

City of West Linn

Council Goals Update

Third Quarter - 2014



Transportation

- Commercial street maintenance for discussion with local businesses is ongoing; anticipate a Council discussion and decision in the fourth quarter of 2014.
- The City Council will consider an RGA with DDOT on the Transportation System Plan update (TSP) at the October 14 meeting.
- The Master Trail Plan prioritization list was adopted after great work by the TAB, TRB and staff.
- An aggressive list of concrete, asphalt, and utility seal projects is wrapping up after a busy summer working on West Linn's pavement maintenance program.
- The traffic light at Santa Anita and Rosemead should be completed by mid-October; delays are due to private utilities.

Water

- Bolton Reservoir replacement project siting analysis is completed and will be discussed by the City Council at a future meeting.
- Thank you to the adjacent neighbors for their willingness to offer ideas, comments, suggestions, and feedback.
- Bolton Reservoir neighbors have been engaged in a variety of ways, including in-person meetings, email updates, information requests, and an open house.
- The Bland/Rosemead intertie and pump station work continues.

Economic Development

- Arch Bridge master plan redevelopment plan presented tonight, part of an earlier (pre-2014) and to present (October 7 @ Library) town hall discussion.
- Outreach on-going using traditional and alternative methods for citizen engagement.
- Woodland@home, Affix@Home are new and creative ways to get diverse populations involved with the Arch Bridge discussion.
- Anticipated community discussion on "open work" improve next district TID in the Williamsburg Area. Some area anticipated in the fourth quarter of 2014.
- Proposals for a community for accessibility development made available currently being selected.
- Small business resource center opened at the West Linn Public Library.
- Proposals for CPP grants are due October 17; open to public, private and nonprofit organizations to receive grants for projects that increase tourism in West Linn.

Citizen Engagement

- "WestGUV" app is now available for mobile devices and further training and overview will be provided at the October 23 Council meeting.
- Staff has been trained to be responsive to the WestGUV requests; links back to our Cartographi asset management system.
- Incorporating new and traditional methods of engagement: including users of Arch Bridge using open houses for Arch Bridge and Williams River Greenway Trail; social media outreach on all topics; newsletter inclusion of all topics; for person outreach on specialized topics; mailed letters to all affected homeowners related to major public works projects.
- Citizen Engagement Committee receiving specialized training from IAP; launching outreach in the community to different groups and associations.
- Nominations for Moore Award currently being accepted; due date November 21.
- Hosting the first annual "West Linn Leadership Breakfast" on October 23 for our volunteers and local elected officials; former Secretary of State and current director of the PSU Center for Public Service Phil Kending is keynote speaker.
- Rosemead Ridge Middle School teacher Lisa Falley selected as the League of Oregon Cities' Civic Educator Award winner.

Next Steps

Week of November 10 - Community Outreach survey calling and web survey from 10/10

December 17 - Public meeting with all Linn County citizens

December 22 - Fourth quarter Council goals update

January 9 - 2015 Council goals review



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Water

- Belton Reservoir replacement project siting analysis is completed and will be discussed by the City Council at a future meeting.
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- Belton Reservoir neighbors have been engaged in a variety of ways, including in-person meetings, email updates, information requests, and an open house.
- The Bland Rosemont intake and pump station work continues.

Economic Development

- Arch Bridge master plan/development plan presented tonight; part of an online workshop and workshop (October 7 @ 10:00am) open hall discussion.
- Demotech is exploring using traditional and alternative methods for citizen engagement.
- WestLinn.com, WestLinnLibrary are new and creative ways to get different populations involved with the Arch Bridge discussion.
- Anticipated current utility discussion on an "economic improvement district" EID in the Wilkesville North Street area anticipated in the fourth quarter of 2014.
- Proposals for a consultant for a community development code audit are currently being reviewed.
- Small business resource center opened at the West Linn Public Library.
- Proposals for CTR grant are due October 17; open to public, get code and requests organized in a workshop for projects that create traction in West Linn.

Citizen Engagement

- "YouGov" app is now available for mobile devices and online; a training and overview will be provided at the October 22 Council meeting.
- Staff has been trained to be responsive to the YouGov requests; links back to our ConceptPlan asset management system.
- Experimenting new and traditional methods of engagement: walking tours of Arch Bridge area; open house for Arch Bridge and Wilkesville River Greenway Trail; social media outreach on all topics; requester inclusion of all topics; response outreach on specialized topics; created letters to all affected homeowners related to major public works projects.
- Citizen Engagement Coordinators receiving specialized training from IAP; introducing outreach in the community to different groups and associations.
- Nominations for Mayor Award currently being accepted; due date is November 22.
- Hosting the first annual "West Linn Leadership Breakfast" on October 23 for our politicians and local elected officials; former Secretary of State and former Director of the PSU Center for Public Service Phil Kristling is keynote speaker.
- Rosemont Ridge Middle School teacher Luis Fariy selected as the League of Oregon Cities' 2014 Education Award winner.

Next Steps

- Week of November 18 - Community outreach to meet with and hear from the EID.
- December 17 - Check-in meeting with all Citizens Advisory Groups.
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- Outreach campaign using traditional and alternative methods for citizen engagement.
- WestLinnIdeas.com, #BiteSizeHistory are new and creative ways to get different populations involved with the Arch Bridge discussion
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