# **GENERAL NEWS** Mallen fills Dunes City council seat

### Roads closed due to slides

Lane County Public Works announced Tuesday morning that hazardous road conditions have closed two routes in the Florence area.

Big Creek Road, off Highway 101 north of Florence, is closed through tomorrow, Feb. 18, from mileposts 2.7 to 3.7 due to a slide.

Alternate routes include Highway 126 to North Fork Siuslaw Road and Upper North Fork Road.

North Fork Siuslaw Road, off Highway 36 near Mapleton, is closed indefinitely from mileposts 15.7 to 15.9 due to an unstable slide area.

Taking Highway 126 to North Fork Siuslaw Road is an alternate route

The county will notify the public when the road reopens.



HOW TO BE SINGLE (R) - A group of lonely-hearted New Yorkers look for love in the city that never sleeps. KUNG FU PANDA 3 (PG) - Po, the lovable kung fu panda hero, returns

to face the evil Kai! SPECIAL EVENTS

RHAPSODY/TWO PIGEONS - 2/20, 11am - Royal Ballet Encore! BICYCLES 101 PRESENTS: BIKES VS CARS -2/23, 12pm + 6:30pm - True Story Tuesday about the advantages of bicycle

LES LIAISONS DANGEREUSES - 2/24, 6pm - National Theatre Live

presents an astounding production from Josie Rourke Times, tickets, and trailers at CITYLIGHTSCINEMAS.COM 1930 Highway 101 • Florence, OR 97439 • movie line: 541-305-0014

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Westlake resident Tom Mallen takes the oath of office read by Dunes City Mayor Rebecca Ruede at the Feb. 11 city council meeting before joining fellow councilors Maurice Sanders (far left), Ed Scarberry (far right), Sheldon Meyer, Ken Platt and Duke Wells. Mallen was appointed to fill the vacancy created when former councilor Jamie Mills stepped down to become acting Dunes City administrator.

#### **Florence Food Share** Monthly Statistics January 2016

Households served 685 Ages served

Infants	84
Children 3-12	273
Teens 13-17	168
Adults 18-54	866
Seniors 55+	499
Total served 1	,890
Florence Food Share, 2190 Sp	oruce
St. P.O. Box 2514 Florence	OR

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Accepting New Clients

egional Accelerator and Innovation Network (RAIN) continued its economic development partnership with the City of Florence at its Encore Entrepreneur event on Feb. 11. From left, Florence Economic Development Coordinator Kelli Weese, Eugene encore entrepreneur Tom Keating, City Manager Erin Reynolds and RAIN regional coordinator Carl Hulan met with "active retirees" at the Blue Bill Sports Bar at Three Rivers Casino Resort. RAIN is working to bring outside funding into the area to increase economic growth and development. Its next event is Thursday, Feb. 18, at the Riverside Cafe, 1340 Bay St., at 5:30 p.m., when local artist Jayne Smoley will talk with artists who wish to start or expand their marketing efforts. For more information, go to www.meetup.com/Startup-Florence-Oregon-Coast/.

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