

**MAYOR’S CORNER – MARCH 2025**

Dear Citizens:

 This monthly report will address several issues that many citizens have brought to my attention over the past few months.

As we anticipate the arrival of spring, many of us are preparing to embark on our seasonal yard clean-up. With the changing season comes the responsibility to adhere to a number of city ordinances that help maintain the beauty and safety of our community. These include regulations concerning unsightly weeds, which can pose serious fire hazards, the presence of unregistered and unlicensed vehicles on public property or within the public right of way, and the management of attractive nuisances that may pose safety risks. Additionally, front yards that face public streets should be free of clutter and debris to uphold the neighborhood's aesthetic appeal.

 If you would like to obtain a copy of these specific ordinances to better understand your responsibilities as a property owner, please feel free to stop by City Hall, and I will gladly provide you with a copy. Let’s work together to keep our community vibrant and welcoming!

 Thanks to the partnership with Humbert Refuse, we have the opportunity each year for a city-wide clean-up day, where residents can declutter their yards and dispose of items they no longer need. It’s a wonderful chance to freshen up your space! Typically, you can look forward to receiving a postcard in May with the details of this event. If you have access to a pickup truck, we encourage you to utilize it to transport any unwanted items to the dump.

At our Council Meeting on February 18th, we proudly welcomed Sierra Salvey as our new full-time City Recorder. Sierra initially joined us on a temporary basis in September 2024 through Express Services, and her contract was set to expire the week of our January Council meeting. We’re thrilled to have her on board permanently, and we invite you to stop by and give her a warm welcome!

 Our dedicated grant writer, Annie Boyd, is actively seeking funding for various exciting projects throughout our community. We’ll keep you updated with more information as it becomes available so you can see how these projects will benefit our city.

 Please mark your calendars for a vital public meeting on April 9th at noon, where we will discuss the new Development Code Book for the City of Weston. This informative session will take place at the community building.

 If there are topics you would like me to explore in our future newsletters, please don’t hesitate to reach out. You can call me at (541) 263-1129 or visit City Hall to leave a message.

 Lastly, don’t miss our next Council Meeting scheduled for March 18th, 2025, at 6 PM, also at the community building. We look forward to seeing you there and hearing your thoughts!

Sincerely,

Mike Dowd

Mayor of Weston