



## CAN News



### COMING SOON: CullyFest!

Saturday, September 21, 9 am - 5 pm

Cully Blvd Street Closure @ the 5 Corners (6025 NE Prescott Street)

Join us for family-friendly activities:

- Help paint a sidewalk mural
- Free food + ice cream
- Cully's Got Talent: Live entertainment
- Petting zoo, games, bicycle-powered smoothie blender, and more!

Show the Love!

- Learn more about CullyFest (link these words to <https://www.portlandplacemaking.org/cullyfest>)
- Sign up to Perform at CullyFest (link these words to [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfTVV89XKNbzQOFrK9ArcQDY3DqscLU0cO7\\_Vr-QbnN6Rxq1Q/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfTVV89XKNbzQOFrK9ArcQDY3DqscLU0cO7_Vr-QbnN6Rxq1Q/viewform))
- Sign up to Volunteer: [cully5corners@gmail.com](mailto:cully5corners@gmail.com)

**YOU'RE INVITED**  
**CULLYFEST**



**CELEBRATE THE HEART OF CULLY**  
**Sat Sept 21st, 9 am - 5 pm**  
 Cully Blvd Street Fair @  
 6024 NE Prescott Street

Help paint a sidewalk mural  
 Free food + ice cream  
 Cully's Got Talent: Live entertainment  
 Petting zoo, games and activities

**LEARN MORE + GET INVOLVED!**  
 Attend. Perform. Volunteer. Sponsor.  
[www.CullyFest.org](http://www.CullyFest.org)

**ESTÁS INVITADO**  
**CULLYFEST**



**CELEBRAMOS EL CORAZÓN DE CULLY**  
**Sab. el 21 de Sept. 9 am - 5 pm**  
 Feria en la calle en Cully Blvd.  
 6024 NE Prescott Street

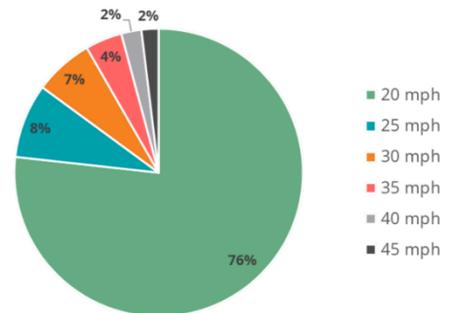
Ayuda a pintar un mural en la acera.  
 Comida y helado gratis.  
 Cully tiene talento: entretenimiento en vivo  
 Zoológico de animales acariciables

**APRENDE MÁS + INVOLUCRATE**  
 Asistir. Llevar a cabo.  
 Ser Voluntaria. Patrocinar.  
[www.CullyFest.org](http://www.CullyFest.org)

## Community Updates

### Drive at or below 20 mph on residential streets because it's the law and it saves lives

A pie chart representing approximately 2,100 miles of Portland's streets by speed limit as percentages where most (76%) have a 20-mph speed limit.



Did you know the residential speed limit in Portland is 20 mph? It's extra important that people drive slowly on residential streets as they are typically narrow and have few extra protections for people walking, biking, and rolling, e.g., marked crosswalks and bike lanes.

The majority of Portland streets have a 20-mph speed limit  
In 2018, Portland Bureau of Transportation reduced speed limits on most residential streets to 20 mph as part of our Vision Zero goal to eliminate traffic deaths and serious injuries on our streets. Today, the majority (76%) of Portland's approximately 2,100 miles of streets have a 20-mph speed limit.

We're reducing speed limits to save lives

Why are we so concerned about reducing speed limits? Simply put, it saves lives.

As people travel faster, the risk of death or serious injury rises dramatically. Speed was reported to play a role in at least 42% of deadly crashes between 2017 and 2021, including either driving over the speed limit or driving too fast for road conditions.

**Read more about speed limits in Portland**

## Remember to Water Young Trees

We are moving into longer, warmer, drier days in Portland. That may mean more fun for many of us, but we need to remember our new and recently planted trees, too!

Until the rains return in the fall, trees that have been in the ground for three years or less will need at least 15 - 20 gallons of water each week.

Use a 5-gallon bucket with small holes drilled in the side as shown in the photo. This method provides a handy way to measure how much water you apply. It also ensures a slow flow of water into the soil.

Click the button for more tips on mulching.

[Read More](#)

## Typical violations and cost

Per city code, all vehicles in the right-of-way should be registered or have a valid temporary registration placard displayed properly. Vehicles should display both front and rear plates, face the correct direction on the street, and be parked no further than one foot from the curb in a legal parking spot. PBOT's Parking Enforcement team routinely issues citations to comply with these and other state and city laws. In May, officers cited 2,400 vehicles for expired vehicle registration and 670 vehicles for missing license plates.

Visit [PBOT's Common Parking Violations and Bail \(citation\) Schedule page](#) for a full list of parking violations and citation amounts. Frequently asked questions about vehicle booting can be found at [www.portland.gov/transportation/parking/booting](http://www.portland.gov/transportation/parking/booting).

Registering your vehicle before a citation

For detailed instructions about how to renew your vehicle registration and how much it will cost, visit the [Oregon DMV's Vehicle Title, Registration & Permit Fees page](#). Instructions are available in multiple languages.

## Participate, Engage, Volunteer!

### Ranked Choice Voting Workshop

Tuesday, August 6, 5:30 – 7:00 pm

Lincoln High School (1750 SW Salmon St, Portland) Get ready to rank your vote, Portland! Ranked choice voting, approved by 58% of Portland voters in 2022, allows you to select up to six candidates for mayor, auditor, and your city council district, and rank them in order of preference, starting in the November 2024 election.



Join us for a workshop where Multnomah County and City of Portland elections staff will explain the nuts and bolts of the new system, including how to mark your ballot and how vote tabulation works, facilitating a live mock election and question-and-answer session.

[REGISTER](#)

## Learn About your Right to Vote!

**Who Can Vote Today?** As a result of many battles, laws and amendments, modern day voting is a much simpler matter. To vote in a presidential election today, you must be 18 years old, a

United States citizen and not a convicted felon. Each state has its own requirements, but the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 makes registering simple.

Without regard to political persuasion, religion, race, gender, sexual orientation, education, social standing, or economic condition, you have a responsibility—the responsibility to become informed on the candidates, measures, and issues for each election, then choose wisely. Your vote helps decide who is elected and will lead the community, what is taxed and how taxes are collected, how tax monies are allocated, and what new laws are or are not enacted.

Exercise your power and **VOTE!** In Oregon, you may register to vote if: • you are an Oregon resident; • you are a U.S. Citizen or will become one before Election Day (see below); • you are at least 16 years of age. Click here for **Information on Registering to Vote**

Click below for:

**View all City petitions and measures for the November 2024 Election**

**Read about the petition process for City initiatives and referendums**

Contact **City Elections**

## **Engagement Officer Survey**

The City's new organizational structure created an **Engagement Officer** position. The Transition Team wants your input to help decide the authority, priorities, and ideal candidate profile for the role! You are invited to complete this survey before August 12.

**Take the Survey**

## **2024 General Election Events**

### **Starting September 5th**

Live, In Person This general election season, City Club of Portland will host three candidate forums: Multnomah County Commission Districts 1 and 2, and the City of Portland Mayor. Invitations are also out to candidates in additional races, and we'll update our schedule as more events are confirmed. For details on dates, times, locations, featured candidates, and moderators, please [visit our website](#).

To receive extra notice when events are coming up, tickets are running low, and more, and to express your interest in supporting these essential voter education events through sponsorship or volunteering, please complete the form linked [here](#) and below.

**SIGN UP**



## City Administrator Key Attributes Survey

Deadline: August 12As part of Portland's new government structure starting January 2025, the mayor-elect will initiate the recruitment of a city administrator. To gather community input on the attributes desired in this role, the City of Portland Government Transition Team is partnering with a local executive search firm to conduct a thorough exploration. You can participate in [a virtual community listening session](#) or [an online survey](#) to influence the recruitment plan provided to the next mayor.



## Burnside Bridge Design Options Survey

**Deadline: Wednesday, July 31**After many years of planningthe Earthquake Ready Burnside Bridge project is now in the Design Phase where architects, engineers and contractors are working through key design decisions. The first decision milestone is to determine the bridge type for the east approach. Multnomah County has launched its online open house and survey asking for community feedback on the future look of the new Burnside Bridge. Be a part of this historic moment!

## Run for the West Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District Board

Deadline: August 27Interested in safeguarding natural spaces, plants, and animals? Passionate about local agriculture and community engagement? Run for West Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District's Board of Directors! They're seeking dedicated individuals for four open positions this year. Make an impact on how tax dollars are spent while sharing your expertise. Visit [bit.ly/wm-board](https://bit.ly/wm-board) to learn more and run!



## Run for the Urban Flood Safety & Water Quality District Board

Deadline: August 27Calling all regional leaders! The Urban Flood Safety & Water Quality District is recruiting for board members. This agency was formed to operate and maintain the flood safety infrastructure along the Columbia River, and to integrate equity, nature-based

solutions, climate preparedness and nature-based solutions into flood management. This is an exciting leadership opportunity for anyone interested in flood safety, emergency preparedness, equity, and environmental justice & conversation. The time commitment is estimated to be 6-10 hours per month, with an optional monthly stipend of \$400. Interested? Visit [their website](#) and fill out this [interest form](#). Prospective candidates are also encouraged to attend an [information session](#) on August 19th.

## Restoring Oregon's Climate Protection Program (CPP)

This year Neighbors for Clean Air has joined in coalition with numerous environmental, economic, and climate justice advocates, businesses, and Indigenous communities working to restore Oregon's [Climate Protection Program \(CPP\)](#). The CPP sets clear, enforceable targets for oil and gas companies to reduce their climate pollution 90% by 2050. It will also enable upwards of \$150 million annually in statewide Community Climate Investments directly to low-income and communities of color who are most impacted by climate change.



Oil and gas companies are fighting tooth and nail to derail this cornerstone climate justice program, and we need your help to restore these vital community protections and investments without delay.

To restore the CPP, we need you to add your voice! There will be an opportunity from late July through August for Oregonians to submit comments and testify in support of the CPP!

Will you help us restore the Climate Protection Program by submitting comments or testifying in support of the CPP? Sign up for action alerts below to receive more information about how to submit comments and testify!

**Help Us Restore the CPP**

## Ongoing CAN Events

### CAN Neighborhood Gatherings

Next meeting TBD

**Join Zoom** @ Meeting ID: 892 9705 9428 Passcode: 795423

*Neighborhood Gatherings are every 2nd Tuesday, monthly from September through June. CAN Members are all persons who live, work, or play in Cully.*

### CAN Transportation & Land Use (TLC) Meeting

Next meeting TBD

**Join Zoom** @ Meeting ID: 892 9705 9428 Passcode: 795423

*CAN Transportation & Land Use (TLC) Meetings are on the 3rd Tuesday, monthly and/or as-needed from 6:30-8 pm. More [Land Use and Zoning](#) info*

### CAN Board Meeting

Next meeting TBD

**Join Zoom** @ Meeting ID: 892 9705 9428 Passcode: 795423

*CAN Board Member Meetings every 4th Tuesday, monthly year-round from 6:30-8:30 pm*

## Community Resources

Check out all these other events happening around the neighborhood.

- [Alder Commons](#)
- [Hacienda CDC](#)
- [Living Cully](#)
- [Naya](#)

Living Cully maintains a list of [community resources](#). Let us know what we're missing!

