

Environmental groups are opposing the use of cyanide capsules in Oregon. M-44 Devices are used on predators such as coyotes and foxes but environmental groups are asking State and Federal agencies to ban the devices as they are ineffective and dangerous to humans, pets, and other animals.

Aired on 10/2/18 for 52 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Burgerville officials announced a cybersecurity breach effecting consumers who used a credit card from September 2017 to September 2018 at their locations. A class action suit against Burgerville has been filled alleging that company waited too long to inform the public. If you used a credit card you are advised to contact the 3 credit agencies to review and suspicious activity.

Aired on 10/4/18 for 40 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

The largest wildfire in Lane County is almost contained. Forest Service Road 19 South of Highway 126 is still shut down with road blocks. Trails and campgrounds are closed in the area. Law Enforcement will be taking action to anyone violating the closures according to officer Heidi Rieck. Over 11K acres and only 80 percent contained means the entire area is still a hazard and should be dealt as such.

Aired on 10/5/18 for 53 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Roadkill Law means you can take home animals killed accidentally. A new law in Oregon will allow deer and elk killed accidentally to be removed from the road for personal consumption. You must remove the entire carcass and eating the meat would be your own risk. A permit would be required within 24 hours to turn in heads and antlers to the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife.

Aired on 10/11/18 for 52 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Social security COLA increase for 2019 is the highest in seven years. 2.8 percent increase will mean \$39 a month for the average retired worker according to estimates.

Aired on 10/12/18 for 37 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Studded tires legal to use starting November 1st but ODOT is recommending Oregonians wait until conditions require studs or use alternatives that do not damage the road. ODOT recommends keeping a set of chains and practice installing them before you need them.

Aired on 11/1/18 for 30 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Construction on I-105 will reduce travel to only one lane south of the Willamette River. University of Oregon Saturday football game should have drivers aware of extra delays. The game is scheduled to start at 4:30 PM

Aired on 11/7/18 for 25 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Firewood Permits are available to bring down the cost of cords of woods this winter. Please check with the Forestry Service on restrictions for what trees can be harvested. Permits are sold and more information is available at the forestry service.

Aired on 11/1/18 for 42 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

The Joint committees on Students success comprised of legislators from both sides of the aisles are working together and try and fix Oregon 4 year graduation rates which currently stand at 77 percent, the 3rd lowest in the country. Unsafe building and mental health issue along with numerous other factors are being considered.

Aired on 11/1/18 for 96 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Sweet Home police departments Shop with a cop kids program and Tee Tree applications for anyone who might need a little help over Christmas.

Aired on (11/3, 11/10, 11/17, 11/24/18) 120 seconds during live call in program Country Store 9-10am.

New ordinance proposal from Wheeler to change rules and regulation regarding demonstrators ability to gather and when they are able to hold demonstrations.

Aired on 11/12/18 for 35 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon Firefighters have been sent to help the fight wildfires in California. Oregon State Fire Marshal counterparts are already on the ground.

Aired on 11/1/18 for 22 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon saves, the state run retirement savings program is opening the doors to any working Oregonian to save for the future. You can save as little as \$5 a month and the average monthly is \$114. Self-employed parties are also able to apply and can register online.

Aired on 11/14/18 for 44 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Lane county Regional air protections issues a RED home wood heating advisory . LRAPS extended the advisory for an additional 24 hours. Weather forecasters say wind might clear the smoke in the next couple of days and confirmed the smoke is not from the California wild fires. Officials say the pollution is from wood burning in homes.

Aired on 11/16/18 for 32 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

USDA inspection service has recalled turkey products from Jennie-O Turkey Store Sales LLC. 91,388 pounds of raw turkey were recalled after a sample found salmonella matching the outbreak strain. Samples were from the September 11th 2018 production and shipped nation wide. CDC is advising to take precautions and be extra careful. Always wash your hands after touching raw meats and cook thoroughly.

Aired on 11/16/18 for 110 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Eugene Police are advising parents to be careful when buckling up children in car seats and remove their winter jackets to ensure the straps work properly.

Aired on 11/20/18 for 25 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Food and drug administration announced it's okay to eat romaine lettuce again as long as you check the label. The recent outbreak of tainted romaine appears to have come from the central coast region of California.

Aired on 11/27/18 for 30 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Christmas tree shortage across the country was announced from the Pacific Northwest Tree Association due to the lower amount of trees planted in the great recession in 2008.

Aired on 11/27/18 for 25 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

The Willamette Country Music Festival had their permit removed from the Linn County Board of Commissioners due to multiple vendors reporting not being paid. Formal resolution to revoke the permit will be decided at a meeting next week.

Aired on 11/29/18 for 25 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Governor Kate Brown has unveiled her latest budget and policy proposals looking to boost education, ensure access to health insurance and fund legal counseling for immigrants facing deportation. The proposal also includes \$2 million in funding for legal action against the Trump administration.

Aired on 11/29/18 for 40 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon State has agreed to pay \$1.25 million to the family of an Albany girl who died in foster care in 2016 from an untreated illness. Child and welfare workers and Department of Human services had been contacted 28 times with concerns for the girl being abused or neglected. The states investigation found the 15 year old girl had missed an unusual amount of school and had also said she was choked by her mother who also used drugs in the home. After being moved to a temporary shelter the girl was moved to the aunt's house instead of a hospital and the aunt brought her to the hospital the next day where she died.

Aired on 11/30/18 for 110 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon is requesting federal approval to charge drivers to use sections of the Interstate 5 and 205 in the Portland area. New tolls would help the state address growing congestion on highways but many answers aren't clear as to the toll locations and other options.

Aired on 11/30/18 for 48 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Flu Season is here and in full effect. Officials are letting people know it's not too late to get your flu shot today. Vaccines are readily available across the state and you can find outlets by visiting flu.oregon.gov. You should also remember to wash your hands, avoid close contact with sick people, avoid touching eyes and mouth, and clean surfaces that may be contaminated.

Aired on 12/4/18 for 110 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

United States Postal Service will suspend regular mail service on Wednesday for a national day of mourning honoring the late former President George H.W. Bush.

Aired on 12/4/18 for 35 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon taxpayers will receive an estimated \$724 million worth of "kicker" rebates when they file their income taxes in 2020 under current predictions. Voters will get to decide instead to send the money to a rainy day fund.

Aired on 12/5/18 for 44 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon Department of transportation will be meeting in Salem regarding I-5 freeway to reduce congestion along the Rose Quarter corridors. Limits of tolling are still to be determined. The money raised will be used to fund future construction projects after reviews are completed during the next several years. Drivers should not expect tolls until the mid 2020's.

Aired on 12/10/18 for 54 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Space heaters are commonly used and if not used properly can be the cause of a fire. Please follow these safety guidelines from Eugene-Springfield Fire Spokesman Rachel Anderson. Place space heaters on a flat surface, at least 3 feet away from kids, pets, or anything flammable. Never use a space heater when not in the home or room and always purchase a unit with safety features that power off during tipping.

Aired on 12/11/18 for 48 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon legislature is considering a state wide ban on all plastic ban and on plastic straws. Informal hearings are being held to discuss impacts.

Aired on 12/12/18 for 28 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Albany police are warning the public regarding fake \$100 bills in the South Willamette Valley. Police recommend using a marker to test all bills no matter if they look or feel real or fake for safety.

Aired on 12/12/18 for 22 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Portland school board has approved an agreement to pay police officers for an increased presence in schools. \$1.2 Million a year on nine police officers will be voted on if it's wise to the district. The resolution passed Tuesday and will go to the Portland City council.

Aired on 12/13/18 for 32 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

Oregon legislature in 2019 will be proposing a new bill to require Oregonians to be required to purchase and require gun owners to securely store their weapons using locks. Fines could be as much as \$500 or \$2k if a child gets unauthorized access to the firearm.

Aired on 12/13/18 for 40 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.

New Oregon driver's license will be starting in early 2019. Your current license will be valid until it expires and no action is required. The new license will have new security features and looks for drivers under 21 years old.

Aired on 12/14/18 for 45 seconds on newscasts throughout the day.