



PENDLETON

Working every day to be the premier city in Eastern Oregon

November 2018

A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

NEWS FROM THE AIRPORT

In spite of the fears and criticisms of early nay-sayers, the Airport and the Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) Test Range are outpacing all expectations. Here are some facts:

Boutique Airlines is matching or exceeding the enplanements we had ten years ago when Horizon Air used to fly much larger twin engine aircraft into Pendleton. And with Boutique's size of plane, no hassle with TSA is required. They also have rental cars available.

We got a grant to put a new roof on the large "B-17" hangar next to the terminal and PAE/ISR is leasing it from the City for an attractive price. PAE recently got a major contract with NASA to work on integrating UAS into the national airspace, so Pendleton will see a lot of traffic from NASA's aerospace engineers in the next couple of years.

The City bought a hangar from the Hart estate in October and it is filled with a customer with a lease that will pay off the City's investment in less than three years.

We expect to get a \$3 million EDA grant in the near future and we will use that money to build more hangars and offices. We already have customers who have indicated a desire to fill those buildings as soon as they are ready.

We began operations in 2015. That year we had \$0 in contracted revenue and less than 10 UAS operations. So far, in the first 10 months of 2018, we have:

- More than 2,200 UAS operations
- 10 core customers
- 50,000+ square feet of space leased
- More than 30 good paying jobs created, growing monthly
- Conservatively estimated \$650,000 in contracted revenues

Just as important are the non-UAS jobs created in the hotel, restaurant, catering, entertainment, and retail industries that support the many transient UAS test personnel who come to Pendleton to work.

So many UAS workers are coming to Pendleton that our shortage of housing is becoming an issue for the test range. The City is working with developers to try to get more apartments and homes built. Hopefully my next column will talk about some progress we are expecting in meeting the housing challenge.



John Turner,
Mayor

COUNCIL MEETINGS

November 20

PDC Meeting 6pm

City Council 7pm

December 4

City Council 7pm

December 18

PDC Meeting 6pm

City Council 7pm

All meetings in the Council Chambers
FOR A FULL LIST OF MEETINGS VISIT

<http://www.pendleton.or.us/>

CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

John Turner	Mayor	541-922-8605
Chuck LeVale	Ward I	912-257-0512
Neil Brown	Ward 3	541-276-3407
Jake Cambier	At Large	541-969-2252
Paul Chalmers	At Large	541-276-7111
Becky Marks	Ward I	541-276-9147
McKennon McDonald	Ward 2	541-969-3345
Scott Fairley	Ward 2	541-240-1825
Dale Primmer	Ward 3	541-240-1117

CITY OF PENDLETON

Administration	541-966-0201
Airport	541-276-7754
Attorney	541-966-0206
Convention Center	541-276-6569
Community Dev.	541-966-0203
Facilities	541-966-0201
Finance	541-966-0207
Fire	541-276-1442
Library	541-966-0380
Municipal Court	541-966-0209
Parks/Rec/Cemetery	541-276-8100
Police	541-276-4411
Public Works	541-276-3078

500 SW Dorion Ave. Pendleton, OR



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POLICE

If you've noticed some of your officers looking a little scruffier this month, don't think they're being lazy. We are temporarily throwing out the uniform policy as we are once again participating in No Shave November.

Some of the facial hair is grayer than others; some may not even be able to grow a beard which of course gives the officers a chance to joke with one another. But how the beard comes in is just a side note, the real conversation is about cancer awareness.

We would like to invite you to be part of our crusade to bring about cancer awareness and coming together as a community to help with the [#Ansonstrong](#) campaign and the local chapter of the American Cancer Society. 3-year-old Anson Fairbank was diagnosed with Leukemia a year ago and he continues to battle and fight. There are still frequent visits to the hospital, ongoing treatments and medical bills continuing to come in and WE need to help!



The officers are engaging in a little "friendly" competition as they begin taking donations. We will be sure to keep you posted on the leader board! We also will be teaming up with Hamley's again as officers turn in their badges for aprons – NOVEMBER 30th from 5:00-8:00 PM – Don't forget to tip your waiters/waitresses!!! You can donate directly to your favorite officer or through PayPal on our website. [#cancersucks](#) [#ansonstrong](#) [#copsforacause](#)

ADMINISTRATION

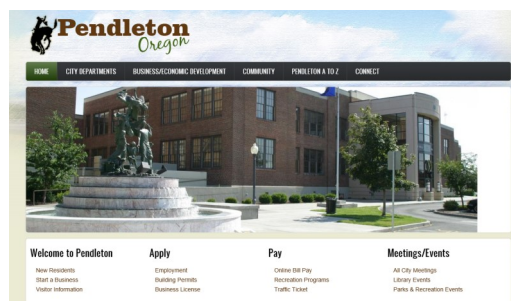
The City of Pendleton has recently updated their website!

We are excited to share a new look and a more streamlined way to find things. As this is a new site, we have found a few hiccups. If you happen to find a link which isn't working, a typo or otherwise we would encourage you to let us know.

If you would please send issues to donna.biggerstaff@ci.pendleton.or.us we'll do our best to get things in working order! We appreciate your patience and your support.

Our goal is to make the site user friendly and meet the needs of our community members utilizing it. If there is something you feel should be listed which is not, please let us know so that we might consider it.

To view the new website go to <https://pendleton.or.us/>



Join City Staff at Hamley's Café on Monday, December 3

City Manager, Robb Corbett invites community members who have concerns, questions or simply want to engage in conversation regarding happenings in our community to join him on the first Monday of each month.

COFFEE with the CITY
8-10 am

BUSINESS LICENSE

All businesses within the city limits of Pendleton must obtain a city business license. Even if your business office is located outside the city limits and you only do business occasionally in Pendleton, you still need a city business license.

An application form for a city business license may be obtained at Pendleton City Hall or by downloading the [business license application](#) in PDF format. Businesses are required to reapply for business licenses annually. Renewal forms can also be obtained at Pendleton City Hall or by downloading the [business license renewal application](#).

SPECIAL EVENT BUSINESS LICENSES

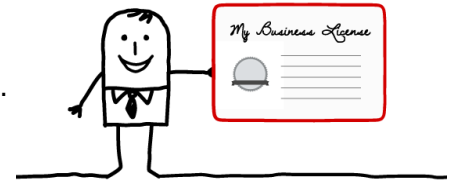
All vendors must obtain a Special Event Business License in order to operate during the various special events held in the City of Pendleton (Round-Up, Whisky Fest, Bike Week, etc.). An application form for a Special Business License may be obtained at Pendleton City Hall or by downloading the [Special Event Business License application](#) in PDF format. There are a few exceptions listed below:

- Non-profit corporations within the Happy Canyon and Round-Up grounds are not required to obtain a Round-Up business license.
- Indian Village crafts show participants are not required to obtain a Round-Up business license.
- Vendors and performers operating as a part of the Main Street Show from the Friday before Round-Up each year and ending the Sunday after Round-Up are not required to obtain a business license. The Main Street Show License, obtained by the Main Street Cowboys, operates in lieu of another business license.

Please print, fill out and send back your completed form and a check for the amount of your license to:

City of Pendleton Finance Department
500 SW Dorion Ave., Pendleton, OR 97801

For more information, contact the City of Pendleton Finance office at 541-966-0207.



DOG LICENSES

A dog license is required for all dogs over the age of six months, living within the city limits of Pendleton unless specifically exempt. It is the duty of each owner or keeper of a dog to obtain a license(s) for their dog(s). The initial licensing of a dog must be accomplished within fourteen days of the date of acquiring a dog by a City resident or moving a dog into the City. The Licenses must be renewed annually on or before the first day of each year.

To get a city dog license, your dog must be currently inoculated with a rabies vaccination. The vaccination needs to be updated every one or three years, depending on the type of vaccination given. A dog license may be purchased for up to three years through the year the rabies vaccination expires. Keeping your animals current on their vaccinations prevents the contraction and the spread of various diseases.

EXEMPTIONS FROM DOG LICENSES:

- Dogs owned by dealers, breeders or exhibitors which are kept in kennels exclusively for sale or exhibition.
- Guide dogs when owned and kept as an aid to a blind person.
- Any dog under the supervision of its owner or manager which is actively engaged in the herding or control of live-stock is exempt while engaged in such activity.
- Dogs less than six (6) months old.

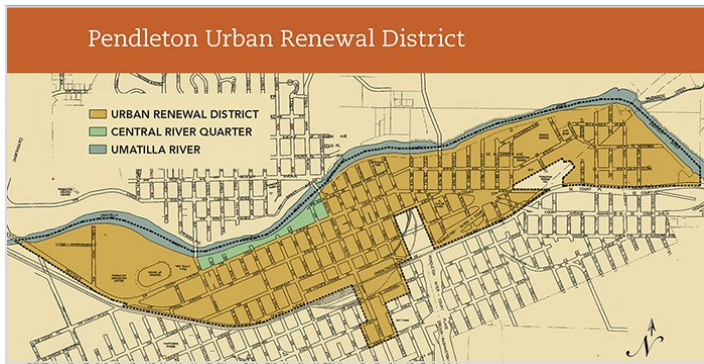
An Application for a dog license may be obtained at Pendleton City Hall or by downloading the [dog license](#) in PDF format. An application needs to be filled out for each dog being licensed.

Please mail the completed form, a check for the amount of your license(s) and proof of rabies vaccination to:

City of Pendleton Finance Department , 500 SW Dorion Ave., Pendleton,
OR 97801



PENDLETON IS EAGER TO HELP YOUR BUSINESS THRIVE!



Our downtown urban renewal program provides financial and consulting support, whether you're starting a business, expanding your business or getting a building ready for business. Downtown includes a wide swath of Pendleton running along the Umatilla River. Businesses locating or already located within the downtown urban renewal area are eligible to apply for help.

Check out these five programs to help your business in the Pendleton Urban Renewal District. Keep in mind that you might be able to use multiple programs to get maximum financial support for your project.

[Jump-Start](#)

The Jump-Start program provides many benefits including free business consulting and low-cost loans beginning as low as 1%. Benefits are available for both building owners and new or existing business owners/operators.

[Façade Restoration](#)

If you own a building or plan to buy one for your business, the Façade Restoration program could provide you with grants—that's right, no repayment necessary. Grants in this program can be used to restore or upgrade the exterior of your building. Projects can be as simple as a paint job or complex as a complete façade renovation.

[Fresh Start](#)

The Fresh Start program provides a financial incentive to build commercial structures within the Pendleton Urban Renewal District. It is intended to provide business people with an incentive to build in Pendleton, providing a boost to the city's economic development.

[Demolition](#)

Let's say you buy a failing building that's not restorable. You just want to demolish and re-build. We've got financial help for your demolition project.

[Upper Story and Elevator Programs](#)

Do you own a building in Pendleton's downtown urban renewal district but can't fully utilize the upper floors? Grants are available for second story renovation.

[Permit Fee Reimbursement](#)

You may be reimbursed for the cost of permits needed to remodel or redevelop a building in the urban renewal area for a business use. City permit fees for your project will be reimbursed up to 100% when your project is completed, up to \$2,000.

Urban Renewal Program City of Pendleton

500 SW Dorion Ave., Pendleton OR 97801

Charles Denight, 541-966-0233

VOLUNTEERS

Super Heroes Unmasked as Volunteers at Annual Halloween Carnival

On October 31st the large hall at the Pendleton Convention Center was filled with the likes of princesses, dragons, and trolls – and lots of super heroes! Some of the night's heroes came in the form of 70+ volunteers who are the backbone of the annual Halloween Carnival, helping Recreation staff pull off one of their largest events of the year. Members of the Veterans of Foreign War and their Auxiliary filled candy bags that were handed out to all children attending, and volunteers and service groups from Pendleton High School and local organizations pitched in to run activity booths and provide snacks. Over 1,500 community members came out to enjoy the evening.



Special thanks go out to all the volunteers who helped make the Carnival a success: Donna Biggerstaff, Paula Hancock, Jutta Haliewicz, Karen King, Marissa Hascall, Alexa Negus, Brian Roe, Joe Zoske, BMCC Ambassadors, PHS ASTRA Club, PHS National Honor Society members, PHS Leadership students, PHS FFA members, Helix Key Club, Kiwanis, VFW and VFW Auxiliary members.

Volunteer Opportunities

Winter VOLUNTEER YOUTH BASKETBALL COACHES: Youth basketball program needs coaches for Boys 1st/2nd grades and Girls 3rd-6th starting in January. Previous experience is helpful but not a requirement – there will be a coaching clinic.

Ongoing: DOCUMENT SCANNER: Digital file archiving (Library, City Hall Administration)

ADOPT-A-PARK/PARKWAY: Head outdoors and help keep Pendleton Parks and the River Parkway beautiful for our community by volunteering to help with monthly upkeep. (Parks)

New Volunteer: Alexa Negus

Interested in volunteering but not sure where? We can help find a good match for you.

Call 541-966-0244 and speak to our Volunteer Coordinator Tiffany Hegarty. City of Pendleton volunteer applications are available at the library, City Hall administrative offices, or can be downloaded [HERE](#).





The City of Pendleton would like to wish you and yours
a very Happy Thanksgiving.

City Hall, Municipal Court and the Library will be closed
on

Thursday November 22nd and Friday November 23rd
so that our employees may spend time celebrating this season
with family and friends.

Public Library will be open on Saturday, November 24th at 10:00 am

ANNOUNCEMENT OF POSITION OPENINGS

The following seasonal job opportunities are available with the City of Pendleton

- Youth Librarian
- Ice Rink Attendant
- Parks Supervisor
- Park Seasonal Laborer
- Convention Center Laborer

You may apply online at

www.pendleton.or.us/employment

Or by picking up an application in the Administrative office located on the second floor of City Hall, 500 SW Dorion Avenue

The City of Pendleton is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

What's missing from this photo? YOU!



The Pendleton Ice Rink

OPENS THANKSGIVING WEEKEND

Hours are Monday -Thursday 3pm to 6pm Friday

3pm to 8pm Saturday & Sunday 12pm - 8pm

Entry Fee \$2.50

Skate Rental \$1

SATURDAYS ARE FAMILY SKATE DAY

\$12 per family from 5:30—8pm

YOGA

Breathing, stretching, balancing and strengthening - these are the ingredients of yoga and practices that can create numerous health benefits for the body. No prior knowledge of yoga is needed. This class is designed to compliment your wellness routine. Meets every Wednesday in the Foundation Room, and the fee is a flat \$36 per month. DURING THANKSGIVING WEEK, CLASS MEETS ON TUESDAY INSTEAD OF WEDNESDAY. Day/Date: Time & Location: 5:30-6:30 p.m. in the Foundation Room at Rec Center. Ages: 16+ Fee: \$36



CURRENT OPEN GYM SCHEDULE

Walking for Wellness, M-F, 8:30-9:30 a.m., FREE

Skills for Life, Thursdays, 3:00-5:00 p.m., Ages 12-18, FREE

Special Needs Open Gym, Sundays, 12:30-1:00 p.m., FREE

Tot Time at the Gym, Mondays, 10:00-11:00 a.m., \$2 per kiddo

All open gyms are located at the Helen McCune Gym in the Pendleton Rec Center



BOXING CLUB

Contact Info Michael Blanc 541-379-2656
Blanc's Boxing USA Boxing Gym Ages 7-17
and 18+ \$5 per month for 7-17 year olds
\$30 per month for adults 18+



**Glow in the Dark
DODGEBALL
with SANTA**

**Saturday December 1 at 6 p.m.
Pendleton Rec Center
2 Divisions: Open (ages 12+)
and Youth (ages 8-16) \$22 per person**

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GIVE BLOOD

You can make a difference.



**American
Red Cross**

City of Pendleton

Blood Drive

Tuesday, November 20, 2018

11:15 am to 4:15 pm

Location: Community Room

Helping others is in our blood.

For an appointment, please reach out to
James Martinez

James.Martines@redcross.org

Or Call 1-800- RED CROSS
(1-800-733-2767).

Pendleton Public Library

502 SW Dorion Avenue Pendleton, Oregon 97801

HOURS: Monday-Thursday 10am to 8pm

Friday & Saturday 10am to 5pm

Pendleton Public Library strives to be the center of community involvement. An educated, informed, and involved citizenry creates a vibrant, liveable community. The library stocks books, audios and videos for check out and hosts fun and informative programs for all ages. The website provides 24/7 access to a wide range of databases as well as access to the patron's account. Phone 541.966-0380



HAPPY THANKSGIVING

*The Library will be closed Thursday November 22nd
and Friday November 23rd in observance of Thanksgiving.*



BEGINNER'S COMPUTERS

Wednesday, November 14th at 3:00pm to 4:00pm

Library Meeting Room, 502 SW Dorion Ave Registration Required.

Classes tailored to the needs of the students.

Registration is required 541-966-0380



THURSDAY STORY TIME

Thursday, November 15th at 10:15am– 11:00am, in the National Parks area.

All are welcome to attend.

**stories and crafts are tailored toward children ages 6 and under.*



DIY: WIRE WRAPPED RINGS

Tuesday, November 27th at 6 pm

Teens & Adults: learn to make wire wrapped rings.

Just in time for holiday gift giving!

Registration is required 541-966-0380



DELICIOUS NUTRITIOUS HOLIDAYS

Wednesday, November 28th at 7pm

Dietitian Christine Guenther presents

EASY HEALTHY HOLIDAY RECIPES.



Pendleton Sanitary Services and the City of Pendleton are again bringing you the opportunity to dispose of all your fall leaves out of your yards and roads at **NO COST TO YOU!**

WHEN The entire month of November! Open from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday through Saturday. Closed for Veteran's Day and Thanksgiving.

WHERE Pendleton Sanitary Services, 5500 NW Reith Road, Pendleton, OR.

WHAT Leaves only. Leaves can be brought in bags but you must empty them. Disposal containers will be available to dispose of your bags.

CAN YOU BRING OTHER YARD WASTE?

Yes, however there is a charge for yard waste other than leaves. Please visit our website for more information pendletonsanitaryservice.com.



FOR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT
PENDLETON SANITARY SERVICES
AT 541-276-1271.

