



Our Town

Kalama honors its legacy of community pride, rich heritage and natural beauty while embracing growth and economic prosperity.

City of Kalama

December 2021

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Police – 911

Public Works
360-703-0168 or
911

SHOP WITH A COP

The Shop with a Cop event is happening on December 11th, 2021. It's not too late to donate! We hope you will consider joining with us in taking part in this program that brings some much-needed holiday cheer to needy families in the Kalama area. Cash or check donations made out to the City of Kalama (memo line: "Shop with a Cop") can be dropped off at the Kalama Police Department or City Hall. Please contact Chief Herrera at chief@kalamapolice.com and thank you for helping the Kalama Police Department brighten the holiday season for some of Kalama's families.

December 2021 Council Meetings

Save the dates! The City Council will hold hybrid meetings for the following dates:

- **December 2nd, 2021 @ 7p.m.: 2022-2027 Capital Facilities Plan Hearing**
- **December 16th, 2021 @ 7p.m.: Public Hearing- Shoreline Substantial Development- conditional use permit – Kalama Marketplace**

All meetings are open to the public and they are encouraged to attend. Information will be posted on the City website under the "agendas & minutes" section for virtual access to the hybrid meeting if participants desire to do so.



GARBAGE SERVICE

Your regular garbage service date will not be changed for the Christmas and New Year holidays. Waste Control drivers may **pick up your cart EXTRA EARLY in the morning** so that they can get home to their families, so please **put your garbage cart out the night before!**

CITY OFFICES CLOSED

Please remember that the Kalama City offices and the Library will be closed on the following dates:

- December 24th and 27th – Christmas Holiday break
- December 31st – In observance of New Year's Day

TEMPS ARE DROPPING

Freezing temperatures are upon us, so be sure to disconnect your garden hoses and protect those outside spigots from the freezing damage of mother nature this winter! No one wants a frozen spigot!



REDUCE THEFT OPPORTUNITY

During the holidays there seems to be an increase in vehicle prowls. The Kalama Police Department is asking that you help reduce the temptation of theft by locking your vehicles and storing valuables out of sight. Thank you!

CITY HALL HOURS-
Monday-Friday:
9AM-5PM

**Utility Billing-
 Payments**
360- 673-4554

Permitting
360-673-5211

Building & Planning
360-673-4555

**Finance – Accounts
 Payable**
360-673- 4908

Clerk/Treasurer
360-673-4561

City Administrator
360-673-3265

Kalama Police Office
360-673-2165
**Hours M-F 9am-
 4:30pm**

Kalama Public Works
360-673-3706

Kalama Library
360-673-4568
Current Hours of Op:
Mon- Fri 12pm-5pm,
Saturdays 9am-2pm

**Kalama Community
 Building**
360-673-4562


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Police Website
www.kalamapolice.com

Library Website
www.kalamalibrary.com



Saturday, December 4 th	Christmas in Kalama Drive through Santa/book giveaway, 12pm-4pm near Kalama Public Library
Saturday, December 4 th	WinterAleFest 3pm-9pm catered by Willie Dicks (hosted by Amalak) @ One55Elm
Monday, December 6 th	Blood Drive 12pm-6pm @ the Community Building
Saturday, December 11 th	Holiday Shopping Event: 4-6pm Downtown Parade of Lighted Floats: 6-7pm, N First Street
Saturday, December 18 th	Shop Local
Sunday, December 25 th	Merry Christmas & Happy Holidays!

For detailed event information, please see the City's Facebook Page, the Kalama Chamber of Commerce website at www.kalamachamber.com/events-1, the City website at www.cityofkalama.com, the Kalama Fair website at www.kalamafair.com, or the Port of Kalama's website at www.portofkalama.com.

<p>WHEN DO WE MEET?</p> <p>Kalama City Council 1st and 3rd Thursdays - 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>Kalama Planning Commission 2nd Thursday - 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>Civil Service Commission 4th Thursday - 5:30 p.m. – As needed</p> <p>Kalama Library Board Bimonthly beginning in January on the 20th Wednesday - 5:15 p.m.</p> <p>MEETING LOCATION *Hybrid meetings, physical location: 320 N 1st St, Kalama</p>	<p>POLICE OR FIRE EMERGENCIES – CALL 911</p> <p>PUBLIC WORKS - AFTER-HOURS EMERGENCY NUMBER (360) 703-0168 – OR CALL 911</p> <p>Kalama Police Office Non-Emergency...(360)-673-2165 Kalama City Offices..... (360)-673-4562 City of Kalama Fax..... (360) 673-4560 Comcast..... (888) 226-2278 Cowlitz County Assessor..... (360) 577-3010 Cowlitz County Bldg. & Planning..... (360) 577-3052 Cowlitz Public Utilities District..... (360) 423-2210 Fire District #5 Office Non-Emergency... (360) 673-2222 Kalama Post Office..... (360) 673-3567 Kalama Telephone Company..... (360) 673-2755 Labor & Industries..... (360) 575-6923 Utilities Locate (Call Before You Dig!) 811 or (800) 424-5555 Waste Control..... (360) 425-4302</p>
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