



# GRASS VALLEY POST



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CITY HALL BUSINESS  
DAYS & HOURS:

Mon, Tues  
9am-4pm

## December 2025



## Help Shape Grass Valley's Future

The City is beginning work on a **strategic plan** to guide Grass Valley over the next **5-10 years**, and we'd love to gather ideas from our residents. Your input will help identify priorities, projects, and goals for our community.

**If you'd like to share your thoughts or suggestions contact City Hall by email.** (snail mail welcome too)

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Grass Valley City Council Meetings

**Next Meetings:** Monday, Jan 5, 2026

**Grass Valley Market Annex 7:00PM**

**Christmas Bazaar — Sat. Dec 6 2025,**  
10-2 see details below.

**Become Our Flag Care Volunteer!** The City of Grass Valley is looking for a volunteer to help with **inspecting and maintaining the city's flags**. Duties include checking for wear, removing flags that need repairs, taking them to a custom sewing company in The Dalles, and rehanging them once fixed.



## Septic System Survey

The City's engineering firm will be conducting a **door-to-door septic system survey** to gather information for future wastewater planning. Please welcome the survey team if they visit your home, and thank you for your input.

**\*\*see statement insert for full details.**



### "New" Burn Permit Requirement:

Please fill out the **burn permit** enclosed with the **last newsletter** and return it to the City with your water payment, or place it separately in the City's drop box out front. **\*\*The County now requires this permit for all residents.** If you are caught burning without a permit you may be cited **with fines** by the county fire officials. (Lost it? Print another one from our website)



### December Landscaping Tips:

Keep your landscape winter-ready! \*Water trees and shrubs only if the ground isn't frozen and protect young plants with burlap or guards. \*Mulch perennials and bulbs to insulate roots, and leave seed heads for birds. \*Remove heavy leaves from lawns and avoid walking on frozen grass. \*Winterize tools, clear gutters, and protect furniture. \*Keep bird feeders full and provide some leaf litter for wildlife habitat.



### Vital Support Services

#### Energy Assistance

(MCCAC): Help is available for the cold winter months.

\*Walk in or schedule an appointment.

541-965-1172

[www.mccac.com](http://www.mccac.com)

211-Utility Assistance

[www.211info.org](http://www.211info.org)

The 8th Annual  
**COUNTRY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**  
Grass Valley Pavilion  
**DECEMBER 6, 2025**  
**10:00-2:00**  
25 vendors featuring handmade gifts for everyone on your list!  
Coffee, hot cocoa, pastries & soups!  
 **SANTA**  
FLIES IN AT 12:30

Be sure to check out the [City's website](http://www.cityofgrassvalley1901.com) for all Ordinances & Resolutions. We post Upcoming Meeting Agendas, City Council Meeting Minutes, Forms pertaining to the city, copies of past & current City Newsletters and MORE! [www.grassvalleyoregon.com](http://www.grassvalleyoregon.com)

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