

John Day receives planning grant

Award amounts are expected to range between \$100,000 and \$250,000

Blue Mountain Eagle

The city of John Day was one of 12 communities in Oregon to receive a Transportation and Growth Management Program grant.

The Transportation and Growth Management Program, a 24-year partnership between the Department of Land Conservation and Development and the Oregon

Department of Transportation, awards grants to support Oregon communities working to create vibrant, livable places where people can walk, bike, take transit or drive where they want to go, according to a press release.

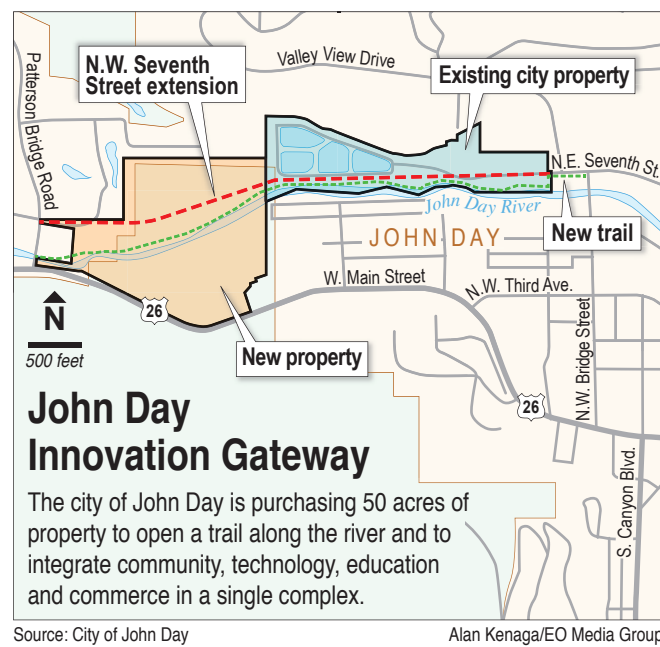
"These grants reflect the importance of planning for the future transportation and land use needs in our communities," said Erin Doyle, Intergovernmental Relations associate from the League of Oregon Cities and chair of the TGM Program Advisory Committee. "This round of TGM grants in particular highlights the increasing role of transit to meet the daily needs of Oregonians."

For this year's funding cycle, 39 applications requested \$5.9 million. Recipients will work with staff to develop each project, including final award amounts based on the scope of each grant. Award amounts are expected to range between \$100,000 and \$250,000.

John Day proposes to create an area plan for a portion of the city to be known as the John Day Innovation Gateway. Through a combination of transportation and community planning, this region will be developed as an innovation center to facilitate the integration of community, technology, education and commerce. The concept includes extending

Seventh Street to Patterson Bridge Road to connect the city to an 80-acre property that will be redeveloped from a former mill site to a usable community space; constructing a multimodal trail along the north side of the John Day River; and developing various transit connections to wastewater reuse projects, educational areas and community spaces.

This area plan will provide a framework for comprehensive planning, financing and, ultimately, implementation of this vision. This area plan is anticipated to be adopted, by amendment, into the city's Transportation System Plan and Comprehensive Plan.



Source: City of John Day

Alan Kenaga/EO Media Group

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 Circuit Court

Elmer Ray Ahrendsen, Jr. pleaded guilty to one count of resisting arrest, two counts of fourth-degree assault constituting domestic violence and one count of coercion, and was sentenced to 19 months in prison and three years probation. Counts of attempt to commit a class C felony, strangulation, fourth-degree assault and first-degree unlawful sexual penetration were dismissed.

Matthew Eric Sagaser was found guilty of a probation violation and a deferred adjudication violation for use of methamphetamine, strangulation, coercion and three counts of fourth-degree assault, and was sentenced to 50 days in jail and 40 hours of community service.

Ryan Jeffrey Bernhard pleaded guilty Aug. 31 to fleeing or attempting to elude a police officer on July 15 and was sentenced to five days in jail and 18 months of probation, and was fined \$200. His license was suspended for 90 days. A count of driving under the influence of intoxicants was diverted. A charge of third-degree criminal mischief was dismissed.

Jon Louis Kimball pleaded guilty Nov. 3, 2016, to driving under the influence of intoxicants on Aug. 27, 2016. His diversion for this charge was

revoked for consuming intoxicants Aug. 31. He was sentenced to 18 months probation and 80 hours of community service, and was fined \$1,255. His license was suspended for one year.

Tyson Richard Haack pleaded guilty Aug. 31 to first-degree criminal mischief on March 25. He was sentenced to six days in jail, 24 months of probation and 80 hours of community service, and fined \$350. He was ordered to pay \$670 in restitution to Matthew Eric Sagaser and \$150 in attorney fees.

Timothy Luke Keith pleaded guilty Aug. 31 to unlawful possession of a firearm and driving uninsured on May 8. He was sentenced to 10 days in jail and 18 months bench probation, and fined \$330. Single counts of unlawful possession of a firearm, driving while suspended or revoked and violation of ignition interlock device installation were dismissed.

Grant County Sheriff

The Grant County Sheriff's Office reported the following for the week of Aug. 24-30:

- Concealed handgun licenses: 5
- Average inmates: 16
- Bookings: 8
- Releases: 9
- Arrests: 1
- Fingerprints: 3
- Civil papers: 9
- Warrants processed: 9
- Asst./welfare check: 3
- Search and Rescue: 3

Justice Court

The Grant County Justice Court reported the following

COPS AND COURTS

finances and judgments:

Ronald Ray Lambeth pleaded guilty to second-degree disorderly conduct and third-degree theft and was sentenced to two years probation and fined \$200. One charge of second-degree disorderly conduct was dismissed.

Tedric James Swartzendruber was found guilty of offensive littering and was fined \$435.

Open container of alcohol: Cameron J. Hopper, 24, Burlington, Vermont, July 3, fined \$270.

Failure to carry proof of insurance: Dillon Glen Winters, 20, John Day, June 27, fined \$260.

Failure to register vehicle: Austin Wade Holliday, 19, July 1, fined \$110.

Off-road vehicle on highway: Gregg A. Haberly, 53, John Day, Aug. 18, fined \$260.

Failure to carry a valid registration card: Madison Duvall, 19, John Day, June 28, fined \$110.

Failure to drive within lane: Claire Veronica Broome, 68, Berkeley, California, Aug. 21, fined \$260; Anthony M. Gonzalez, 58, Bullhead City, Arizona, June

24, fined \$260.

No operator's license: Russell Scott Sickler, 51, Seattle, July 2, fined \$270; Paul Richard Cullinan, 36, Burns, June 19, fined \$270.

Driving uninsured: Gregory J. Ramage, 46, Milwaukie, Wisconsin, July 3, fined \$270; Tyler John Gifford, 22, John Day, June 21, fined \$260; Paul Richard Cullinan, 36, Burns, June 19, fined \$270; Damian Christian Patteuw, 23, Burns, July 1, fined \$270; Anthony M. Gonzalez, 58, Bullhead City, Arizona, June 24, fined \$260; Nicole Christine Shaffer, 21, Mt. Vernon, April 2, fined \$260.

Driving while suspended: Anthony Scott Steele, 52, John Day, May 31, fined \$445; Tyler John Gifford, 22, John Day, June 21, fined \$435; Damian Christian Patteuw, 23, Burns, July 1, fined \$445; Steven Michael Posorski, 37, Hot Springs, Montana, June 21, fined \$445; Benjamin Lee Keith, 37, Burns, June 23, fined \$445; Benjamin Lee Keith, 37, Burns, July 2, fined \$445; Anthony M. Gonzalez, 58, Bullhead City, Arizona, June 24, fined \$435; Nicole Christine Shaffer, 21, Mt. Vernon, May 6, fined \$435; Nicole Christine Shaffer, 21,

Mt. Vernon, May 7, fined \$435; Nicole Christine Shaffer, 21, Mt. Vernon, May 22, fined \$435; Nicole Christine Shaffer, 21, Mt. Vernon, April 2, fined \$435.

Exceeding speed limit: Malcom Spencer Squire, 24, San Francisco, 72/65 zone, Aug. 21, fined \$160; Ronald F. Harris, 67, Hyampom, California, 79/65 zone, Aug. 21, fined \$260; Teri Corialle Smith, 24, Hines 82/65 zone, June 19, fined \$270; Branden Sasser Pearson, 44, Camas, Washington, 73/65 zone, Aug. 19, fined \$160; Michael Stephen Sarka, 67, Calabasas, California, 80/65 zone, Aug. 21, fined \$260; Douglas K. Barrett, 54, Junction City, 49/35 zone, Aug. 19, fined \$135; Carissa Kaye Gormley, 34, Meridian, Idaho, 88/65 zone, Aug. 5, fined \$435; Sean T. Mathieu, 21, 73/65 zone, Aug. 7, fined \$160; Todd Takho Lee, 49, Oakland, California, 79/65 zone, Aug. 20, fined \$220; Jon Andrew Box, 64, Villa Grande, California, 74/65 zone, fined \$135; Tyler Grant Colwell, 53, San Luis Obispo, California, Aug. 20, fined \$135; Andrew G. Coles Heriot, 24, Portland, 73/65 zone, Aug. 21, fined \$160.

Violation of the speed limit: Kate Hallisey Russel Robin, 34, San Diego, California, 47/30 zone, fined \$100; Ievacny Sanivsky, 40, Brooklyn, New York, 42/25 zone, Aug. 20, fined \$160; Emma Stokes Alling, 33, Culver City, California, 42/25 zone, Aug. 19, fined \$160; Jeffery P. Slack, 57, Sheridan, 51/35 zone, Aug. 6, fined \$160; Robert Earle Holmer, 48, Sacramento, California, 49/30 zone, Aug. 19, fined \$160; Dillon Glen Winters, 20, John Day, 55/30 zone, June 27, fined \$260; Erryn Avorey Smith, 22, La Mesa, California, 75/55 zone, Aug. 20, fined \$135.

Violation of the basic rule: Donald Roy Sturms, 60, San Leonardo, California, 76/55 zone, Aug. 21, fined \$220; Christopher Kurt Schmid Schnyder, 43, 84/55 zone, Aug. 22, fined \$260; Claire Veronica Broome, 68, Berkeley, California, 70/55 zone, Aug. 21, fined \$160; Brent Foutz, 69, Boulder City, Nevada, 81/55 zone, fined \$160.

Small claims

Ray Klein Inc. v. Lisa K. Marquez. Money judgment awarded to Ray Klein Inc. for \$1,702.62.

Grief Support Group

Join us on Wednesday, September 7th from 3:00-4:30 for a Grief Support Group. We will meet weekly for 10 weeks, to learn about the dynamics of grief, how to deal with and heal through grief, and to honor our loved ones who have passed on. Materials and refreshments will be provided.

Contact Michelle Gibson to register, or with questions 541-575-1648 mgibson@bluemountainhospital.org

06048

BEO offers a path of possibilities...

Come see us today.

Term Loans • Lines of Credit • Ag & Commercial Real Estate

John Day & Prairie City Branches



Bank of Eastern Oregon



beobank.com

Member FDIC

Grant County Entrepreneurs!

Do you have questions about starting a business in Grant County?

Would you share your ideas about what makes a good business?

Have an idea but don't know what to do with it?

THIS IS THE PLACE:

Outpost Pizza Pub & Grill

201 W Main, John Day

10:00 am on September 12

For More Information Email:
David@envme.com

ENTREPRENEUR

EMPLOYEE

GRANT COUNTY ENTREPRENEURS ASSOCIATION

The Juniper Arts Council

is offering training on applying for small grants and the Juniper Arts Council Shelk Community Grant Application.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2017

5:30 - 6:30 p.m. in the Community Room at the John Day Fire Hall

Why should your organization attend?

- Your organization needs a small grant
- Your organization is looking for grant application training
- Your organization would like to apply for a Juniper Arts Council Shelk Community Grant (maximum grant awarded: \$1,000) *

For more information, contact Kris Beal at 541-932-4892.

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE NOVEMBER 2, 2017 BY 5 P.M.

* The Juniper Arts Council is pleased to be partnering with the John and Linda Shelk Foundation to offer community grants in Grant County. The trainer will use the Juniper Arts Council Shelk Community Grant application and budget as a model at the training with extra points added to your grant application when it is scored just for attending.