

THE NEW WAVE

OCTOBER – 2002

NO MORE TREES...

Our tree trimming project is now done for this year. We ask that NO MORE branches or trees be taken to the county shop area. Hopefully next Spring we will continue this project and make a spot available for individuals to dispose of trees and shrubs.

COUNCIL ASKS RURAL FIREDEPARTMENT TO REMOVE DUMPSTER.

Due to the mess created at the DUMPSTER by the firehall, the Council has asked the Rural Fire Department to remove the dumpster. Unfortunately folks using the dumpster seem to have trouble placing items IN the dumpster, and the amount of trash far exceeds the capacity of it. The dumpster is not intended for RURAL residents use. If you live out of town, please contact PLENTYWOOD SANITATION for garbage pick up, or make other arrangements to dispose of your trash. Thanks.

COMMUNITY BLOCK GRANT SUBMITTED

The Community Development Block Grant has been submitted in October. This grant, if awarded, will provide money for demolition, weatherisation, and repair of homes in MEDICINE LAKE. The total amount of the grant application was approximately \$480,000.00! We should hear about the success of this grant around January of 2003.

ORDINANCE #78 IS NOW IN IT'S FINAL DRAFT

At the October Council meeting the final changes were made to the DOG AND ANIMAL ordinance. The new revisions will now be typed and presented to the public for your inspection. A special time will be set aside for a public reading of ORDINANCE #78, and your comments concerning it.

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WATER LAWSUIT PROGRESS

The progress of our LAWSUIT surrounding our water system continues to make some slow progress. The company responsible for the design of the system failed to respond in the court designated time frame. Therefore, we are now proceeding with the monetary damage part of the suit. We are in constant contact with our attorney, and if you have any questions, please see the MAYOR or the City Clerk.

ALIENS CONVERGE ON MEDICINE LAKE

You may have noticed some strange beings in and around MEDICINE LAKE. **DO NOT PANIC!** One day a week or so ago a WILD HERD OF PIGS invaded the town and began “rooting” their way into the heart of the City. Due to the quick action of Councilman BRYCE HANCOCK, this disaster was averted, and the WILD PIGS were run out of town! Councilman HANCOCK pursued the invaders until they were a safe distance from our community.

Also, some unfamiliar HUMAN BEINGS have also been seen here and there. **AGAIN, DO NOT PANIC!!** The aliens are only visiting HUNTERS who are enjoying the hospitality of our Town. Although they come from some strange and distant places, and drive unfamiliar vehicles, and bring with them an assortment of four legged creatures, **THEY ARE HARMLESS!** In fact, they add some real economic benefits to our Town. So, for pete’s sake, **SAY HELLO!**

SO, WHAT’S NEW?

As the holiday Season approaches , the COMMERCIAL CLUB is again planning on erecting the MEMORIAL CHRISTMAS TREES. This was a wonderful and beautiful project last year. If you need more information, see Janice Hodges or Donna Tompt.

A new computer system has been purchased for the CITY CLERK. Our old system lacked the necessary memory to handle our needs. It should be installed soon.

OUR NEXT MEETING IS **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2002.** You are invited.

Mayor Tim