

September 2019

NEVADA CITY NEWSLETTER



BE INVOLVED IN YOUR CITY - BECOME A CITY COUNCIL MEMBER

City Hall Closed

- Sept 2: Labor Day
- Oct 14: Columbus Day

Mark Your Calendar

- Oct 11 & 12: Railroad Museum Yard Sale

Town Hall Meeting with Vice Mayor, Erin Minett

September 17th

5:30-6:30pm

City Hall - Council Chambers

Topic: Insurance & Fire Fuel Reduction

Other issues may be brought up at the Town Hall mtgs.

Questions? Contact Vice Mayor Minett at 530-478-1816 or erin4nevadacity@gmail.com

City Meetings

- City Council Mtgs.
Sept 11 & 25
Oct 9 & 23
- Planning Commission Mtgs.
Sept 19 & Oct 17

For meeting agendas, visit the City's website:

<https://nevadacityca.gov/agendalist.aspx?categoryid=9947>

The election for new City Council Members will be in March 2020.

Who should run for City Council?

Any resident of Nevada City (proper) who is interested in the day to day business of the City, a person who wants to insure that the City remains financially sound, or a person who wants to be a part of assisting the City with annual goals that guide the direction of the City. Three Council Members will be finishing their term on the City Council in June 2020.

How do I become a City Council Member?

To become a City Council Member, you must be a resident of Nevada City (proper), complete & file the proper paperwork with the Elections Office and be elected by the residents of Nevada City. For deadlines & information on filing with the Elections Office, visit the County's website:

<https://www.mynevadacounty.com/2854/Candidate-Filing>

How long is a term once elected?

Council members serve a 4 year term.

What if I want to run for Mayor?

The Mayor is not an elected position. Rather a Mayoral Succession Policy was adopted in 2017 to ensure all Council members the maximum opportunity to serve as Mayor. It provides that, unless they decline, the Mayor for the next year shall be the senior member who has served on the City Council for at least 23 months and has not previously served as Mayor. The second in line Mayor Pro Tem is the next senior member who has served on the Council for at least 11 months

EMPLOYEE PARKING PERMITS

Nevada City is once again selling employee parking passes (for individuals who work in downtown businesses) The passes are in the form of a small sticker that is affixed to your windshield. The sticker is to be placed on the outside lower

corner of the driver's side (not covering the VIN). The passes are sold at an annual cost, but are prorated, so \$60.00 will cover employees through December 31, 2019. Cash, check or credit card are acceptable forms of payment. To purchase

an employee parking pass please come into City Hall and see Tanya on the city administration side directly across from the police department. The city does anticipate raising the cost of the parking pass at the beginning of the New Year.

STRATEGIC PLAN

On August 16th the City updated their Strategic Plan which included changes to the City's Core Values and

updated objectives for the Three Year Goals that are in place. The Strategic Plan can be viewed on the City's

website: <https://nevadacityca.gov/pview.aspx?id=20812>

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SPECIAL EVENTS & ROAD CLOSURES

Constitution Weekend

Sat. Sept. 14th: Pine St. between Broad & Commercial will be closed from 3:00 -8:00pm for a Constitution Day Concert by the Nevada County Concert Band.

Sun. Sept. 15th: Broad St. and surrounding streets will be closed from noon to 4:30p for the Constitution Day Parade.



Celebration of Life for Past Planning Commissioner, John Parent

Sept. 12th; 5:30-8:30pm
 Broad St. will be closed from Pine to York St.

Halloween

Thurs. Oct. 31st: The City will close the top of Broad St. at the Y to Main St. Also, a portion of Pine St. is closed during trick-or-treat times.



NC Farmers Market

Every Saturday
 8:30 am to 1:00 pm
 Union Street is closed.



CAN I PAY MY UTILITY BILL ONLINE?

Yes, your sewer/water bill can be paid by visiting the City's website: <https://nevadacityca.gov/pview.aspx?id=20796&catID=564>

When you go to the payment page, you will need to enter the last 3 letters & 4 digits of your Account Number. The Account Number can be found on your Utility Service Bill.

Sample:

ACCOUNT NUMBER
123-1234-ABC5555

COMMERCIAL & YORK STREETS ARE NOW ONE-WAY

Commercial St. is now a one-way street from Union up to Broad. Three Forks parking lot is an "Entrance Only" from Commercial St. and drivers must Exit the parking lot onto Union. Traffic travels west on Commercial St. (from Union St., past the board walk, Friar Tucks, the Commercial St. parking lot and up to the stop sign where Commercial meets Broad. In addition, York St. is one-way from Broad St. to Commercial St.

