

Public Meetings – November 2026		
<i>Dates and times subject to change, check with City Hall</i>		
11/2	7:00 pm	City Council @ City Hall
11/7	10:00 am	Coffee with Mayor Christie @ City Hall
11/11	Veterans Day – City Offices Closed	
11/16	6:00 pm	Park Advisory Committee @ Public Works
11/16	7:00 pm	City Council @ City Hall
11/17	10:00 am	Non-Profits/City Organizational Meeting @ City Hall
11/19	5:30 pm	Urban Renewal Agency @ City Hall
11/26-27 Thanksgiving Day and Black Friday – City Offices Closed		

Community Service Announcements

Winston-Dillard Water District News

The Winston-Dillard Water District’s water tank replacement project is coming along nicely. Construction of the tank walls is underway and progressing on schedule. If you’re in the area, please keep an eye out for those working there.

Greetings Winston Senior Citizens

We invite each of you to join us for fellowship, games, trips and senior lunches furnished on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday by Douglas County at 11:30 am in our Senior Room in the Community Building on Thompson and Grape Streets. Suggested donation for lunch is \$3.50.

Our Penny Bingo is on Wednesday at 10:00 am. Arrive by 9:30 am to dab your paper games. This is a social bingo and very low key. You may only play up to six hard cards at 2 cents per card per game (we play 12 games) and paper games are 25 cents per paper (we play 5 games)

Winston Library – New Hours

We will be changing the library hours effective 11/1/2026 to:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 11am to 5pm.

Thank You,

Winston-Dillard Seniors

The Winston-Dillard Seniors are putting together the Seniors Holiday Craft Fair in the month of November. This will be in support of the Winston Food Bank.

Vendors will only be charged \$10/table for the event. To enter the event a donation of canned food or a small monetary amount will be accepted per person. The exact date and place will be announced by the end of October in the Winston Seniors Facebook page.

For more information and to sign up as a vendor, contact Carol Murray **541-643-3842**.



Volunteers Needed

Volunteers needed for the following Committees

- Economic Development Committee** – meets second Wednesday at Noon @ City Hall
- Traffic and Public Safety Committee** – meets on the second Tuesday at the beginning of each Quarter



Volunteers needed for National Flag Display days to help put flags up around town.

There's a lot of talk in town about how much the citizens appreciate seeing them out.

Please contact WACP at the Community Center if you would like to help.



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A Message from Central Douglas Fire & Rescue

News and Information
Type of Release: Winston Newsletter (November)
Date: 10-15-2026 **Release Date:** 10-15-2026
Contact: Fire Marshal's Office
Phone: 541-440-7637 (desk)
E-Mail: fireprevention@cdfir-or.gov

November Newsletter: Backyard Burning Safety

November is a great time to clean up fallen leaves, trim branches, and tackle yard debris. Before lighting a backyard burn pile, Central Douglas Fire & Rescue reminds residents to follow local burning regulations and take precautions to keep our community safe.

Know Before You Burn: Burning is allowed only during daylight hours and when no fire season restrictions or total burn closures are in effect. If you live within Winston city limits, you may burn yard debris only in April, May, October, and November.

Burn Smart: Burn only yard trimmings, leaves, and brush. Burn barrels are prohibited. Keep burn piles at least 50 feet from buildings and combustible materials, or at least 25 feet away for piles no larger than 3 feet in diameter and 2 feet high.

Stay Prepared: Never leave a fire unattended. Keep a garden hose connected to a water supply or other approved firefighting equipment nearby. If wind or changing conditions create a risk of fire spreading, extinguish the fire immediately.

Before burning, call **541-673-5503, option 1**, to confirm it is a designated burn day. These simple steps help protect your home, your neighbors, and our firefighters.

Have a safe November!

A Message from the City Manager

Investing in Winston's Future

One of our greatest responsibilities as a City is to find ways to improve our community while being mindful of the financial burden placed on our residents. I am pleased to share that the City of Winston has successfully secured more than **\$10.7 million in grant funding** to support important projects throughout our community.

The following page lists the grants we received and what they will accomplish.

Our commitment is simple: continue working hard to make Winston a safer, stronger, and more prosperous place to live, work, and raise a family.

Thomas McIntosh
City Manager, City of Winston

What's New Around Town

New Business Licenses issued in September and October

For information on these businesses, contact City Hall

- RN Patient Consulting, LLC – Angis Yow
- Northwest Pool and Excavation, LLC – Derek Bates
- Ballard Oyster Co. – Joseph Ballard
- Adobes Immaculate – Reilly Johnson
- D Digital EFX Marketing LLC – Ian David Spencer
- Winston Gunshop LLC – Steven Mackey
- A & S Towing and Repair LLC – Sam Woodall
- Path of the Rogue – Wesley Murphy
- Lousignont Outdoor Solutions LLC – Heath and Angela Lousignont
- The Lunch Box – April Wolf



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CITY OF WINSTON Grant Funding Accomplishments

INVESTING IN A STRONGER, SAFER AND MORE PROSPEROUS WINSTON

The City of Winston is proud to have secured more than \$10.7 million in grant funding through state, federal and regional programs. These investments help us improve infrastructure, enhance public safety, support housing opportunities, and stimulate economic development — all while reducing the financial burden on local taxpayers.



1



Safe Routes to School Project
Oregon Department of Transportation

\$2,000,000

Funds will improve student safety along NW Tumlin Ave, NW Elwood Drive and NW Cary Street, creating safer routes for students, families and the community.

2



Highway 42 Sewer Line Extension
Congressionally Directed Grant through Oregon House Bill 2005 (with the assistance of Rep. Court Boice)

\$946,000

Funds the extension of the Highway 42 Sewer line Project at the intersection of Brockway Road and Highway 42, which can lead to hundreds of new homes and future economic growth in our community.

3



Winston Police Department Seismic Retrofit
Business Oregon Seismic Retrofit Grant

\$2,300,000

Supports the upgrade of the Winston Police Department and strengthens its structural integrity in the event of a disaster.

4



South Umpqua River Sewer Siphon
Department of Environmental Quality Clean Water State Revolving Fund

\$3,600,000

Funds the replacement of an inverted sewer siphon traveling under the South Umpqua River, which collects all wastewater for the City of Winston.

5



Sewer Trunkline Replacement
Department of Environmental Quality Clean Water State Revolving Fund

\$1,800,000

Funds the replacement of a sewer trunkline that has extremely high levels of inflow and infiltration (I&I), improving system capacity and reducing the risk of overflows and environmental impacts.

6



Economic Opportunities Analysis
Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD)

\$55,000

Funds an economic opportunities analysis to study the downtown business district, identifying strategies to stimulate economic vitality and support local businesses.

Stronger Infrastructure • Safer Communities • More Opportunities • A Brighter Future

