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## A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

FYI, as I am a city representative, and subject to certain ethics guidelines, I do not access Facebook in any manner. As an information platform I see this as a non-credible means of worthwhile information. If others do, that is on them. I understand many folks chose to communicate this way. Advice for what it's worth, if folks would like comments to be in my view as credible dialog they should post directly to the city.

We have a commitment to be public with written communications and evident with the communications we consider. Anyone who is in a public elected position such as the Council or their appointed committees should make themselves familiar with the Oregon Ethics laws.

That said. Thanks to everyone who has involved themselves at City Council work sessions and meetings of late. So many letters and testimony are the best step forward in the normal civic process.

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## THIS MONTH'S AGENDA



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It is hard at a meeting to see no names on the zoom list and feel any community spirit accompany the city you represent. I thank the council members, staff and residents who get involved. Every instance of inclusion helps me, and the council work our best for you and the community.

Let me add a bit more on the method of what works best. First we need to clarify that modern email transmission often includes a chain of repeated, forwarded, copied, and pasted posts. Often these are created unaware by the sender and or present as unexpected stacks of repeated chains. Very hard to discern an original draft from a chain of posts. It is understandable to say these messages are 'similar' when sections are exact duplicates. The effort of sorting out chains often weakens the message attempted.

The cure? Post single original message under your name without following a stream or series of links. Take a moment to make the effort, it means more. Personally I'd say this contagion of media comes from a cultural/attitude problem that has crept into the Council's information flow and it needs to be worked out of the culture. Our culture is too loose with social media and it's noncommittal manner of messaging.

Words matter and words inadvertently repeated minimize the power of input from the community. So, if words matter so much, take some extra time and effort to be clear. Show that your thoughts are being laid forth. Copy and paste is less effective than saying, "I agree with 'so-and-so's comment and..."

With that now clear (I hope)...

I do count letters, it is a human thing to do. We do also count the instances people stop us in the post office or on the sidewalk or at an event (masked and distanced), or call for a short chat. Yes that is not an official public document but it is just as important. Moments made in person are hard to quantify except to the person [ Councilor ] who listens. I listen, we listen. I believe staff even listens, though their job is different than ours.

I also understand the concept to compare who has what in reference to a topic, another very human thing to do. Also an imperfect example of the challenge of my position. I get it. Many directions in any argument lead to comparisons of points of view. Part of the challenge the elected policy maker must endure is understanding the elements of an argument in order to filter each point toward pertinent consideration.

Thank you for listening to my rant on communication.

**Mayor Sam**

# Home size? Why such a hullabaloo?

*A second letter from Mayor Sam Steidel*

Why are we discussing residential homes of late, specifically, size?

Well for one it has become quite evident that our old ordinances do not meet the challenges we knew were coming.

I ask interested parties to read the City Comprehensive Plan, specifically the Vision. It is obvious past policy makers had size, character and natural environment in their sights. They envisioned how the future would become what we are seeing today. Huge influx of visitors, tourism related demands, and new residents romanticizing quaint charm but bringing upscale out of context attitudes.

We now can envision a future that both goes far beyond what our predecessors were able see and the repercussions that come with those changes. There is a lot to unpack here, the very reason we are initiating a Code review process. Which I would like every one to understand will be a long and involved process on the part of City and Community. I repeat Community, [ which means you all ] along with the Council, Planning Commission and Design review and other appointed boards.

Back to the topic, the idea that we needed to fast track residential size. No more fast track, but, home size may be the first step of the next part.

I believe Livable square footage of a home is a personal choice. Your home your space. That said, if you come to a quaint small town that imparts a desire to retain it's quaint small charm, be aware, personal space is something that is regulated. Or so our Comprehensive Plan set forth in the hope our Ordinances would support and defend, and should.

To me the impact of a built structure on the character of the community is the visible size of the structure and in some regards style in relation to the apparent mass. A perception that at one time was the community wide choice. Read the Vision statement of the Comprehensive Plan in light of those who wrote it, not in today's cultural view of what is an average acceptable home size today. That is the Village character I see our ordinances must support.

Obviously there were large homes in past times. Easily enough for prior residents of the 70s and 80s to envision how the community could be covered with McMansions, then. Easy to see how that was a fear.

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The term McMansion was as much a term of sentiment then as it is now. Only now we can see the ever expanding evidence. As well we see evidence how the ordinances in place do not suit their intent. We are now facing the challenge that we do not have the proper tools to address how to maintain the affectation of 'Village Character' so desired and cherished in the Comp Plan. The guiding principle of the elected policy maker.

The designers of the Comp plan did not foresee that second homes would so readily become commerce and rise to be our primary housing type. Nor could they have imagined property values climbing so fast or so dramatically. It is our time now to bridge between past desires of what 'Village character' means and the modern insult we face today, the McMansion.

We must not whine about errors that slipped past the gate keeping ordinances or about perceived harsh efforts to bring on overt denial of personal desires. Time now is for us to recognize the balance so sought after in the Vision. Key word, balance. Not re-set or re-quantify the balance, keep it. Hold it dear as a principal guiding desire of what this community desired and what modern life brings.

What is the question we need to answer? An excellent point was made recently that it is the question you ask which guides how we approach our discussions. Such as...

"Do you think we should have more 'huge' houses that are out of character?"

"Do you think we should require houses to be so small that they can't reasonably be used by families?"

I borrowed those two, thank you to who offered them. Other potential questions...

"Does a large structure fit in the definition of village character? In the neighborhood id joins?"

"Do small cabins removed and replaced by maxed out building envelopes reflect neighborly design?"

"Does the 'livability' choice of the private citizen superseded the general community preference as considered in the City Vision?"

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"Do my property rights end at the property line?"

I could ask a jillion questions that lead to a jillion answers.

I find it amusing we have run smack into Spock's logic dilemma ... "The Needs Of The Many Outweigh The Needs Of The Few. Or The One." Or do the desires for 'living space square footage' outweigh the historic desires of the community on which one choses to live in? Or the goal to maintain the Village Character appeal of that community.

My take though is that Village character is a hold over aesthetic from a not too distant past. It is what folks remember from when they were young, coming to the beach on a summer vacation. It is a natural sensibility, to reminisce and hold close the novelties of past memories, imperfect as they may be.

The city Comprehensive Plan intones 'Villager character' as the ideal. That said, and I repeat intentionally, the current ordinances do not make keeping hold of this ideal an easy task for city or home owner. What with modern sensibilities being at odds with an older Village character preference. One that was built of cozy beach cabins from an era that is memorialized by sentiment. Though also of a time when families did live in smaller homes, comfortably.

I made mention of Garages in a recent meeting. "Two car garages are ugly". I did not say they need to stop. Simply a commentary of my opinion. As to garages in general I take exception to the expressed absolute cultural requirement of them. As example, take a walk up West 1st Street. Note the design handling of the homes. Garage portals facing the most observable face of the homes along the short walk are few. There are garages though. Some hidden behind, some as detached smaller structures, some screened, some obvious and some without.

Variety and attention to design are all the better components of placing a garage in a neighborhood. Attention is dependent on the neighborhood aesthetic not as much the individual facade.

A final note...

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I appreciated how recent discussion really drilled down on the questions: What does FAR really mean? What does lot coverage mean? What are Floor Area Ratios? These are Planning and Architectural 'terms of art' that the average person in town doesn't usually try and understand until confronted by it. I'm thankful that some folks do seem to be taking the opportunity to pay attention. I appreciate that residents are leading the charge to guide an effort to learn what these long used terms mean. It helps in discussions toward with the same definitions when terms are thrown out.

My thoughts and comments are spurred by yours, so keep 'em coming.

**Regards, Mayor Sam**



## Corporal Joseph Bowman

*Hired: Nov. 1, 2000*

During high school I joined the Gearhart Fire Department as a cadet where I became certified as an Emergency Medical Responder, as well as several firefighting certifications. I found public service to be both fun and rewarding and, after high school, I continued that service by enlisting in the US Navy.

My job specialty in the Navy was a Damage Controlman. As such, I specialized in Firefighting, mass conflagration ship stabilization/repair, and Chemical, Biological, and Radiological Defense (CBRD).

I additionally obtained a Hazmat Technician certification, and I was a shop supervisor for three different shipboard Divisions, overseeing approximately 20-25 personnel. I spent approximately two years stationed in Japan, and two stationed in San Diego.

After the military, I returned to Clatsop County. I knew that I wanted to continue my career in public service, and police work fit that bill. Moreover, I was captivated by the beauty and community of people in Cannon Beach. I felt that if I were able to be hired as a police officer, for the community of Cannon Beach, it would be a place that I would want to dedicate a career to. A decision that, to this day, I continue to believe and fulfill.

I currently hold an Advanced Police Certification. Throughout my 21 years here, I have held, or currently hold, several instructorships, including Defensive Tactics, Taser, Oleoresin Capsicum, and Domestic Violence. Additionally, I have been afforded many amazing opportunities to experience different avenues in police work, including but not limited to working with the Clatsop County Interagency Narcotics Team, being the K9 handler for Gunner, being a Field Training Officer, etc.

Over the years I have seen my role evolve, from conducting routine patrol operations to guiding new officers at the start of their careers. I have observed many changes in Law Enforcement and feel it is important to continually evolve to meet societal and community needs. I'm fervent about ensuring that new officers understand this as an important trait in their professional careers.



My career passion is currently focused on Critical Incident training. I believe that mental health is a serious issue affecting our country/community, and any training that helps towards working with, and addressing, mental health continues to be a top priority for me.

I am married and have six children. When I'm not working, I enjoy spending time with my family, camping, hiking, photography, and playing guitar. Additionally, I am a volunteer firefighter with the Cannon Beach Rural Fire Protection District and have been there since 2002.

In the next couple of months, I will be returning to school to pursue my Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice, with a focus on Police Administration. It is my belief that this educational pursuit will help me better serve the community of Cannon Beach.





# **2022-2023 COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON FEB. 18, 2022.**

The Parks & Community Services Committee of the City of Cannon Beach would like to invite area nonprofit organizations to apply for funding through the 2022-2023 Community Grants program.

Nonprofit groups providing programs/projects in arts, educational, community, recreational, environmental, or social services in Cannon Beach are invited to apply for funding through this annual program. Organizations may apply for project-specific funds or operational funding.

The current application packet will be released on February 18, 2022, and [available for download on the City's website.](#)

Completed applications will be accepted in person at City Hall (utilizing the drop box by the door on E Gower), by mail, or via the City's file-share system on its website. Grant requests must be received at Cannon Beach City Hall by 2 p.m. on April 19, 2022. Incomplete or late applications WILL NOT be considered.

All grant applicants are required to provide a 10-minute presentation about their project/program on Thursday, May 26, 2022. Please plan on these presentations to be conducted via Zoom, but they may be done in person if COVID restrictions allow.

For more information about the 2022-2023 Community Grants program, please check out the City's website or contact Public Works Administrative Assistant Kelsey Balensifer at 503-436-8048 or [balensifer@ci.cannon-beach.or.us](mailto:balensifer@ci.cannon-beach.or.us).



A REMINDER FROM THE  
PARKS & COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE



Cannon Beach  
Rural Fire Protection District



# DESSERT WITH THE DISTRICT

**TUESDAY, FEB 15 @ 6PM**

Come meet your fire department and ask questions! **We will provide the dessert!** Hang out for a couple minutes, or an hour. Either way, we would love to see you! Our Fire Chief Marc Reckmann will be here if anyone have questions. Hope to see you there.

At the Fire House, 188 E Sunset Blvd, Cannon Beach, OR 97110

## **JOB OPENING: Executive Assistant CANNON BEACH FIRE DISTRICT**



**Cannon Beach  
Rural Fire Protection District**

Location: Cannon Beach, Oregon

*40 hours a week, starting at \$50,495 plus Benefits.*

Cannon Beach Fire District is located on the beautiful, scenic Pacific coast of northern Oregon. The district was established in 1947 and currently provides fire, water rescue, rope rescue, and non-transport EMS service from two stations. The 6 square mile service area includes the communities of Cannon Beach, Arch Cape and Falcon Cove.

The ideal candidate will have experience in executive administrative activities to the Fire Chief. The candidate will be a positive addition and liaison with the community, Board of Directors, Fire staff, and volunteers. The candidate is expected to work closely with the City, County, State and Federal partners as well as neighboring Fire Districts. The position will require some flexibility to attend monthly board meetings, but typically will be 8 hours a day, 5 days a week commitment.

The District is looking for an experienced Executive Assistant who can provide the District with assistance in accounts receivable/payable, budgeting, office management, filing, and reports.

**Application and Deadline** - [Download the Application Here](https://www.cbfire.com/files/7f0dd0932/EA_Announce_Resume.pdf)  
[https://www.cbfire.com/files/7f0dd0932/EA\\_Announce\\_Resume.pdf](https://www.cbfire.com/files/7f0dd0932/EA_Announce_Resume.pdf)

Submit by 5:00 pm on February 18, 2022 to Cannon Beach RFPD, PO Box 24 Cannon Beach, Oregon 97110 or drop off at the Cannon Beach main station at 188 Sunset Blvd. Please clearly mark on outside of envelope "EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT APPLICATION". Packets may also be emailed to [mreckmann@cbfire.com](mailto:mreckmann@cbfire.com). Any packets received missing the required materials or received after the closing time, will be deemed ineligible to move on in process.

### **Tentative process schedule:**

Applications close February 18, 2022 Interviews week of March 7, 2022 Conditional Job Offer by March 14, 2022 Tentative start April 4, 2022

For further information about the position or Cannon Beach Fire District please visit our website [cbfire.com](http://cbfire.com) or contact Fire Chief Marc Reckmann, at 503-436-2949.

*Cannon Beach Fire District is an equal opportunity employer.*



**On Saturday, Jan 15th, we experienced an actual Tsunami event,** which brought up concerns of public notification systems, from the COWS (speaker) system and beyond.

**Emergency Manager Rick Hudson wants to express how important it is to stay connected with factual and real time information that you can use during an emergency.** Rick suggests signing up for a trifecta of locally-based notification services (all are free). Of the three, Rick recommends Nixle as the most effective. Details and how to sign up to each below.

### **1. Nixle**

Nixle is controlled locally by Cannon Beach Police. It covers our local zip codes and is very easy to register for. The CBPD uses this service sparingly and only when they need to get out an emergent message to Cannon Beach.

Sign up for Cannon Beach PD Nixle signup:

<https://local.nixle.com/signup/widget/i/5403>

Nixle generic sign up for any zip code. (Both are the same Nixle service):

<https://www.nixle.com/>

### **2. Clatsop Alerts**

Clatsop Alerts is a county wide notification system administered by the Clatsop County Emergency Management team. Notifications include other issues, such as COVID vaccination clinics, road closures and more. This service is also sponsored by the State of Oregon and used in statewide emergencies for notifications, evacuations and larger scale events.

Sign up for Clatsop Alerts

<https://member.everbridge.net/1772417038942600/new>

### **3. City of Cannon Beach Community Notification List**

The City of Cannon Beach Community Notification List (CNL) is very important to complete the trifecta of being informed. The CNL is an email list used to stay connected to the city for upcoming events, safety messages, severe weather announcements, and emergency management trainings for community safety.

Sign up for the Community Notification List

<https://www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us/emergencymgmt/webform/sign-community-notification-list>

# **Cannon Beach** **Transportation System Plan** **Online Open House** **Preferred** **Alternatives**

**#1**



**#2**



**#3**



**February 3rd**  
**6PM**

**@cannonbeachtsp.com**



City of Cannon Beach  
**TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM PLAN**

# Join us for the TSP 3rd Open House: Preferred Alternatives

**The City of Cannon Beach Transportation System Plan (TSP)** is a long-range plan that will guide investments for the next 20 years. The TSP will include a prioritized list of needed transportation projects, programs, and policy updates for the city to begin implementing after the plan is adopted.

**Please join us as we discuss the future of parking and transportation in Cannon Beach. On Thursday, February 3rd**, the Cannon Beach Transportation System Plan is hosting its Third Open House to explore the preferred transportation alternatives to improve Cannon Beach's parking and transportation.

We've looked at the studies, the data and the reports; heard from surveys, citizens and experts; and considered historic, existing and future conditions; and now, it's time to settle on our preferences.

The Cannon Beach TSP 3rd Open House will be hosted on the [cannonbeachtsp.com](http://cannonbeachtsp.com) website along with the City's own website [ci.cannon-beach.or.us](http://ci.cannon-beach.or.us) on **Thursday, February 3rd, at 6PM**. The Open House will review the work that has been conducted so far, including the TSP and Parking existing and future conditions reports, as well as, the preferred alternatives for transportation improvements to the Cannon Beach transportation system.

Save the date and help build a better transportation system by visiting [cannonbeachtsp.com](http://cannonbeachtsp.com), and attending the Open House!

## Join Zoom Meeting:

Meeting URL: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87282442269?pwd=MTBEOEtLS0xwMERGQXNWenM3eTIYQT09>

**Meeting ID: 872 8244 2269**

**Password: 790882**

**One Tap Mobile:**

+16699006833,,87282442269#,,, \*790882# US (San Jose)

+13462487799,,87282442269#,,, \*790882# US (Houston)

**Dial By Your Location:**

+1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose)

+1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma)

**Meeting ID: 872 8244 2269**

**Password: 790882**

View Our Live Stream:

View our Live Stream on YouTube!



A scenic photograph of Haystack Rock on a beach at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a golden glow over the ocean and the large rock formation. A lifeguard stand is visible on the left, and a few people are walking on the beach in the distance.

**Pull up**  
*to work*  
**like**



**HRAP is Hiring!**

As part of our seasonal team you'll help protect, through education, the incredible intertidal ecosystem at Haystack Rock. You'll also be working on the beach. To learn more and apply, visit: [haystackrockawareness.com/jobs](https://haystackrockawareness.com/jobs)



## CITY OF CANNON BEACH

### NOTICE OF VACANCIES CITY COMMISSIONS, BOARDS & COMMITTEES

The City of Cannon Beach is seeking applications for the following vacancies:

**TOURISM & ARTS COMMISSION:** ONE (1) vacancy to fill four-year term immediately. The seven-member Tourism and Arts Commission develops grant guidelines and procedures and distributes and accounts for the monies in the "Tourism and Arts Fund" which are to be used by local non-profit groups to promote tourism and the arts in Cannon Beach. Each member shall have experience in one or more of the following areas: public relations, marketing, advertising, tourism, lodging, promotions, events promotion, art and/or publicity. The Tourism and Arts Commission holds its meetings as needed. Note: Tourism and Arts Commission applicants are not required to reside in Cannon Beach and are eligible if he or she has worked, at least part-time, within the City of Cannon Beach for at least one year, immediately preceding appointment.

**BUDGET COMMITTEE:** TWO (2) vacancies to fill three-year terms, beginning immediately and a three-year term beginning February 1st. The Budget Committee fulfills an important need for citizen involvement in the City's budget process. The committee is involved in preparing the budget, and in helping to bring the budget to public awareness before it is adopted by Council prior to the end of the fiscal year (June 30). There are five members on the Budget Committee, and meeting times vary. Note: Budget Committee members must be a qualified voter of the district and must provide copy of voter registration card with application.

To be eligible to serve on a City committee, applicants must have resided within the city or its urban growth boundary during the one year immediately preceding appointment; or at the time of appointment, shall have owned real property located within the city or its urban growth boundary for at least one year immediately preceding appointment. (See 'Note' re: TAC and Budget).

Applications with questionnaires are available by email addressed to [recorder@ci.cannon-beach.or.us](mailto:recorder@ci.cannon-beach.or.us), or on-line at [www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us](http://www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us) Applications and questionnaires must be returned to Recorder, Cannon Beach City Hall, at P.O. Box 368, Cannon Beach, OR 97110. For more information, please contact (503) 436-8052. Application must be received 24-hours prior to a voting Council Meeting. Voting meetings are the first Tuesday of each month at 6pm.



# CITY OF CANNON BEACH

## SHORT-TERM RENTAL TASK FORCE NOTICE OF VACANCIES

### **What is the Short-Term Rental Task Force?**

The City Council created the ad hoc Short-Term Rental Task Force in 2019. The STR Task Force incorporates a broad spectrum of Cannon Beach citizens, from industry professionals to homeowners and area stakeholders. The STR Task Force shall consist of 7 to 11 members, with at least 2 pre-selected alternates to review and possibly make changes to the existing Short-Term Rental program. The STR Task Force will meet quarterly and serve for four years.

The task force is comprised of members from the STR Industry, Cannon Beach Homeowners, Cannon Beach Housing Advocacy, Cannon Beach Workforce, Chamber or Tourism Representative

### **What vacancy is available?**

The City of Cannon Beach is seeking applications for the two alternate positions. Council is primarily interested in Cannon Beach Homeowners (i.e. Primary Residents of Cannon Beach, Second-Home Owner, Long-term Rental Owner, etc.),

### **How do I apply?**

You can apply online by clicking [here](#). To have the link emailed to you, or receive a PDF application, please contact Jennifer Barrett at [recorder@ci.cannon-beach.or.us](mailto:recorder@ci.cannon-beach.or.us) or 503-436-8052

### **What's the deadline?**

Application must be received 24-hours prior to a voting Council Meeting. Voting meetings are the first Tuesday of each month

## CODE ENFORCEMENT



Did you know the City has a Code Enforcement Complaint Form on their website?

1. Find Services from the menu on the City's Website.
2. Click Code Enforcement Complaint under Police Department.
3. Complete the form to submit your complaint.

<https://www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us/police/webform/code-enforcement-complaint-form>

## COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION LIST SIGNUP

Want to receive emergency or important notifications from the City? Click the link below to be added to the Community Notification List.

<https://www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us/emergencymgmt/webform/sign-community-notification-list>

## COMMUNITY BULLETIN SIGNUP

Sign up here to get the Community Bulletin delivered to your Inbox

Subscribe

## CLATSOP ALERTS



**Clatsop Emergency Notification & Community Information**

**BE IN THE KNOW... We can't alert you if we can't reach YOU!**

Community members and visitors can **CHOOSE UP TO 3** ways to receive emergency notifications and community information from Public Safety, City, Tribal and County Officials for Clatsop County, Oregon.

1. Residential and business landline numbers are automatically included in the emergency contact list and do not require any action.
2. Address specific numbers such as mobile numbers, mobile texts, e-mail, and fax numbers are not included in the emergency contact list and require a manual sign-up.

**SIGN UP at <https://www.co.clatsop.or.us/em/page/clatsopalerts>**

## TSUNAMI WAYFINDING WEDNESDAYS



We are going to continue exercising our Tsunami Wayfinding routes to prepare ourselves and our community to mobilize from whichever location we are to the nearest Tsunami Assembly area.

**Objective:** We will exercise the walk from any location to the Tsunami Assembly areas. We will start the exercises from 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm on the first Wednesday each month. Critical to time all walk out evolutions for

personal information. Any Tsunami sign issues email Emergency Manager, **Rick Hudson**.

Click the link below to view the evacuation maps to assist.

### **Tsunami Evacuation Routes & Assembly Areas**

CERT team, we will walk to our evacuation areas and then participate in a radio test starting at 5:30 pm -ending at 6:00pm. We will be operating on CB Command (CB CMD).



# ELK ARE WILD ANIMALS



**(EVEN THOUGH THEY CAN APPEAR DOCILE)**

## HERE ARE A FEW SUGGESTIONS TO ENJOY THEM SAFELY:

- ◆ Watch from a safe distance of at least 100 feet.
- ◆ Be aware of your surroundings to avoid surprising a herd, and never walk into the middle of a herd.
- ◆ Be careful at night and carry a flashlight.
- ◆ Keep pets on a leash at all times Elk see dogs as a predator and potential threat.
- ◆ Elk are most active at dawn and dusk along roadways and migration routes. Drive slowly.
- ◆ September/October (breeding season) and May/June (calving season) are times when Elk can become more aggressive.
- ◆ Please do not feed Elk. It can be harmful to them and it is illegal to feed any wildlife in Cannon Beach.



Photo: © Bob Kroll

## CITY HALL CLOSED TO VISITORS EXCEPT BY APPOINTMENT

Effective **August 27, 2021**, the following policies will be in place per Administrative Order 21-02:

- All City operations will continue with the exception that City Hall will be closed to visitors inside the building. All in-person transactions will take place through the walk-up window installed next to the ballot drop box.
  - The service window will be open daily from 8:00 – 5:00 pm
  - If you need to meet with a staff member, please schedule an appointment with that staff member
    - A predetermined time and location will be set and staff will meet you there, i.e. Council Chambers door at 2pm
  - For non-monetary transactions with the Community Development Department, the drop off/pick up box is still available outside their office
- There will be no audience members for City Council, Commissions, Boards and Committees meeting.
  - All public comment, participation and attendance will be through Zoom only
    - PDF's on How to Make Public Comment at a meeting and How to Attend a Meeting through Zoom are posted on each meeting page on the website
  - Members of Council, Commissions, Boards and Committees may attend in person or via Zoom

## WANT TO ATTEND A LIVE CITY MEETING VIRTUALLY?



1. Click Agenda and Minutes from the City's Website.
2. Find your meeting and click View Details.
3. Click on the Zoom link.

<https://www.ci.cannon-beach.or.us/meetings>

## FIND OUR CONTENT



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