



The Eagle/Rylan Boggs

John Day City Manager Nick Green participates in a Tuesday, Jan. 24, John Day City Council meeting.

John Day garbage bills increasing

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John Day residents will see their garbage bills from Clark's Disposal increase this year.

The John Day City Council approved a resolution to enact a rate hike proposed by Nancy Moffit of Clark's Disposal. The hike is in response to the rising cost of living and will range from \$1 to \$15, depending on services rendered. The rate for one 32-gallon

can per week will increase from \$15.50 to \$16.50, and the rate for one 45-gallon can per week will increase from \$25.50 to \$27.50. The last rate hike was in 2012.

During the meeting, the council also reviewed and approved changes to the city's yearly financial statement. Several inaccuracies had been brought to the attention of the council and corrected by city accountant Anna Bass.

COPS & COURTS

Arrests and citations in the Blue Mountain Eagle are taken from the logs of law enforcement agencies. Every effort is made to report the court disposition of arrest cases.

Grant County Sheriff

CANYON CITY — The Grant County Sheriff's Office reported the following for the week of Jan. 19-25:

- Concealed handgun licenses: 10
- Average inmates: 6
- Bookings: 2
- Releases: 4
- Citations: 2
- Fingerprints: 6
- Civil papers: 26
- Warrants processed: 4
- Asst./welfare check: 2
- Failure to use lights: Brady Burch, 19, John Day.
- Possession of marijuana by person under 21: Feilen Sayers, 19, John Day.

Justice Court

CANYON CITY — The Grant County Justice Court reported the following fines and judgments:

- Dog as a public nuisance: Mallory Rose Thomas, 26, John Day, Aug. 5, fined \$260.
- Lending, borrowing or selling big game tag: Joshua Ryan Ewings, 28, Dayville, Dec. 31, fined \$110.
- Exceeding speed limit: Dustin R. Stephens, 25, Haines, Nov. 16, 75/64 zone, fined \$160.
- Driving uninsured: Tyler Duane Dehiya, 23, Mt. Vernon, Dec. 27, fined \$130.
- Driving while suspended: Stephanie Michelle King-smith, 26, Mt. Vernon, Sept. 19, fined \$435.

Dispatch

John Day dispatch worked 202 calls during the week of Jan. 23-29. Along with the various traffic warnings, trespassing, injured animals, noise complaints and juvenile complaints, these calls included:

John Day Police

Jan. 24: Took a report of telephonic harassment. Both parties were advised to not

contact each other.

Jan. 25: Investigated a hit-and-run accident. Responded to a bank hold-up alarm at Umpqua Bank in John Day; it was a false alarm.

Jan. 27: Responded to a report of a unwanted disorderly subject at Valley View Assisted Living and arrested a 49-year-old John Day man.

Grant County Sheriff

Jan. 23: Responded with Oregon State Police to a report of someone's windshield being shot while driving.

Jan. 24: Advised of a possible trespass in Mt. Vernon and responded later in the day.

Jan. 26: Dispatched to a report of criminal mischief to a vehicle.

Jan. 27: Contacted a vehicle with a gas hose hanging out of its tank.

Jan. 28: Received a report of a male subject going through vehicles on South Canyon Boulevard. Received a complaint of protesters wandering into the road.

Jan. 29: Advised of a suspicious vehicle following a John Day resident.

John Day ambulance

Jan. 25: Dispatched with Prairie City Ambulance for a 51-year-old male who was hit in the head with a metal bed frame.

Jan. 27: Responded to a 26-year-old male with loss of consciousness and difficulty breathing.

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GRANT COUNTY COURT

County to apply for fire, victim grants

By Rylan Boggs
Blue Mountain Eagle

During a Wednesday, Jan. 25, Grant County Court meeting, Victim Assistance Director Andrea Officer was granted permission to solicit grant funding for the upcoming fiscal year. Money earned through grants will go toward local victim services.

Economic Development Director Sally Bartlett was given permission to submit a Fire Management Assistance Grant application on behalf of the county. The grant would be used to purchase a property downstream of the Inland Bridge in Canyon City.

The house on the property would be leveled, and flood preventative measures would be erected to help protect the high school from flood damage. Flooding has become an even greater concern in the wake of the Canyon Creek Complex fire, which decimated vegetation above Canyon City. With no flora to help retain excess water from snow runoff or rain, flooding is a constant threat.

County Treasurer Julie Ellison's request for a 1-percent cost of living adjustment increase for county employees for the upcoming fiscal year was granted.

Morrow County Parks Manager



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Grant County Judge Scott Myers, left, and Grant County Commissioner Boyd Britton participate in a Grant County Court meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 25.

Greg Close presented an update to the court on recent projects performed in the Grant/Morrow County OHV park. The projects included maintenance on bridges, roads and natural springs, wood harvest for campers and management of the roughly 300 miles of trails.

The court also:

- awarded a \$22,000 contract to S&C Electric for electrical work at the fairgrounds.
- awarded a \$73,769 to Troxell Communications for a PA system at the

fairgrounds.

- reviewed and approved changing a full-time clerical position to a part-time position at the Assessor's Office.

- reviewed quotes for a new county vehicle but decided to consider the issue for another week before moving forward with a purchase.

- discussed remodeling two suites at the L Building Complex, 530 E. Main St., John Day, to house four offices and a conference and break room.

Comment period open for Blue Dollar project

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Comments are being accepted for the Malheur National Forest's Blue Dollar Complex allotment management plans grazing project.

The 30-day scoping period during which comments are accepted began Jan. 25. The planning area is located

in Grant and Harney counties, 18-30 miles south of Prairie City, encompassing about 40,364 acres within the Malheur River Watershed.

The Prairie City Ranger District proposes to continue authorization of livestock grazing on three grazing allotments within the Blue Dollar Complex

project planning area using adaptive management strategies designed to meet Forest Plan standards and guidelines.

Some elements involved with the proposed action may include analysis of grazing rotation strategies, riparian area protection, development of upland water sources and

construction of new fencing or modification of existing fence locations.

More information can be obtained by contacting Marion Mahaffey at 541-575-3302, marionmahaffey@fs.fed.us, or on the web at fs.usda.gov/projects/malheur/landmanagement/projects.

ODOT warns depositing snow on highways illegal

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The state highway is not a good place to deposit snow from your driveway, according to a press release from the Oregon Department of Transportation.

It is against the law to deposit any object onto Oregon highways and high-

way right of way, including snow.

ODOT officials said it can be frustrating when snowplows push snow from the highway onto approach roads, but shoveling that snow back onto the road

or shoulder creates a hazard for other highway users and for winter maintenance

operations. Chunks of snow and ice form an uneven road surface that can surprise drivers and cause crashes.

When snowplows create berms of snow at the end of driveways, ODOT asks property owners to help by shoveling that snow to the sides of their driveways, rather than back onto the

road or shoulder.

If you shovel snow onto the roadway, you will be asked to clear it away. Or ODOT may remove the snow and bill you for the cost of doing so. In addition, you may be cited under Oregon law; violations are punishable as a misdemeanor.

Martin graduates from telecommunications class

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Officer Andrew Martin of the John Day Police Department graduated from the Oregon Department of Public Safety Standards and Training's 102nd Basic Telecommunications Class Jan. 27.

The two-week course in-

cluded emergency call handling techniques, stress management, civil liability, ethics, criminal law, overview of fire-rescue and law enforcement operations and other topics. Upon completion of the course, students will re-

turn to their employing agency to continue their training

for a number of months with a field training officer.

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COUNTRY FINANCIAL

If You Bought a TV or Computer Monitor That Contained a Cathode Ray Tube ("CRT"), During the Years 1995 through 2007, You May be Affected by This Litigation and May Benefit from a Settlement.

Please read this notice carefully as your legal rights are affected whether you act or do not act.
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The Oregon Attorney General filed a lawsuit against certain manufacturers of Cathode Ray Tubes ("CRTs"). The lawsuit alleges that CRT manufacturers illegally agreed upon the pricing of CRTs. The Attorney General filed this action in her law enforcement capacity, and on behalf of the State of Oregon and Oregon natural persons, and sought equitable relief, restitution, civil penalties and injunctive relief.

Oregon has settled with five defendants for a total of \$3,645,000 ("Settlement Fund"). The State of Oregon and Oregon natural persons may be entitled to a portion of the Settlement Fund. "Oregon natural persons" means a human, not a business.

Who is Included?

The State of Oregon and Oregon natural persons who indirectly purchased at any time during the years 1995 to 2007, for their own use and not for resale CRTs incorporated in TVs or computer monitors. An indirect purchaser is someone that purchased products containing a CRT from someone other than the company that manufactured the CRT component, such as from an electronics retailer or a device manufacturer other than one of the Defendants.

What Are My Rights And Options?

Exclude yourself: Oregon natural persons have the right to exclude themselves from this action. The State of Oregon cannot be excluded. If you opt out, you will not be legally bound by the litigation or these settlements, but you will not get any money or other benefits from this action or these settlements. You will retain any rights you currently have, if any. Please note that under Oregon law, authority to bring antitrust actions for indirect purchaser claims, like this action, was limited to actions by the Attorney General until January 1, 2010.

To opt-out, complete the opt-out registration online at www.OregonScreenSettlement.com or send a written letter stating that you want to be excluded from the case: *State of Oregon, ex rel Ellen F. Rosenblum v. LG Electronics, Inc. et al.*, Multnomah County Circuit Court case no. CV 120810246. The letter must include

the case name, your name, address, telephone number, and signature. The letter must be **postmarked on or before March 18, 2017**, and mailed to: Oregon CRT Settlement, c/o GCG, P.O. Box 10240, Dublin, Ohio 43017-5740.

File a claim: Only Oregon natural persons need to file a claim to obtain benefits from these settlements. Claims can be completed online or by mailing the claim form, available for download at www.OregonScreenSettlement.com, to the Settlement Administrator. The Court has not set a deadline for filing claims, as the case has not concluded.

Do nothing: If you do nothing, you will continue to be represented by the Oregon Attorney General in the action. You will be bound by the terms of the settlements, and will release Defendants and related entities from any claims you may have relating to the allegations in this lawsuit. Oregon natural persons that do not file a claim will not be entitled to any benefits in this matter and will be bound by the terms of the settlement.

Who Represents Me?

The Attorney General of Oregon represents the State and Oregon natural persons. You do not have to pay the Attorney General. The Attorney General will request the Court approve attorney fees and litigation costs from the Settlement Fund. Additional costs to administer the Settlements will also come out of the Settlement Fund. If you want to be represented by your own lawyer, and have that lawyer appear in Court for you, you must exclude yourself and hire an attorney at your own expense.

How Do I Get More Information?

This Notice summarizes the lawsuits and the Settlements. You can get more information about the lawsuits and Settlements, the claims process or obtain a claim form at www.OregonScreenSettlement.com, by calling 1-877-940-7791, or writing to: Oregon CRT Settlement, c/o GCG, P.O. Box 10240, Dublin, Ohio 43017-5740.

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