

▪ Tuesday, January 9, 2024

• Police Department (TPD):

- The holiday weekend last week was busy as usual yet manageable. Even with City offices closed for the New Year's Holiday, our officers were still very busy with calls for service.
- Lt. Troxel was a guest on the Tillamook Today Show on KTIL 95.9 last Tuesday. Thank you to KTIL for the invitation and accessibility to share all the good things we are doing at the Police Department.
- Executive Assistant Lacey Larson has been very busy working with the Tillamook County Sheriff's Office updating our Police Records Management System. We appreciate this partnership.
- Lt. Troxel continues to partner with the Tillamook County Sheriff's Office and Manzanita Police Department on updating our Property and Evidence management system.
- For your information, in the month of December the Tillamook Police Department took 976 calls for service, had 214 traffic stops, issued 186 citations, and had 16 arrests. These monthly reports are provided to the City Council and are available on the City's website. For your information, the monthly calls for service generally average over 1,000, which is over 12,000 a year.

• Public Works (PW):

- The Water Distribution Division staff are reading water meters this week. Please do not park on or block access to your water meter so we can ensure an accurate read. This is important for billing correctly and detecting inevitable water leaks that may not be visible. An unusually high read can often indicate a water leak or even a running toilet, which can unexpectedly spike your water bill. Utility payments are due on the 15th of this month, and charges can be made on our website at tillamookor.gov, by coming into City Hall in person, or over the phone by calling 503-842-2472.
- Due to the stormy weather and high wind, we want to remind the public to use caution while driving, avoid roads with high water and debris, and be mindful of barricades and road-closed signs.
- The Street Division will be sweeping the streets this week in our street sweeper. Please be mindful of equipment and staff.
- For all Public Works inquiries, please contact publicworks@tillamookor.gov or call our main number 503-842-2472.

- We have several positions available at the City of Tillamook. Please visit our website or stop by City Hall for an application.
- A reminder that if you see something, say something by calling 911 for emergencies or Dispatch for non-emergencies.
- I would like to ask everyone to remember that today is Law Enforcement Appreciation Day. If you see or know someone serving, please thank them for their service. Law Enforcement is a very difficult and stressful field to serve in. If it wasn't for our officers, and all others that serve in Tillamook County, our nation, and even throughout the world, we would not have and be able to enjoy our freedom and safety.
- City Hall will be closed on Monday, January 15, 2023, in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day and in honor of his vision and dream to make our nation a better and more respectful place.
- The next Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 16, at 7 PM. We encourage everyone interested in your local government to attend virtually or in person. The agenda is posted online at City Hall on the Thursday before the meeting, by close of business. You can always contact our Deputy City Recorder, Tammy Heitsman, with any questions.