

EAST HOPE NEWS

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Idaho's Liberty Bell Tour
The bell travels Idaho again! The statewide tour brings the bell directly to Idaho communities and tells both the national story of the Liberty Bell and the history of Idaho's own replica. The Liberty Bell will be arriving in East Hope on **October 27th** approximately mid-morning and will be on display for half an hour. We will update the exact time as the event gets closer. Don't miss the chance to see Idaho's Liberty Bell!

America250 Legacy

Public Notary Services

The city clerk is available to provide Notary Public services. These services are offered in the city during normal business hours, Monday through Thursday. If you have any questions about notary services, please reach out to the city for further details.

Building Permits

The city enforces both building codes and zoning codes. If you are planning a project—such as constructing a shed, deck, addition, or new building—please consult with the city to determine which permits are required and whether your project meets zoning setback requirements. Contacting the City by phone or email to discuss your plans can help you avoid unnecessary delays and frustration. Due to increased activity in the area, permit processing currently takes approximately four to six weeks. Please plan your projects accordingly.

Burn Permits

Burn permits are required through October 20th and are available at city hall.

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING DATES BEGINS @ 5:30PM

OCTOBER 13TH

NOVEMBER 10TH

DECEMBER 8TH

JANUARY 12TH

FEBRUARY 9TH

CITY COUNCIL

Deborah Field, Mayor (2027)

Pam Brockus, Council President
(2027)

Michael Wilcox, Council (2027)

Michelle Ward, Council (2027)

Joyce Butler, Council (2029)

OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY-THURSDAY
9AM—3PM
FRIDAY 9AM-12PM



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Please Be Mindful....

As yard clean-up occurs, please ensure that you or someone you hire does not rake or dump debris into the ditches or onto the hillsides. This creates many hazards such as the potential for fire or problems with stormwater run-off.

Water:

Are you planning on being gone for an extended time? The city strongly recommends having your water meter turned off to avoid any potential leak disasters. The City adopted a Leak Forgiveness Policy that only allows a certain amount of forgiveness and only one time per property ownership.

Ellisport Bay Sewer District

The Ellisport Bay Sewer District Office has relocated to Hope City Hall at 148 W. Main St., adjacent to the Old Icehouse Pizzeria. Their office is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. For more information, visit their website at ebsewerdistrict.com.

Mayor's Corner

I know it's only October but a heads up on what is coming up fast! CHRISTMAS! Our annual Christmas Tree lighting in the park is scheduled for Friday, December 4th. We will be discussing decorating schedules at this month's city council meeting on the 13th. We will be sending out a request for "Santa's Helpers" soon after that meeting. Please be part of this special community celebration that lights up our park and warms the hearts of those who attend. Mark your Calendars!!



Happy Fall/Happy Halloween!



Don't forget, MCC's Halloween Extravaganza and Dance Party, Saturday, October 31st, from 5 to 7:30pm. They will have a variety of music, a costume contest for adults, a costume "show-off" for kids and pets and lots of candy and community!

