



Newsletter

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Late Winter 2011

Code Enforcement

Your Council has recently been accused of being soft on code enforcement. The City works hard to help citizens comply with codes and neighborhood compliance. Our Code Enforcement Officer Bill Shultz is a reasonable and understanding man, but Bill gets his orders from your City Council. Continuous non-compliance will not be tolerated by your Council or your neighbors. Remember your neighbors have rights as property owners, if your use is not within what is allowed for your area there will be enforcement action.

Calendar of Events-

All Council, and Planning Commission meetings are held at City Hall.

February 7	City Council Meeting 7:00 pm
February 21	Presidents Day-City Hall Closed
February 28	Planning Commission Meeting 6:00 pm
March 7	City Council Meeting
March 13	Daylight Savings Time Begins
March 28	Planning Commission Meeting

Teen Council Open Positions -

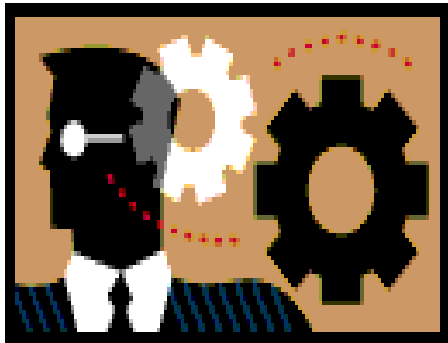
Teens interested in becoming Teen Council Members for the 2011-2012 school year need to fill out an application now. Chairperson, Vice-chairperson, and Secretary positions will be coming available in August. Officers must be a freshman to senior at the beginning of each term, and attending a West Valley School.

Right now the Council is beginning to put together a Teen Drug Free Campaign for the West Valley School District.

Millwood Trivia

30 years ago-
Ruby Witham a resident of Millwood since 1921 was sworn in to the Millwood Council. Ruby was the first woman to serve on the Town Council!

80 years ago-
The Millwood Commercial Club was organized by Millwood businessmen.



Thank you John!

Planning Commissioner John Newman is leaving Millwood. John has worked on your Planning Commission for 6 years and has done an excellent job! John, and his wife Jean, are moving to California to be near family. John, thank you for your dedicated service, sharp wit, jokes and strong direction for your City, you will be missed.

Millwood residents interested in serving on the Planning Commission should submit a letter of interest to Mayor Dan Mork at Millwood City Hall, 9103 E. Frederick Ave., Spokane, WA 99206. The term of office is six years. Meetings are held monthly on the last Monday at 6:00 p.m. For more information, call Tom Richardson, City Clerk /Planner at 924-0960.



Water Chlorination

Millwood recently had a routine water test which indicated the water system had a coliform contamination. While the contamination was not an immediate health risk, we have been chlorinating the water system the past month as recommended by the Washington State Department of Health. The state recommends that we continue to chlorinate the system indefinitely as a preventative measure. We understand that there are health risks both in chlorinating and not chlorinating. People have a strong feeling about their water supply, this is important. After an overwhelming citizen response against continuous chlorination, the Millwood City Council has decided to discontinue chlorination except when required by the State. We would like to hear from you! Post a comment on Millwood’s website—cityofmillwood.org; write a note, or call City Hall at 924-0960.

Mayor Mork’s Message

There has been much recent concern about public safety in our area. The Spokane Department of Emergency Management in coordination with local law enforcement has responded with a new campaign- **If You See Something, Say Something.** Be aware, If you see suspicious behavior report it.

Suspicious behavior may include:

- ◆ Persons parking, standing, or loitering in the same area over a multiple day period with no apparent reasonable explanation
- ◆ A pattern or series of false alarms requiring emergency response
- ◆ Unexplained photography

If you see suspicious behavior report it, call 477-3181 or email- Riq9@spokanesherriff.org

Other Important contact numbers for 2011-

Spokane County-

Abandoned Car	477-6929	SCRAPS	477-2532
Air Pollution Control	477-4727	Sheriff front desk	477-2240
Assessor’s Office	477-3609	WV Scope office	
477-0629			
Building Codes	477-3675		

Miscellaneous-

Avista Utilities	489-0500
Waste Management	924-9400
Valley Fire	928-1700

