

The City of Mt. Angel Newsletter



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Update on Sidewalks

The City Council would like to thank those who participated in the City's recent sidewalk survey. The information you gave the City helped the Council narrow the list of potential projects down to three projects they are considering for spring/summer 2012.

Many of you probably already know that the City improved the sidewalks along several blocks of Taylor Street this past summer. Improving streets and sidewalks is a goal for this City Council and the City has already improved 1365 lineal feet of sidewalks with City funds and 2430 lineal feet of roadways were improved in Mt. Angel in 2011 through grants and other partnerships. In order to continue on with this goal, the Council has funded \$20,000 worth of sidewalk improvements for next spring/summer.

With the community feedback received throughout the month of August, the Council discussed potential projects at their September meeting and will make a decision at a future meeting.

The Council is considering the following projects:

- Continuing on Taylor Street and remove and replace broken sidewalk panels along Taylor Street from Elm to Alder, along Elm Street from Taylor to E. Marquam.
- Improving W. Marquam Street by either creating sidewalks where they currently do not exist or improving them where they do along both the north and south sides of W. Marquam generally between Monroe and Spruce Streets.
- Throughout town, dealing with single potential hazard areas where sidewalk panels are significantly lifted or crumbled and provide serious accessibility issues for pedestrians.

Want to learn more or follow this issue? Watch the City Council agendas online at www.ci.mt-angel.or.us, contact city hall or one of your city councilors.

Important Dates:

Traffic Court- Tuesday, September 27th, 5:30pm at the library community room at 290 E. Charles St.

Council Meeting- Monday, October 3rd, 7pm at the library community room at 290 E. Charles St.

Columbus Day- Monday, October 10th -
City Hall will be open 10am-5pm as usual.

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*Meet our new Court Clerk/
Receptionist Monika Joslin*

Please welcome our newest employee in City Hall, Monika Joslin. Monika came to us with experience from the Oregon State Supreme Court and volunteer work with several community groups including Scotts Mills Historical Society and Holy Rosary Catholic Church. We are happy to gain a friendly and capable addition to our staff.

Monika is the first person to greet visitors and customers at City Hall. She takes payments and provides answers to all kinds of questions. She also handles court payments and administration and assists the judge during the traffic court which takes place every other month.

Monika is from Scotts Mills where her family has a proud history of public service. She was attracted to working for the City of Mt. Angel because of the opportunity to continue court administration. She has many ties to Mt. Angel and provides a wealth of knowledge about the area and its residents.

While not at work, Monika enjoys reading, cooking, singing and being outdoors. She also enjoys spending time with her black lab puppy. Please say hello to Monika next time you come to City Hall.

Please join us in congratulating our Mayor Rick Schiedler on receiving the PGE Outstanding Volunteer of 2011 Award for service to this community as our volunteer mayor. Mayor Schiedler gives many hours of his time working in the community and this award is a great recognition of his commitment to the future of this city.

Do you pay your water bill through online bill pay?

Please check with your bank to make sure that the account number is correctly referenced when they send payment. The City often receives payments with incorrect water account numbers and this delays processing. Help us apply your payment promptly: check your account numbers. Please let us know if you have any questions at 503-845-9291.

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