



*Shootings in Keizer
From Gravel Pit Across
the Willamette River
(Note: Cummings
Elementary Shown
For Proximity Only)*

Northwest Rock, Inc.
dba Salem Mobile Mix

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Time line for Shooting at Bauer's Home 2018-2019

- June 2, 2018 -A West Keizer neighbor is subjected to gunfire from the West Salem gravel pit shooting range. The bullet entered the Bauer home on Rafael while the homeowner was standing just feet away.
- June 13th - Attorney Johnson notifies Lance Davis to take all action necessary to immediately stop the use of his property as a shooting range.
- June 18th - Jerry Jackson, Polk County Code Enforcement Officer sends warning letter to Lance Davis to cease and desist the firearms range use or obtain a land use permit from Polk County.
- June 18th - Testimony at Keizer City Council meeting - Carol and Rhonda
- June 27th -Testimony at Marion County. BOC meeting - Carol, Rhonda, & Dan Dietz
- July 1st - 2nd - Residents on Rafael, Shoreline, Rivercrest & Willamette Dr. on the Willamette River are notified by flyers of a meeting at Sunset Park on July 5th.
- July 5th - A gathering of approx. 50 residents. Tom Bauer & his attorney, Mark Hoyt attended. Many reports of other shooting incidents surfaced in addition to the ones at Sunset Park and the Bauer's home.
- July 10th - 30 Residents of West Keizer, Attorney Johnson, Rep. Bill Post & Sen. Kim Thatcher attended the Polk County BOC meeting in Dallas testifying about their safety concerns arising from gunfire originating in Polk County at a gravel pit shooting range.
- July 16th- 16 West Keizer residents gave testimony at the Keizer City Council meeting. Council passes Resolution requesting Polk County BOC to end firearm discharge and enact local legislation and take other action to prohibit the discharge of firearms at property located at or near 4000River Bend Road NW, Salem, Oregon
- July 25th - Mayor Clark and Attorney Johnson present the Resolution passed by the Keizer City Council on July 16th at the Polk County BOC meeting.
- August 6th - Testimony at Keizer City Council meeting - Carol and Rhonda
- August 7th - National Night Out Potluck at Sunset & Shoreline
Carol, Rhonda, Shirley DeShon update residents on shooting issue
-Residents are encouraged to report any shots heard across the river to the Keizer Police Dept. - Mayor Clark also attends the gathering
- August 8th - Testimony at Polk County BOC meeting- Carol and Rhonda

The Polk commission's position was that the ordinance for reckless endangering was sufficient and that no new laws were needed to address the risk to the public. Rhonda Rich has contacted legislators, including Bill Post, Kim Thatcher and Paul Evans(the West Salem representative), regarding a possible legislative response.

August 27th - Bauer's attorney submits a "Stipulated Order Granting Entry of a Preliminary Injunction" to Northwest Rock and Lance Davis. The order is to prohibit discharging firearms on the property and take measures to prevent trespassers from accessing the property and discharging firearms.

September 17th - Testimony at Keizer City Council meeting - Carol and Rhonda, Gary Blake, and Shirley DeShon testified in support of both resolutions. See below.

Resolution "West Salem Quarry -Litigation Intervening" which allows the City of Keizer to join litigation on the Bauer's side with regard to injunction relief only.

Resolution"legislative Action - West Salem Quarry Shooting" which requests that the State Legislature addresses this dangerous and unacceptable situation

September 21st -Bauer's hearing at Marion County Courthouse initiated-
Next hearing set for November 15th to determine venue, jurisdiction & intervenor

November 15, 2018 - Bauer's hearing at Marion County Courthouse-
Seventeen people fill the courtroom to show support for the Bauer's case.
Judge determines Marion County has jurisdiction and the City of Keizer will be an intervenor in the case. Injunction is to continue until next hearing set for April 9th & 10th, 2019. As of 4-02 the hearing was postponed. See FB for updates.

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City of Keizer Council Meetings www.keizer.org
click. On Community, then Keizer TV.com to view meeting
or go to Councils and Boards, City Council minutes to read

Marion County Commissioners Board Meetings www.co.marion.or.us/BOC
click on Prior Board Sessions, then CCTVvideostreaming

Polk County Commissioners Board Meetings Minutes. www.co.polk.or.us/boc
click on " View the Board of Commissioners Calendar"

Keizertimes Articles www.keizertimes.com
June 8th "Bullet from Polk County shooting range pierces Keizer Home"
June 22nd. "Authorities Respond to Stray Bullet? Letters"
July 16th "Temporary ceasefire: Range owner halts shooting for time being"
July 20th. "Council request halt to recreational shooting"
September 21st "City will join lawsuit to stop shooting across river"