

Show Low Monthly News

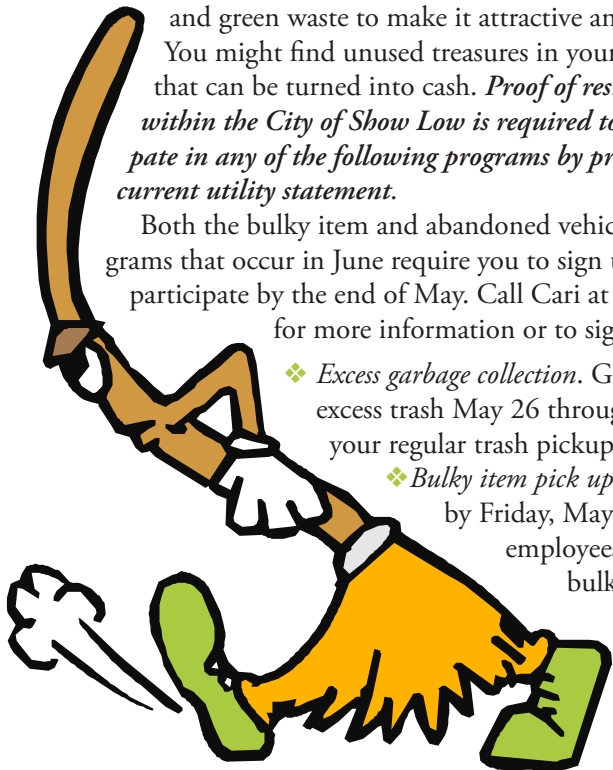


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Project Clean Sweep offered for 10th year

Take advantage of the free programs in the City's tenth annual **Project Clean Sweep**, scheduled for late May and early June. Rid your property of unwanted items and green waste to make it attractive and fire-safe. You might find unused treasures in your home that can be turned into cash. *Proof of residency within the City of Show Low is required to participate in any of the following programs by presenting a current utility statement.*



Both the bulky item and abandoned vehicle programs that occur in June require you to sign up to participate by the end of May. Call Cari at 532-4100 for more information or to sign up.

- ❖ *Excess garbage collection.* Get rid of excess trash May 26 through 30 on your regular trash pickup day.
- ❖ *Bulky item pick up.* Sign up by Friday, May 30, for employees to collect bulky items from your residence.

- ❖ *Abandoned vehicle program.* Sign up by Friday, May 30, to have your abandoned vehicle towed from your property.
- ❖ *Cash for Trash.* Earn cash for your large, unwanted items on June 7.
- ❖ *Transfer station.* Dump your trash for free June 9 through 14 at the Lone Pine Transfer Station.

Construction materials are strictly prohibited and will not be accepted in any of the programs.

Free Excess Garbage Collection

Waste Management will provide free, excess trash collection from Monday, May 26, through Friday, May 30. This service is provided quarterly through a contract between the City and Waste Management. Only residents billed for City water and/or sewer services are eligible for this benefit. Excess trash will be picked up on your normally scheduled collection day.

Trash bags must weigh less than 50 pounds and items cannot be longer than four feet in length (they must be bound if there is more than one item). All excess trash must be placed next to the polycart on your pickup day.

Free Bulky Item Pickup

Beginning Monday, June 9, through Friday, June 13, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., City employees will collect bulky items from residents who have called 532-4100 by May 30 to arrange a

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May's general election is again "vote by mail"

Like the Primary Election, the City of Show Low's General Election will be a "vote by mail" election. A ballot will be mailed to every active registered voter beginning April 28. Voted ballots must be received by 7 p.m. on election day, May 20. If you do not receive a ballot by early May, call the city clerk's office at 532-4060 or 532-4061.

In the General Election, voters will fill the remaining two Council seats from candidates Barbara Provost, Freddy Lara, Jack Latham and incumbent Daryl Seymore. Voters filled the Mayor's seat and one Council seat in the March



F. Lara



B. Provost

11 Primary. Current Mayor Rick Fernau and Council member Gerry Whipple will return for another four years when their terms begin June 3, 2008.

Anyone who has moved or changed mailing addresses since the primary must re-register to vote. By law, ballots cannot be forwarded so they will be returned as undeliverable. The last day to register or re-register to vote in the General Election is Monday, April 21. Voter registration forms are available at city hall or the library at 180 N. 9th Street.

Remember to insert the voted ballot into the return envelope and sign the envelope. Ballots returned in



J. Latham



D. Seymore

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Calendar of Events

Family Aquatic Center & Recreation: 532-4140 ❖ Public Library: 532-4070

- 05/01 5:30 p.m.**, Council Chambers
City Council budget session (if needed)
- 05/01 7 p.m.**, Show Low School District Auditorium
& **02 Crazy for You** (Show Low High School Fine Arts Department production); call 532-6805 for ticket information
- 05/03 10 a.m.**, Senior Field
Aquafina Pitch, Hit and Run (ages 7 to 14)
- 05/03 2 p.m.**, Show Low School District Auditorium
Crazy for You (Show Low High School Fine Arts Department production); call 532-6805 for ticket information
- 05/05** Registration begins for **Pee-Wee T-ball** (ages 4-6)
- 05/05** Show Low Historical Society Museum
Grand Reopening
- 05/06 7 p.m.**, Council Chambers
City Council Regular Meeting
- 05/07 5:30–6:30 p.m.**, City Campus Gym
Start Smart Baseball begins
- 05/08 10 a.m.**, Public Library (public welcome)
Show Low Library Friends meeting
- 05/08 5:30 p.m.**, Council Chambers
City Council budget session (if needed)
- 05/13 4–9 p.m.**, Aquatic Center
CPR/AED/First Aid Class
(call 532-4140 to sign up; \$25 fee)
- 05/13 7 p.m.**, Council Chambers
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
- 05/15 3:30–4:30 p.m.**, Public Library (ages 8+)
Cool Kids Book Discussion Group (bring your favorite adventure book)
- 05/15 7 p.m.**, Show Low Historical Society Museum
Show Low Historical Society Meeting (“Corydon E. Cooley” by Clark Thomas) with potluck at 5:30 p.m.
- 05/16 Lifeguard Boot Camp**, pool closed from 5 p.m. on
& **17** May 16 through all day May 17
- 05/19 Summer Swim Lessons** session 1 registration begins
- 05/20 7 p.m.**, Council Chambers
City Council Regular Meeting
- 05/24 Memorial Day Softball Tournament**
& **26** (City fields and Woodland Park fields)
- 05/26 Memorial Day** (City offices closed; Aquatic Center open from **12–5 p.m.** for **Open Swim**)
- 05/26- Excess refuse pickup week** (place excess next to
05/30 polycart on regular pickup day)
- 05/27** Summer pool schedule begins
- 05/27 7 p.m.**, Council Chambers
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
- 05/31 Deuces Wild Triathlon** (for more information or to register, go to www.trisportsracing.com)

Mothers Day

Check out City 4 TV & www.showlowaz.gov for more information

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unsigned envelopes will not be counted, per state law. A ballot box and replacement ballots will be available at city hall during regular business hours.

(Editor's note: Federal law requires that all election-related materials be provided in English and Spanish.)

Como la Elección Primaria, la Elección General de la Ciudad de Show Low será un “voto por el correo.” Una boleta será enviada por correo a cada votante que tenga su registrado activo desde el 28 de Abril. Las boletas votadas deben ser recibidas no mas tarde de la 7 p.m. de la noche en el día de las elecciones, el 20 de Mayo. Si usted no recibe una boleta electoral a principios de Mayo, llame a la oficina de la secretaria municipal de la ciudad al 532-4060 o 532-4061.

En el Elección General, los votantes llenarán los últimos dos asientos del Concilio con dos de los candidatos Barbara Provost, Freddy Lara, Jack Latham y el incumbirle Daryl Seymore. Los

votantes llenaron el asiento del Alcalde y un asiento del Concilio durante la Elección Primaria en el 11 de Marzo. Actualmente el Alcalde Rick Fernau y el miembro del Concilio Gerry Whipple regresaran para otros cuatro años cuando sus términos empiezan el 3 de Junio de 2008.

Cualquier persona que se ha mudado o ha cambiado su dirección de envío desde la Elección Primaria se debe registrar otra vez para poder votar. Por la ley, las boletas no se pueden hacer remitidas, nada mas serán devueltas como no remitible. El último día para registrar o re-registrar para votar en la Elección General es el lunes, 21 de Abril. Las formas de registraciones de votantes estarán disponibles en la municipalidad 550 N. 9th Place o en la biblioteca en 180 N. 9th Street.

Los votantes deben recordarse de insertar la boletas en el sobre del regreso y firmar el sobre. Las boletas devuelta sin firma no serán contada, por la ley del estado. Una caja de la urna y boletas de reemplazo estarán disponibles en la municipalidad durante horas de oficina regulares.

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pickup. Any large, unwanted appliance, furniture, tires, etc. will be accepted. The City, however, will not accept hazardous materials, including liquid paints, oils, pesticides, herbicides and household cleaning products nor any building materials. Unlike "Cash for Trash," residents will not be paid for these items.

If you have not scheduled a pickup, any item left for Waste Management will incur a charge of \$50 per item, added to your June 2008 utility bill. All bulky items scheduled for pickup must be placed next to the curb fronting your residence the weekend of June 7 and 8.

If leaving a message when calling to schedule a pickup, include your name, physical address and a contact phone number.

Abandoned Vehicles

Inoperable vehicles with or without a title will be accepted for \$50 per vehicle. Untitled vehicles will be assessed a charge of approximately \$50 from the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) and applied to the owner's DMV record. DMV will notify the owner. Neither the City of Show Low nor S&D Auto Wrecking, the towing company contracted to remove the vehicles, has any control over the DMV fees assessed for untitled vehicles. To avoid DMV fees, residents may get a replacement title from DMV prior to submitting their vehicle under the Abandoned Vehicle program. Contact DMV at 532-2301 regarding fees and replacement title information.

Residents wishing to have their inoperable vehicles towed must complete an abandoned vehicle form (one per vehicle) and return it by mail or in person to Cari Bilbie, Public Works Yard, 1281 E. Thornton, Show Low, AZ 85901 by 4 p.m., May 30. The forms may be picked up at DMV or the public works yard. (The only part of the form to fill out is the back of the yellow copy. Sign the form and include a contact phone number.)

Cash for Trash

Cash for Trash will be held Saturday, June 7, from 8 a.m. to

"Cash for Trash" Schedule of Prices

Only items shown below will be accepted. Proof of Show Low residency required (bring a current utility statement).

Appliances

Dishwasher.....	\$3	Microwave.....	\$1
Refrigerator.....	\$5	Stove/range.....	\$3
Television.....	\$2	Washer/dryer.....	\$3
Water heater.....	\$2		

Auto Tires, with rims..... \$1 each

Auto Tires, without rims..... drop-off only; no payment

Vehicle Batteries..... \$1 each

Carpeting (maximum \$10 per customer)

6' x 9' or larger.....	\$4	Less than 6' x 9'.....	\$2
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Furniture

Bed.....	\$3	Bookcase.....	\$3
Chair.....	\$2	Chest of drawers.....	\$3
Couch.....	\$5	Dining table.....	\$5
Lawn furniture.....	\$2		

Motor Vehicles (towed free; call 532-4100 to schedule pickup)

Plumbing Fixtures

Bathtub.....	\$5	Sink.....	\$2
Toilet.....	\$3		

Miscellaneous

Bicycle.....	\$2	Camper shell.....	\$5
Dog house.....	\$2	Swing set.....	\$5

5 p.m. Only items on the Cash for Trash list (above) will be accepted. Take your items to the public works yard at 1281 E. Thornton (see the map at left for directions). Items not on the list will be turned away. Residents will be asked to provide proof of Show Low residency so bring a current utility statement.

Automobile tires with rims will be accepted for \$1 per tire. Automobile tires without rims will also be accepted but no cash will be given. Batteries also will be accepted for \$1 per battery.

Free Dumping at Transfer Station

Residents may take their unwanted items to the Lone Pine Transfer Station at no charge from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., June 9 (Monday) through June 13 (Friday), and 8 a.m. to noon on June 14 (Saturday). Bring a current City of Show Low utility statement as your proof of residency. Those who cannot prove Show Low residency will be charged the transfer station's standard dumping fees.

The transfer station will not accept debris and materials from construction sites; commercial refuse; hazardous materials including pesticides, herbicides, oils, liquid paints and household cleaning products; automobile batteries and tires with rims.

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Employees and volunteers honored for their service

Every year, the City of Show Low hosts a banquet to honor its employees and volunteers for their service to our community. Volunteers range from the Senior Patrol and Library Friends to standing committees, such as the Planning and Zoning Commission, Aviation Advisory Committee, Board of Adjustment and Development Fee Committee. Special committees, such as the General Plan Advisory Committee that assisted in developing the City's new general plan, are created and serve as needed. In addition to acknowledging everyone's contributions, employees and volunteers are specially recognized, by department, for their outstanding assistance to our citizens. Please join us as we celebrate the accomplishments of all our employees and many unsung volunteers.

Police Department

Civilian Employee of the Year – Debbie Sturdy (photo right)



Volunteer of the Year – Bob Kircher (photo left)



Officer of the Year – Toby Gilmore (right)



Elks Lodge Officer of the Year – Brandon Clark (left)

100 DUI Arrests – Officers Justin Fellows and Allan Meyer



Community Services Department

Volunteers of the Year – John and Laura Hunter (right)



Employee of the Year – Steve Olson (left)



“Make Their Day” Award – Danny Milam (left)



“Play” Award – Susan Shirley (left)



“Choose Your Attitude” Award – Terri Wade (right)



“Be Present” Award – Claude “Gunny” Wagganer (left)



Public Works Department

Award of Excellence – Pat Shaffery (right)



Award of Excellence – Rodger Felix (left)



Award of Appreciation – Jeff Kinney (right)

Community Development Department

Employee of the Year – Dave Potts (right)



Public Information Department

Special Recognition Award – Tamra Reidhead (left)



Special Recognition Award – Linda Stabenow (right)



City Manager

Community Partnership Award – McCarty Enterprises
Presented to McCarty Enterprises for their commitment to Show Low through projects such as the annual *Show Low Shines*

holiday light decorations and partnering with the City for the entryway landscaping at the intersection of the Deuce of Clubs (US60) and Clark Road (SR260). Sisters Kathy Fish (*left in photo*) and Virginia McCarty (*right*) accepted the award on behalf of the McCarty family.