



Status Updates for Monthly City Council Meeting

DATE: May 2, 2025

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Chad Sweet, City Administrator

Meetings & Coordination

- Attended Klash workgroup meeting and FFA cost estimate workshop
- Participated in various planning meetings (zone change, site plans, trees, and code enforcement)
- Multiple pre-development meetings regarding FEMA AE zone
- Attended multiple meetings on culvert/flooding issue (Bud's-Uhaul-Hamilton / ODOT)
- Attended monthly MAC group meeting
- Attended County Biodigester meeting
- Met with Division Chief Park for ISO Rating meeting prep
- Met with various councilors multiple times
- Met with Denise from CREST
- Attended quarterly CREST Council meeting
- Attended worksession, regular, and special Council meetings

Code Enforcement

- Tree-related reviews and emails take up an average of two days a week and occupy half of email inbox (both permits and code enforcement checks on tree cutting)
- Multiple citation warnings (nuisance, cherry trees, construction site)

Special Projects & Grants

- Water Rights application
 - ◆ OWRD has received it, additional materials requested that were not noted on first submission have been sent
- Population Estimate revision of 1941 received and sent to Peter

Of Note

- SAVE THE DATES:
 - ◆ Budget Meeting – Tuesday, May 13th 6p
 - ◆ Public Safety Building Community Meeting #4 – Monday, May 19th 6-7:30p @ GVFD
 - ◆ Gearhart Firefighter's Ball – Saturday, May 24th 8p @ GVFD
 - ◆ May Council Worksession – Tuesday, May 27th 6:30p
- GEARHART CLEAN UP DAY
 - ◆ Early dumping overnight filled both bins and created issues with wait times during event