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# Skyline Rural Watch Newsline

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**Date: November 8, 2020**

## Next SRN Board Meeting

The next SRN board meeting will be Friday, Nov 13 at Noon.

The only item on the agenda at this time is Laurel Erhardt's resignation from the Board and voting in of a new President.

SRN meetings are always open to the public. Meeting will be held via Zoom.

Please respond to this email to receive a Zoom meeting invitation.

Thank you!

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## West Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District

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November 5, 2020

For Immediate Release

West Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District (WMSWCD) is updating its Long Range Business Plan (LRBP). This strategic planning document will guide the scope of the District's conservation work and the associated financial sustainability and organizational health components needed to implement this work for the next 5 years (2021-2025). This plan will further define the District's commitment to embedding equity and inclusion as a foundational value in all that the organization does.

As part of this process, the District is engaging with community members and partners to learn how they can better serve the conservation needs of communities in their District, and be most successful in achieving their mission. WMSWCD has selected valued partners and community members to participate on a Conservation Scope Advisory Committee (CSAC) that will make recommendations to the District's elected Board of Directors as they develop an updated Long Range Business Plan.

This is the third meeting of this committee, and it will be held via Zoom on 11/10/2020 from 5-7 pm. Any person may attend the meeting and request to make a comment during the public comment period. Interested participants may request the meeting invite details by emailing [mary@wmswcd.org](mailto:mary@wmswcd.org) with the subject line "Request for Conference ID" or by calling 503-238-4775 and leaving a voicemail message at extension 100, no later than 3:00 p.m. on November 9th. At this second meeting, the committee will be reviewing the District's revised mission and vision statements, and reviewing the strategic goals of the LRBP. [View the agenda.](#)

Visit [wmswcd.org/](http://wmswcd.org/) for more information about the West Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District.

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*To conserve and protect soil and water resources for people, wildlife and the environment.*

*Please note, WMSWCD's office is currently closed to the public due to the coronavirus pandemic. Staff are available remotely via phone or email for questions or concerns, and are available in-person for priority field work. Additionally, there may be a delay for incoming postal mail reaching staff. For updates on our services and office reopening status, please visit [our website](#).*

## **HELP WANTED, PT CAREGIVER**

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Hans Koch

Looking for part-time caregiver. Hello neighbors, we are looking for a recommendation for a private, in-home caregiver for my elderly mother to help with the following tasks:

- light personal, custodial care
- light meal preparation
- light housekeeping
- occasional driving

Rather than going through an agency, we would like to hire someone local who comes with high recommendations. Please contact me at [hanspeterkoch@gmail.com](mailto:hanspeterkoch@gmail.com) if you know of someone. Thanks!

## **GRANGE**



## [Skyline Grange Artisans Online Holiday Sale](#)

November 1 to December 13, 2020

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Members of the Skyline Grange Artisans offer their creations to the public in an online sales event with everyone's safety in mind. This will be the tenth year that this group of local artisans has presented their

wares to the Skyline community. Their annual holiday sale has always been held at the Skyline Grange, but due to the pandemic, there will not be an in-person sale at the Grange this year.

Go to <https://www.srnpx.org/grange-artisans.html> to see a list of participating artists with a link to their websites for ordering.

## **Outdoor Yoga at Skyline Grange**

Taught by Janci Vanderberg, local resident who has taught yoga in Portland area for 20 years.

Registration is Required: Each Sunday after 5 p.m. log onto [www.yogainalignment.com](http://www.yogainalignment.com) to view class schedule at the Grange for the following week based upon the weather forecast. Choose classes and click onto "choose a spot on SignUp". Suggested donation of \$5-8/class. You can pay online or when attending. If unable to attend registered class, please unenroll at website allowing another yogi the opportunity to practice.

Directions: Bring own yoga mat, other desired yoga props, and perhaps sunscreen. Adhere to the COVID Protocols.

COVID Protocols: Attendees are expected to adhere to these protocols. Class enrollment is limited based upon County, State & Skyline Grange guidelines. a) Park vehicle in every other parking space. b) Wear a facemask at all times when on Grange premises unless you are on your own yoga mat. c) Place your mat centered behind a white marker which assures spacing between mats of 8-10 feet. d) Do NOT attend if you are feeling at all ill.

**FROM SRNPDX.ORG**

**Stay Safe,  
Be Well,  
and Enjoy the Fall!**

And please [send us](#) photos of the changing season, wildlife that you see on your land, fall colors, etc. to share on this page.



## Calendar

Find the community calendar here: <http://www.srnpx.org/calendar.html>

## Resource Directory

As a service to neighbors, SRN publishes a listing of local government agencies and businesses in the [Skyline Resource Directory](#). Follow the links in this section to view its contents and learn how to add a business or agency listing. Listing of organizations and businesses herein does not imply any endorsement of SRN nor does it imply a lack of endorsement for similar organizations or businesses not included.

## Community Links

Skyline Grange: <http://www.srnpx.org/grange.html>

Forest Park Conservancy: <http://www.forestparkconservancy.org/>

Linnton Community Center: <http://www.linntoncommunitycenter.org/>

Linnton Neighborhood Association: <http://linntonna.org/>

West Multnomah County Soil and Water Conservation District: <http://wmswcd.org/>

Skyline School: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/skyline/>

Skyline School PTA: <https://skylineschoolpta.com/>

Lincoln High School: <http://www.pps.k12.or.us/schools/lincoln/>

## About the Newslines

Skyline Rural Watch Newslines is a part of Skyline Ridge Neighbors (SRN) and has been produced

since June 1994 as a means to communicate neighborhood information. The Newsline is produced by Laurel Erhardt (editor) with help from Miles Merwin, Libby Merwin, and Sen Speroff.

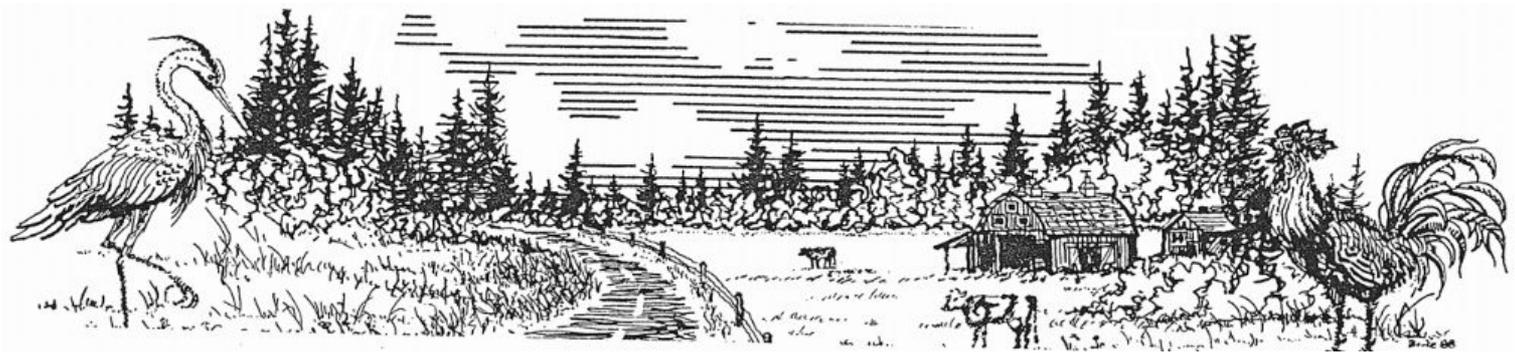
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You can [subscribe to the Newsline](#) at the Skyline Ridge Neighbors website, SRNPDX.org. Tell your neighbors about this free Newsline service.

## About Skyline Ridge Neighbors

SRN is a neighborhood association serving much of unincorporated northwest Multnomah County and some adjacent areas within the city of Portland. SRN is registered as a neighborhood association within Multnomah County, registered as a non-profit public benefit corporation with the State of Oregon and approved as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization under the IRS Code. SRN is operated by volunteers and with donated funds entirely.

If you would like to donate to SRN in support of its activities, such as this free Newsline service and the publication of its quarterly Skyline Ridge Runner, send your donation to “*Skyline Ridge Neighbors*”, c/o Rachael Brake, 14109 NW Rock Creek Rd, Portland OR 97231. Contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.



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