

City of Westfir Newsletter

February 2025



Happy Valentine's Day

City Hall Hours: Mon Wed Fri 9am – 2pm

*City Council meetings are the first Monday of the month at 5:30pm.
Meetings are held at City Hall and also via audio/video teleconference.*



City Hall will be closed Monday, February 17 for Presidents' Day.

CITY DIRECTORY

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Mayor:

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Councilors:

- ◆ Seat 1
Vacant
- ◆ Deretta Huey
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- ◆ Seat 3
Vacant
- ◆ Linda M. Love
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Mayor Position Filled, Two Council Seats Vacant

City Councilor Richard Watson has stepped forward to take the mayor position. He was appointed by the Council on January 29. As a result, **the City of Westfir is recruiting to fill two vacant seats on the City Council.** One seat is a four-year term, and the other is a two-year term.

To be eligible for appointment, you must:

1. Have lived in the City for six months prior to appointment;
2. Live and be registered to vote in the City; and
3. Not be an officer, agent or employee of the City.

Letters of interest can be emailed to: cityhall@ci.westfir.or.us; mailed to P.O. Box 296, Westfir, OR 97492; or submitted in person at City Hall.

Please consider adding your voice to City government.

Notice of Upcoming Sale

The City of Westfir will put its old service truck up for sale in February. Check the City website or City Facebook page on or after February 7 for a description of condition, minimum bid and how to submit a bid.

Vehicle Details

- Make: Ford
- Model: F-150, 4WD
- Year: 1997
- VIN: IFTDF1869VKA91991
- Odometer Reading: 221,073



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Dog Licenses Are Past Due

Dog licenses were due by January 31.

If you haven't submitted your dog license application and payment, **renew within the next 30 days to avoid a \$15 late fee.** If you didn't receive an application, please contact City Hall.

Dog license applications require that a current rabies certificate be submitted at the time of licensing.

A low-cost rabies vaccine clinic is scheduled for April 5, 2025, from 10–11: 30 AM at the Westfir Portal.



If you sign up for the clinic, we will defer the vaccination requirement until the clinic date.

Please contact City Hall to be added to the list.

Thank you, Volunteers!

Thank you to the folks who helped take down decorations and lights on the bridge and at Portal Park.

We love our volunteers!



JOB OPENING

HELP US GET THE WORD OUT!

The **Relief City Operator** position is still open. The primary work is a 2-hour shift on weekends and holidays to collect water samples.

Application and job description are available at www.ci.westfir.or.us or at Westfir City Hall during business hours, 9:00 AM–2:00 PM, MWF.

The position is open until filled.

We need YOU on the Budget Committee!

The City of Westfir is recruiting to fill two vacancies on the Budget Committee by March 3, 2025.

The Budget Committee is a standing committee that reviews the proposed operating and capital budget each fiscal year, and makes a recommendation on the budget to the City Council for final adoption. The Budget Committee is composed of an equal number of City Officials (5) and appointed citizen members (5). The term is three years.

To be eligible, the applicant must:

1. Have lived in the City for one year prior to application;
2. Live and be registered to vote in the City; and
3. Not be an officer, agent or employee of the City.

To apply, please submit a letter of interest and a signed statement that the applicant is willing to serve as a member of the Budget Committee for a term of three years and to adhere to the policies of the City.

The Budget Committee holds meetings in April and May, and June, if necessary. Submit letters to: cityhall@ci.westfir.or.us or PO Box 296, Westfir, OR 97492.

