze.com)

**\*\*Volunteers greatly needed!!** Please sign up and learn more: <https://www.donaldaze.com/volunteers>



## RICK OLMSTED AND GERRY WALLER HONORED BY COUNCIL FOR THEIR YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CITY OF DONALD



At the April 8 City Council meeting, Rick Olmsted, long time Donald Mayor, City Councilor and Planning Commissioner was honored for his years of service to the community. City Manager Eric Underwood presented him with a framed certificate as a token of appreciation for his leadership and contribution to the City. Gerry Waller was also recognized for her years of service as Councilor and Council President but wasn't present at the April meeting to receive her award.

## 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



## DONATED BENCHES INSTALLED AT CITY PARKS

Eric and Karen Kirsch, residents of the greater Donald community outside of the City limits, donated several benches to the City of Donald. Donald Public Works staff picked up the benches, completed the needed repairs and then installed them at the Skate Park and Gazebo for park goers to use and enjoy.

