

Port Report



SEPTEMBER 2021



THANKFUL FOR COMMUNITY

A huge Thank you to community members who came out to participate in the Meet and Greet Community Picnic on September 24th. There was a lot of fun, food and laughs! It was truly a great opportunity to get together and celebrate our community. Participating agencies had information to share and were available to answer questions and listen to great ideas. Great responses were left on the survey. Thank you for your time and thoughtfulness. We would like to extend a special thanks to a few of you; Judah Cox for volunteering for Movies in the Park, Rob Peterson for helping after the event to clean up, Deb Lorang and Laura Fallon Burns for helping pull it all together the day of. Many others jumped in to make this event a success as well. We look forward to hosting this event again next year!

CYCLOCROSS CRUSADE 2021

The Cyclocross Crusade event is coming back to the Port's Business Park this year, but with a date change and more exciting features. This event, typically occurring in early October, is two in a series of 6 cycle races across Oregon. This year the events will fall on October 30th and 31st and will feature a costume contest in addition the race, adding to the fun of an already entertaining event to watch. Those of us local to Cascade Locks are certainly familiar with the wet conditions that come in late October, so expect to see lots of mud covered bicycles. As part of the conditions of this event, the promoters will grade and seed the spaces they utilize to ensure that the Business Park is development-ready following this fun event. To find out more details on this event, visit <https://crosscrusade.com>.

NEW TENANTS

Since The Renewal Workshop's move into Flex 6, the Port has been busy with potential tenants inquiring about the available space in Herman Creek Business Complex. We have successfully filled most of the available space with new businesses to Cascade Locks. We would like to welcome Stumptown Networking, who is leasing Suite 101 of Flex 1. Also, Landmass Wines, who is leasing Suite 101 of Flex 2. And finally, Chateau Deluxe Winery who is leasing Suite 102 of Flex 4. Currently, the Port still has the remainder of Flex 1 available to lease. If you or someone you know is interested in light industrial space, contact the Port at 541-374-8619.

WELCOME SYDNEY

In August, the Port hired Sydney Vargas as the new secretary. Sydney is a resident of Cascade Locks with past experience in secretarial work. We are excited to have her a part of this team. Welcome Sydney!



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THE BRIDGE OF THE GODS TEMPORARY WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS STARTING SEPTEMBER 27TH

The Oregon Department of Transportation recently issued new load ratings for the Bridge of The Gods that spans the Columbia River between Cascade Locks, OR and Washington State Highway 14. The new posting will be effective September 27th, 2021 and will limit the maximum gross vehicle weight to 11 Tons. The Bridge of the Gods will return to legal load limits following a scheduled Strengthening Project expected to conclude by the end of October 2021. Load ratings provide information about how much distributed weight can safely pass over a bridge. Load posting signs show maximum weight limits. A posted bridge is safe to use, but the weight of vehicles must be limited accordingly. Questions and concerns can be addressed by emailing info@portofcascadelocks.org.

WORKSOURCE OFFERS VIRTUAL TRAINING

WorkSource of Hood River and The Dalles are offering virtual trainings that are free and open to everyone. Types of trainings offered are Resume and Cover Letter Development, Basic Computer & Internet Use, Interview Preparations and more. To request a schedule of classes or sign up, call 541-386-6300.

Find more information and resources at:
www.cgcc.edu/adw-program



USFS BEGINS RECRUITING FOR SUMMER 2022

Collaboration and connections with communities are at the heart of what we do. We look for people who share a passion for the mission of the U.S. Forest Service (USFS), enjoy interacting with people from all walks of life, believe that working together with other people can generate better ideas and solutions than working alone, and who enjoy being active in their community (e.g., as a volunteer, active in local community organizations, etc). Temporary and seasonal employees play an important role in caring for the land and serving the people and there are many opportunities right here in the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area (CRGNSA). The search for next summer's seasonal employees starts earlier than you think! The window for applying for next year's seasonal positions is November 5-12, 2021 throughout the region, including all USFS forests in Oregon and Washington. Creating an account on USAJOBS.gov allows you to track job openings. To create an account, visit USAJOBS and click "Create Profile" on the front page. We encourage anyone who is interested to join a purpose driven workforce and make a lasting impact!

DATES TO TAKE NOTE OF:

Oct 5..... Economic Dev. Sub-Committee
 Oct 7..... Port Commission
 Oct 19..... Economic Dev. Sub-Committee
 Oct 21..... Port Commission
 Oct 21..... CL Action Team
 Oct 28..... Joint Work Group for Eco. Dev.
 Oct 30-31..... CycloCross Race
 Oct 31..... Halloween

If you have further questions on meeting times or locations, contact our office at 541-374-8619 or visit portofcascadelocks.org.

HOT JOBS

Multiple Positions Open!

Port of Cascade Locks
<https://portofcascadelocks.org/employment-opportunity/>

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