

Maupin Newsletter

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Happy
Retirement
CHRISTINE



WE ARE A SAFE, PROGRESSIVE
COMMUNITY THAT CARES FOR
ALL OUR CITIZENS AND
VISITORS WHILE PROTECTING
OUR NATURAL RESOURCES AND
MAINTAINING OUR RURAL
HERITAGE.



Letter from Mayor Beatty

Maupin's City Recorder, Christine Wolfe, is retiring July 31st after nine years working for the city in different capacities. As the City Recorder, she manages the City's finances and budget. Each year she builds a budget based on needs and our financial situation. She is incredibly good as a City Recorder. Her budgets are always appropriate and easy to understand. She keeps the city solvent. She definitely will be missed.

Our South Wasco Library is hosting a Summer Concert Series in Kaiser Park beginning at 5:00pm. The first one was June 13th with the Smock Dogs playing rock and roll; it was amazing music with a responsive crowd. The next one is on July 11th with The Miles from Nowhere Band playing rock, blues, and country. I encourage citizens to come with their families and chairs for a great evening in the park. Check out their future concerts.

Carol Beatty

From Deschutes Rim clinic-

Your medical care doesn't need a search engine, it needs a provider.

Should you make an appointment at the clinic?

Yes!

We're open Monday through Friday. You can usually be seen same day and without the hours in an ER or Urgent Care waiting room.

There are many conditions to look at, let's start with cancer screening: Mammograms, well-woman exam, colonoscopy, prostate, and skin cancer.

Being established with a Primary Care Provider in cities has become all but impossible: there's a huge national shortage. You have an advantage right here in Maupin: availability. Jennifer Lombardi FMP, our new PCP, is open for business. You can get the kind of personalized care you need.

Start preventing illness. Call (541) 395-2911, Monday through Friday.



TEXT "MAUPIN" TO 91896
FOR CITY ALERTS

**Civic Center closed
Friday July 3rd
in honor of
Fourth of July**

7/14 Planning
Commission Mtg
at 4:30pm

7/22 City Council
Meeting at
6:30pm

**The library
summer concert
7/11 @ 5pm in
Kaiser Park
Miles from
Nowhere band**

News from our City Manager

Thank You, Christine

Saying goodbye is never easy, especially when it means saying goodbye to someone who has dedicated nearly nine years of service to the City of Maupin.

During her time with the City, Christine has served as Utility Billing Clerk and City Recorder. Along the way, she has taken on countless additional responsibilities and has been a key part of the City's day-to-day operations. Her knowledge of City finances, budgeting, utility billing, and local government has helped guide the organization through both challenges and successes over the years.

Although the City has never had a Chief Financial Officer position, Christine has filled many of those responsibilities. She has played a critical role in managing the City's finances, preparing budgets, tracking grants, and helping ensure that Maupin remains on solid financial footing. Her knowledge and experience have been invaluable to both staff and elected officials.

One thing that has always been clear about Christine is how deeply she cares about the City of Maupin. She has never been afraid to tackle difficult issues, ask hard questions, or do what she believed was necessary to protect the City's interests. That dedication has helped position the City for continued success in the years ahead.

Like any long career in public service, the last nine years have included challenges, changing priorities, and difficult decisions. Through it all, Christine remained committed to serving the community and doing the work that needed to be done.

On behalf of the City Council, City staff, and the residents of Maupin, I want to thank Christine for her years of service and dedication. We wish her all the best in retirement. Whether that means traveling, spending time with family, floating through the clouds in a hot air balloon, or relaxing somewhere tropical, we hope she enjoys every minute of it. Congratulations and happy retirement, Christine!

Nick Smith

2026 Local Elections-

At the 2026 General Election on November 5th, the positions for Mayor and three Council positions will appear on the ballot. The filing period for the interested candidates began on June 3, 2026, and all filing requirements must be completed by 4:00 p.m. on August 18, 2026.

Positions open are

- Mayor currently held by Carol Beatty
- 3 Council positions currently held by Shelby Dumire, Mike Foreaker, and Randy Bechtol.

All terms will begin on January 1, 2027. The Oath of Office will be administered at the first meeting of the City Council on January 4, 2027. The mayor position is a two year term and the Council positions are 4 year terms.

The Maupin City Recorder, Christine Wolfe, is the Elections Officer for the City of Maupin. Please contact Christine at 541-395-2698 or via email at CWOLFE@CITYOFMAUPIN.ORG for additional information.

Consumer Confidence Report

The City of Maupin Drinking Water Quality reports for 2025 is available on our website cityofmaupin.org and at City Hall upon request.

Utility Rate Increases

In June, City Council passed Resolution No. 06242026-01, which increased water and sewer rates by \$2 each, recycle rates by \$1 and irrigation to \$6.65 per 5000 sq. ft. These changes will be reflected in your July statement. The increase is consistent with CPI rates and will help the city cover the costs of operation and maintenance of our water and sewer systems and help our eligibility for grants and loans that will cover major upcoming improvements. The recycle rates cover the cost of hauling fees from the Recycle Depot.



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