



PUBLIC WORKS

Parks - Roads - Water/Sewer
Building and Code Enforcement

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and City Code Enforcement**
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ROAD CLOSURE see page 2

We are still working on making the change...



As part of the City of Cascade water system upgrades, new radio read water meters will be installed at all service locations over the next few months.

Your water service will be interrupted for 10-20 minutes while the installation occurs. Public Works staff will do their best to knock on your door and give you a heads up when they are ready to install at your home.

Installation for commercial locations will be performed prior to or after your business hours.

Those who can, do. Those who can do more, volunteer.
Author unknown

The City of Cascade would like to give a special **“Thank you”** to **Karolyn Plehal** for her efforts, personal resources and time spent in scanning historic, city documents.

In addition to the historic original copies of Ordinances, the City of Cascade now has fifty additional years, 1917 thru 1967, on digital file.

The next step for these historic documents will be inclusion to the Idaho State Archives.

BURNING PERMITS REQUIRED IN CITY LIMITS
10/21/2023 through 5/9/2024
NO BURNING ALLOWED
SITPA Stand Lands as of 7/15/23

~ **REMINDER** ~
IT IS PROHIBITED TO FEED WILDLIFE
Increased Fines in Effect - \$1,000.00
Cascade City Code - Title 5, Chapter 2, Section 4



Monthly Water Testing Results



Collection Date and Collection Times:
09/08/23 at 6:00, 6:12 am
Results:
In compliance.
No exceedances.

*The stars can change in their courses,
the universe go up in flames,
and the world crash around us,
but there'll always be Donald Duck.*



Noel Coward, 1945

What's Inside...

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Heading out in October?
Give us a heads up...
24 hours notice M thru TH
for water shutoffs.
208-382-4279



Congratulations!
Cascade Public Library
for receiving award of the
library expansion grant.

**CASCADE
PUBLIC
LIBRARY**

M-F 11am 5:30 pm
Sat 10am 2:00 pm



In person with social distancing & digitally via ZOOM.

City Council Meets
2nd and 4th Mondays monthly
When 6:00 pm
Where City Hall via Zoom
Agendas posted on city website

Find City of Cascade CODE
Go to City of Cascade website.
Open City Government.
Open City Code tab. 🔥



Please, **BE WATER WISE**



Mayor's Monthly Coffee Klatch October 11, 2023 at 9:00 to 9:30 am

Bring your coffee to City Hall and chat with Mayor Nissula who will keep you updated on active and planned city projects.

FY 2023/2024 Water/Sewer Base Rate Increases
Water Base Rate \$15.99 to \$16.46 = **up \$0.47**
Sewer Base Rate \$28.07 to \$28.91 = **up \$0.84**
The new rates, effective October 1, 2023, will be reflected on your November bill for October service.

Winter Readiness

On August 15th the "start to prep for winter" mindset takes hold. The wood's in, you plant bulbs in fall, you make plans to put the garden to bed, you clean out gutters and chimney's, and think a lot about heat tape.

Get at it. Stay at it. Be prepared.



**COMING SOON
TO A CROSSWALK NEAR YOU!**
Within the next few weeks, public works will install the test, solar street light at the crosswalk between Howdy's and the NOBO Hotel.

ROAD CLOSURE – CABARTON ROAD
Installation of utilities for the Raven Ridge Subdivision
A traffic control plan approved by City of Cascade engineers, Salaber Associates, Inc. will be implemented between HWY 55 and Cabarton Rd. **between October 2nd thru October 13th 9 am to 4 pm**

Alternate routes available to thru traffic from West Mtn. Rd and Hwy 55.

**For information on alternate routes, call
208-800-1863**

Cascade Medical Center

Medical Appointment Transportation Service

Need a ride to your Dr's, PT Appointment or Lab?
Cascade or McCall

To coordinate transportation reach out via phone:
Clinic 208-382-4285 or Physical Therapy 208-382-3862

Medicaid Notice from Stephanie Dunstan,

CMC Patient Financial Counselor - 208-408-5027

If you or a family member had Medicaid during COVID, then this information may apply to you. For many, their Medicaid coverage ended April 1, 2023. If you are one of the 153,857 Idahoans impacted by the end of Medicaid Protection, you should contact the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare – follow this link:

<https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/medicaidprotection>

Need help figuring out if you still qualify for Medicaid, filling out paperwork, or other insurance options?

Reach out to Stephanie at the number above.

The Cascade Community and Senior Center
is offering takeout meals for \$6.00.

To order, call 208-382-4256
on Tuesday and Thursday by 9:00 am

Meals on Wheels coming soon to our Center!

Stats and Stuff

2022 YTD (09/30)	building permit apps	80
2023 YTD (09/30)	building permit apps	70

12.50 %

CODE CORNER

Do yourself a favor - Know your City Code
It's Up to You—Be diligent in your due diligence

**Have you witnessed a violation of City Code?
Dogs - Feeding Wildlife - Traffic**

**Contact the Valley County Sheriff's Office,
Non-Emergency Dispatch Line at 208-382-5160**

A code infringement must be witnessed by the code enforcement officer (Sheriff's Deputy) in order to issue a citation. OR the citizen raising the complaint will be asked to sign the citation.



**City Code 5-8-4 and 5-8-16
REMOVAL of JUNK and
JUNK VEHICLES**
Before the snow flies, please.



Not sure what you can build?

Check city code to confirm if what you want to build or change requires a permit.

<https://codelibrary.amlegal.com/codes/cascadeid/latest/overview>

NIGHTTIME LIGHTING ORDINANCE



IT'S CODE.

Title 2

Chapter 4

Have you changed an outdoor lightbulb lately?
Do you have outdoor bulbs you need to change out?
Are you purchasing or installing new exterior light/s?
CALL BEFORE you make the switch. 208-382-4279

Cascade City Hall

City Council Meetings	in person & digitally
City Building Inspector	via email and appointment. buildinginspector@cascadeid.us
Mayor Nissula	in person and via telephone
Utility Billing	pay online, mail, door slot or office

Questions for the Mayor, Clerks office, Public Works or Code Enforcement? Your calls will be answered or you will be able to leave a message and someone will get back with you in a timely manner.

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