

Marijuana Dispensary Free Zone

Much thanks to Councilor, Lila McClanahan for taking the initiative and Council President, Jana Goodman for doing the research to bring before the Council an Ordinance declaring the Town of Butte Falls as a Dispensary Free Zone for the selling of Marijuana. The Ordinance (#335) passed unanimously. As a result, the Town of Butte Falls will not issue a license to any marijuana dispensary within the town limits.

Cow Poo

Last but not least, we are all tired of scooping up cow pies off our property. If it were just the massive cow pies that would be bad enough, but the loose cows are tearing up lawns, ravaging landscaping and exciting barking dogs at all hours of the day and night. In addition, our public works officer and the police have logged a disproportionate amount of taxpayer-funded hours chasing loose cows. It has to stop.

Thanks to the legal research and hard work of Council President, Jana Goodman, the Council was presented with and passed a very strict ordinance to deal with this nuisance. The owner of any livestock found at large within the platted boundaries of the Town will be fined \$100 per day, per animal for the first offense and \$500 per day, per animal for the second offense and thereafter. If left unclaimed for three days or if the animal is identified as a third time offender, the animal will be transported to the livestock auction and sold. Proceeds of the sale shall be retained by the Town and costs of transporting shall be borne by the owner. In addition, any livestock damage to property requires restitution to the property owner by the owner of the livestock.

Please help us enforce this ordinance by reporting loose cows to Police Chief Chris Hanson 541 865 3200. Chris has also suggested that you send him a cell phone picture of the loose cow as evidence.

If you have any questions, concerns, or comments please contact me or one of your councilors at Town Hall. Phone: 541-865-3262 or email: bfcityhall@gmail.com

Fred Phillips, Mayor