



City Manager's Weekend Update

July 13, 2018

Diversity Advisory Committee Met

The second meeting of the Diversity Advisory Committee was on Tuesday evening. They will meet the first Tuesday of each month. Anyone is welcome to come to the committee.

Marijuana Ad Hoc Committee

The marijuana committee meeting also went well this week. This group is identifying issues associated with legal marijuana in the community and what recommendations they will have to city council to address the issues.

Splash Pad

The restroom project is out for bid! We expect the site plan work to be out for bid by next Wednesday.

Economic Development – We have a lot of really exciting projects for this community. We hope to see them through very shortly.

Parks and Recreation

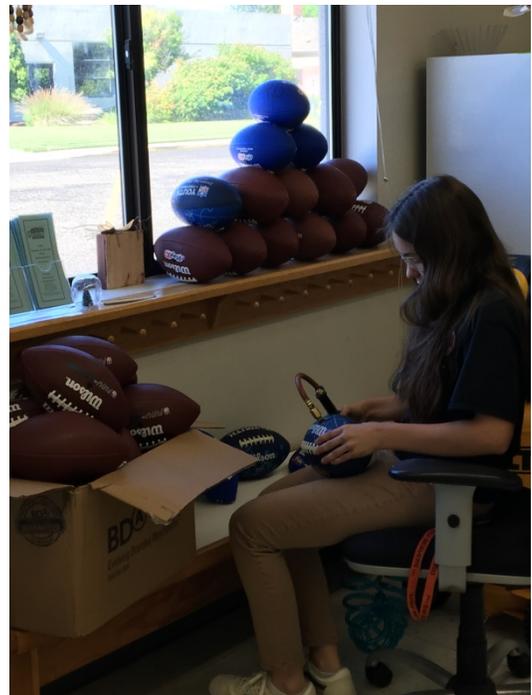
Arts and Crafts was busy this week, we hosted a day with the Oregon Migrant Leadership Class. This was their second of three days that they are spending with us this summer.

Flag Football began on Thursday evening; we had a great first night. The weather was warm, but the kids had a great time.

Fire & Rescue

The Chief and Building official did a couple of final inspections one at the new Papa Murphy's and another at the ICU of St Al's. Chief did two inspections on a fire sprinkler water supply line at Heinz Ore-Ida.

Training: We had a review on legal and illegal fireworks and the dangers involved with both types of fireworks. Allen Montgomery brought back some real good training on Dealing with Death. We had a class on commercial and residential fire sprinklers and then went to the



fairgrounds and did a visual of three different types of systems. Some of the staff had training in our portable cascade system.

On the morning of July 4th we hosted a breakfast for the Four Rivers Community Foundation at Station 1. It was also used as a safety fair for the community to enjoy.

July 2 we had an apartment fire that was contained to the single unit but there was a male fatality and a cat also perished due to smoke inhalation. July 4 we had two large fires that had multiple agencies involved at both fires. One fire came in around noon and burned close to 200 acres north of the butte. The second fire was after our staff was patrolling to discourage the use of illegal fireworks at 11:30 a large grass fire on the hillside of Hwy. 201 and Hyline. This fire was at least 25 acres and the next day a couple more acres burned due to smoldering sagebrush. On July 7 we had a fully involved car fire and then on July 12 we had an airplane crash that the plane was destroyed from the impact and then the following fire. The plane fire also burned about 1/2 an acre of a wheat field. Fortunately the pilot was able to walk away with only minor injuries.

Airport

Our engineer and contractor worked into the night to put the final touches on signage and taxiway lights as well as the precision approach Path indicator light as we await the final inspection from the federal aviation administration.

The city's approval of the resolution to name the grass runway after Cash Preston Lee Troyer was greatly appreciated by all in the aviation community.

There was a plane wreck on Thursday. Fortunately the pilot walked away from the accident.

Public Works

Field Service

Hot Taping crosswalk throughout the city continues. Asphalt patching on multiple streets throughout the City. Painting crosswalks through-out town and will take a few weeks to complete.

Water

Sampling has begun for blue green algae in raw water supply from Snake River, this testing is mandated by the State of Oregon and may require additional testing and potential Water Advisory notices, A brief synopsis was given to the City Council detailing requirements and operational actions associated with new directive.