

ECM Notifications

Garbage Pickup During Road Closures For Asphalt Repair – ECM has notified Republic Services several times and has also provided maps of road closures. If your road is closed during your normal service day, they will pick up the following business day.

Spray notice – Please see spray notice below, this will take place in the early mornings on the dates listed below:

- Monday 9/18-Wednesday 9/20 Forest Green broadleaf
- Thursday 9/21- Wednesday 9/27 Eagle Creek broadleaf
- Thursday 9/28 Highland Parks broadleaf
- Friday 9/29 Vista Rim broadleaf
- Monday 10/2-Wednesday 10/4 Desert Sky broadleaf
- Thursday 10/5-Tuesday 10/10 Creekside broadleaf
- Wednesday 10/11-Friday 10/13 RECOA master area turf for broadleaf

General Announcements

Exciting News! The new website is going live this week! On Wednesday when you go to the regular RECOA website (www.ridgeowners.com), your old user name and password will not work. Follow the instructions at [link to Instructions](#) (or the attached PDF) to gain access. If you have any questions or problems, please reach out to the RECOA webmaster at webmaster@ridgeowners.org.

Keep a look out in the upcoming Eblasts for some interesting DYK's (did you know's) to help you get acquainted with the new website.

Motocross Facility News

Deschutes County Approved X Games Motocross Competitor, Justin Homan's land use request in Redmond on his home property. The approval is subject to more than 30 conditions, including following noise control regulations, height, lighting limits, the number of riders per day and hours of operation as well as restrictions on the removal of existing trees and shrubs. The full text of the Bulletin article can be read here → https://www.bendbulletin.com/localstate/deschutes-county-approves-motocross-facility-near-redmond/article_7598725c-484f-11ee-a9b4-c373df7712b4.html

Dark-Sky Speaker Forum

According To The International Dark-Sky Association, "light pollution is the human-made alteration of outdoor light levels from those occurring naturally. Light pollution disrupts wildlife, impacts human health, wastes money and energy, contributes to climate change, and blocks our view of the universe. When we over-light, fail to use timers and sensors, or use the wrong color of light, we can negatively affect many parts of our world, including migratory birds, pollinators, sea turtles, and mammals, including

humans.” In fact, according to the American Medical Association, “Recent large surveys found that brighter residential nighttime lighting is associated with reduced sleep times, dissatisfaction with sleep quality, excessive sleepiness, impaired daytime functioning and obesity.”

The Ridge at Eagle Crest is happy to announce an informational speaker presentation from the International Dark-Sky Association (IDA). Dr Bill Kowalik, IDA Oregon Board President will speak about the organization and their mission, which “is to preserve Oregon’s magnificent dark skies and to diminish light pollution for the health, safety, and well-being of all life.” Dr. Kowalik has had a 35-year career as an earth scientist and will talk about why reducing light pollution is important and some simple, easy ways to help diminish light pollution at an individual and community level.

Please mark your calendars for **Tuesday, October 10th at 7:00 pm at the River Run Event Center, 1730 Blue Heron Dr. on the Eagle Crest Resort.** Beverages and snacks will be available for purchase prior to the presentation. If you have not had a chance to visit River Run, this will be a great opportunity to sample a beverage or two and enjoy the magnificent view of the Deschutes River. You might even receive a free light bulb!

Communication Committee

Do You Love News And Information About Your Community? Would You Like To See More Town Halls And Speaker Forums? We would too but it takes owner volunteers to make it happen. Please consider joining the Communication Committee to keep us all in the know. Email your interest to cc@ridgeowners.com.

Rules Review Committee

RECOA Rules Review Committee (RRC) is forming a subcommittee to study and make recommendations to the Board for the Management of Short-Term Rentals.

The RRC is looking for volunteers to join this subcommittee to represent the owners of Short-Term Rentals.

If interested, please send an email stating your name and phone number to: rrc@ridgeowners.com.

Upcoming Meetings and Events

Architectural Review Committee Meeting – September 13th, 9:00 am, 7555 Falcon Crest Dr.

Utility Committee Meeting – September 13th, 1:30 pm, 7555 Falcon Crest Dr.

Community Wildfire Protection Committee Meeting – September 14, 2:00 pm 7555 Falcon Crest Dr.

Eagle Crest Country Roundup – September 14th, 5:00 pm. See flyer below for details and sign up link.

RECOA Board of Directors Special Meeting – September 15th ***Canceled***

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