

EAST HOPE NEWS

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WINTER IS COMING!



2020

COUNCIL

MAYOR

VERNON FLEISHER

(2023)

DEBORAH FIELD

(2023)

LONNA BERNARD

(2021)

TOM GRIMM

(2021)

DON WELLS

(2021)

COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 10TH

DECEMBER 8TH

JANUARY 12TH

FEBRUARY 9TH

MARCH 9TH

APRIL 13TH

@ 5:30 PM



OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY—
THURSDAY

9AM—3PM

Friday 9-12 noon

Veteran's Memorial Wall Dedication:

The City of East Hope was hoping to have the wall ready for dedication on Veteran's Day however we have run into a few snags. The City has made the decision to wait till spring of 2021, Memorial Day to hold the dedication due to a backorder on supplies and the rapidly changing weather. Individual letters were sent to everyone that has purchased a tile in October. We are sorry for this delay but felt that doing it right was more important than rushing the process and we hope you feel the same.

The playground fundraiser has raised \$ 6,615.00 to date. If you would like to donate to this you can do so at city hall, on our city website, or at Davis Grocery. The goal is \$10,000 and we are well on our way to reaching it.

Annual Tree Lighting Celebration:

This years annual tree lighting celebration will be held Friday, December 4th at 5:30 pm. A little birdie has informed us that Santa will also be here. Refreshments will follow at Davis Grocery. If you have a favorite holiday cookie you would like to share please bring it down for the celebration. Coffee and Cocoa will be provided other drinks will be available for purchase.

Vacation Rentals:

The City has regulations concerning Vacation/Short-Term Rentals that were adopted with the new Zoning & Subdivision Ordinance #285. If you operate a Vacation Rental/Short-Term Rental, you are now required to register with the City. The registration fee for the first year is \$50.00 and subsequent years are \$25.00. Vacation Rentals/Short-Term Rentals Registration forms are available to download on the City's website.

Building Permit:

The City has both building codes and zoning codes, so if you are starting a project such as a shed, deck, addition or new build please check with the City to see what permits you will need and if it meets zoning setbacks. A simple phone call or email to discuss your project will save you time and frustration as you plan for your project.

Public Notary Services:

The city clerk is now a Notary Public. The City will be offering this service for a nominal fee during business hours. You may contact the City if you have additional questions.

Water and Streets:

Please be sure to winterizing your outdoor faucets and sprinkler systems. Don't forget your vehicles too, make sure you check your radiator and window washer fluids for the appropriate levels. It's also a good time of year to change the batteries in your smoke detectors and clean your chimney.

Please be aware, starting November 2nd thru December 15th the Hope Boat Basin will be closed for repairs. Pringle Park Boat Launch will be the only ramp open in this general area.

Winter Snow Removal Requirements:

Snow plowing season is amongst us and the City is asking for your cooperation. East Hope streets are narrow, please do not park in public right-of-way areas this makes plowing extremely difficult. The City will not be held responsible for damage done to vehicles that are located within its right-of-ways. The City is asking that you do not shovel or plow snow into the City's streets. This causes a safety hazard for other motorists and the City's snow removal equipment.

Happy Thanksgiving!!



Ellisport Bay Sewer District: The Ellisport Bay Sewer District meets monthly on the second Monday of the month at 5:30 pm at Pend Oreille Shores in the activities building. Schedule may be impacted by Covid-19.

City Facebook Page and Website: Please be sure to follow the City's Facebook page, facebook.com/easthopeidaho and check out the city website at: cityofeasthope.com. The City will be posting their agendas, and public notices on both sites as well as at city hall. Feel free to contact the City for more information if you have questions. The City has a new meeting notice board on the door to city hall, be sure to check it out!

DATES TO REMEMBER: Election Day, November 3rd; City Council Meeting, November 10th; Veteran's Day, November 11th (City Hall Closed); Thanksgiving, November 26th.

November 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 Election Day	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 City Council Meeting 5:30 pm	11 Veteran's Day City Hall Closed	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 Thanksgiving City Hall Closed	27	28
29	30					

SALSA VERDE CHICKEN CHILI

INGREDIENTS:

1 ROTISSERIE CHICKEN
3 16-OZ CANS WHITE BEANS
2 CUPS SALSA VERDE
2 tsp GROUND CUMIN
1/4 CUP CILANTRO CHOPPED

1 MEDIUM ONION DICED
2 tbs OLIVE OIL
6 TO 7 CUPS CHICKEN BROTH
1 tsp CHILI POWDER
DICED AVOCADO (for serving)

INSTRUCTIONS:

Prepare your ingredients by shredding the rotisserie chicken, dicing the onion, and draining the beans. Make sure to rinse the beans too. Set ingredients aside until needed. In a large pot heat olive oil over medium heat. Add onions and cook until they become translucent, about 5-7 minutes. Add a pinch or two of salt and stir to combine. Add shredded chicken and cook for another 5 minutes. Add salsa verde to chicken and onions and stir to combine. Add beans and 6 cups of chicken broth and stir to combine. Bring mixture to a boil and then immediately reduce heat to a simmer. Cover and continue simmering for 1 hour. After 1 hour, add cumin, chili powder, and fresh chopped cilantro. Stir to combine. Add additional cup of chicken broth, if desired. Serve immediately with diced avocado. Leftovers can be stored in the fridge for 3 days. Do not add diced avocado to leftover soup that is to be stored—only add when serving.

