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# THE DEWEY-HUMBOLDT NEWSLETTER

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## SPECIAL ELECTION NEWS

At the June 7th Town Council meeting, Council Members voted to have the vacant Town Council seat go to election.

The election will be held as a Special Election on the November 8th Ballot for one seat with a two-year term.

The time period to file candidate nomination petitions to appear on the ballot at the November 8th election has lapsed. If you are interested in running as a write-in candidate, please stop by Town Hall to pick up a write-in candidate packet. The last day to file as a write-in candidate is September 29th. Note: An official write-in candidate's name does not appear on the ballot, but will be posted by the Town and Yavapai County elections.

**A.R.S. § 9-232 (A) - Council, qualification of members:** A person shall not be a member of a city or town council unless, at the time of the election, the person is eighteen years old, is a qualified elector residing within the city or town and has resided in the city or town for at least one year next preceding the election, or if an area has been annexed to the city or town for a period of less than one year next preceding the election has resided in such area for at least one year next preceding the election. If an annexed area is subject to the provisions of this subsection, a person may meet the residency requirements if the person has resided within the existing limits of the city or town for the one-year period.

To check on your current voting status, go to [Service Arizona](http://Service Arizona) or call Voter Registration at 928-771-3248. Find the candidates and current election information for the Town of Dewey-Humboldt online here:

## NEWS FROM TOWN HALL

[Election & Voting Information | Dewey-Humboldt, AZ \(dhaz.gov\)](#) and Yavapai County here: [Elections & Voter Registration Home \(yavapai.gov\)](#)

### PROPOSITION 457:

In addition to the Council Member seat, Proposition 457 will be on the November 8th ballot.

Proposition 457 is a citizen initiative to amend Town Code 30.015, "Town Council Generally" to require a supermajority vote (three quarters) of the Council Members instead of a simple majority vote on a loan for non-point source project, and other water or sewer loans for Town owned utilities from WIFA (Water Infrastructure Finance Authority) or any other source. This is necessary because current state law (ARS 9-571, C., 2) doesn't require the citizens to vote to approve such Council actions on a WIFA loan of towns our size.

More information, and pro and con arguments, on Proposition 457 will be published in a Publicity Pamphlet and mailed to current Town residents prior to the November 8th Election.

For more information on the Special Election and Proposition 457, please visit the Elections page of the Town's website at [Election & Voting Information | Dewey-Humboldt, AZ \(dhaz.gov\)](#) If you have any questions, please call the Town Clerk to make an appointment to pick up the information packet for candidates.

### NOVEMBER 8th ELECTION DATES:

**September 29th:** Last day for write-in candidates to file

**October 10th:** Last day to register to vote

**October 12th:** Early voting begins

**October 28th:** Last day to request an early ballot by mail

**November 4th:** Last day to vote early in person

**November 8th:** ELECTION DAY

## AUGUST 2022 NEWSLETTER CORRECTION:

In Vol. 17 Issue 8 of the Dewey-Humboldt Newsletter, within the article regarding code enforcement, it was written:

"The Town of Dewey-Humboldt needs the help of each citizen to maintain our community pride. We do not have the resources to engage in pro-active enforcement, so we depend on the citizens of the community to bring issues to our attention. To protect this relationship, the Town will make every attempt to keep the complaints confidential."

This was inaccurate and written by mistake, in error.

Complaints are public records and complainants' identities are disclosed under public record law.

If someone does not give their name on a Code Enforcement complaint, which is the definition of an anonymous complaint, there is no record for the Town to disclose. Whether the Town staff investigate an anonymous complaint is up to the staff and Town Manager allocation of resources. Anonymous complaints do not provide the ability for the Town staff to determine the credibility of the complaint. If someone makes a code complaint with their name attached, the Town may not redact the name of the complainant on the complaint. A complaint is public record.

Thank you.

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**COMMUNITY NEWS**



**PERMITS ISSUED**

Building Department  
issued permits  
July 2022:

Zoning	2
Manufactured Home	2
Lot Split	2
Home Business Occupation	1
Electric	1
Solar	7
ROW Access	2
ROW Encroachment	1
Demo	1
Lot Combo	1
Single Family Residence	1
<b>Total:</b>	<b>21</b>

**TRUNK OR TREAT**

The 2022 Town of Dewey-Humboldt Trunk or Treat will take place outside of Town Hall on Saturday, October 29th from 3pm to 5pm.

Trunk or Treat is a Halloween tradition in which a community, church, school, etc. come together and decorate the open trunks of their cars and pass out candy and other trinkets from their trunks, similar to trick or treating in a neighborhood and walking door to door. This is a safe place for families to celebrate Halloween and provides access for families who may not live in a trick-or-treating friendly area. It decreases the amount of walking for families with little ones and the amount of time.

If you are interested in hosting a trunk for Trunk or Treat, please call Town Hall at 928-632-7362 and speak to Chelsea or send an email to [chelseavarney@dhaz.gov](mailto:chelseavarney@dhaz.gov) by October 13th. Space is limited to 30 cars. Register to host a trunk today! For those who won't be registering a car, bring your family and enjoy the festivities! Spread the word to those in the Dewey-Humboldt community!



**FALL CLEAN UP DAYS**

Starting on **Tuesday, September 6th**, and continuing through **Thursday, September 8th**, the Town will be accepting discarded items. Hours of operation will be from 8:00a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

There will be two locations, the **Town lot at 12938 E. Main St. and the Maintenance Yard at S. Azurite and E. Third St.**

At the **Maintenance Yard location**, we **will be** accepting the brush.

At the **E. Main St. location**, dumpsters will be available to handle your discards. Yard clippings, pine needles and horehound **will only** be excepted in trash bags. Items that **will not** be accepted are: tires; oils; hazardous chemicals; paint; refrigerators/freezers with freon/coolant canisters attached; household trash; and batteries.

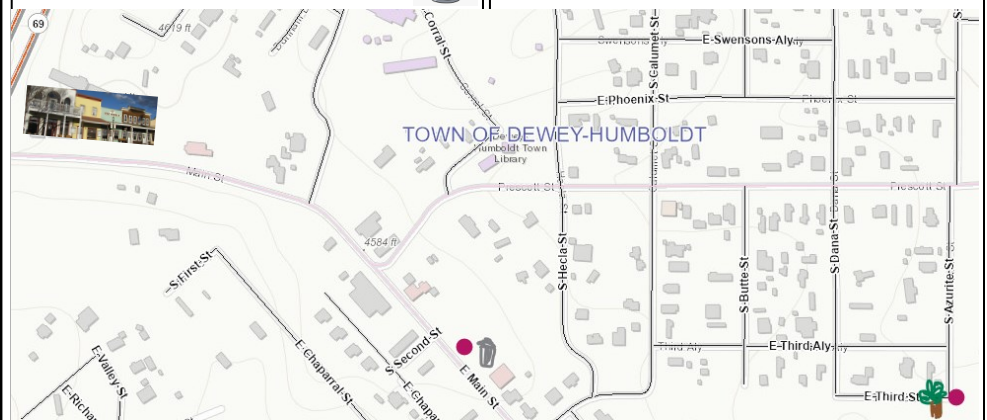
Furniture (including mattresses), televisions and residential construction material (non-commercial), are all allowed.

Please call Town Hall at (928) 632-7362 for further information and if you have any questions on allowable items.

**SEE THE BELOW MAP FOR DROP OFF LOCATIONS:**

**BRUSH WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE YARD OFF OF AZURITE AND THIRD STREET.** 

**ALL OTHER ITEMS WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE VACANT TOWN LOT ON MAIN STREET.** 



**LABOR DAY**

TOWN HALL WILL BE **CLOSED** MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2022



**OVERNIGHT LANE RESTRICTIONS**

The Arizona Department of Transportation is initiating a \$2.6 million project to repair and preserve the pavement along State Route 69. ADOT advises drivers to plan for overnight lane restrictions on north and southbound State Route 69 between Onyx Drive in Mayer and Main Street in Dewey (mileposts 271-279) from 8pm to 6am, Sundays through Thursdays beginning July 11, through September 30. The purpose of the project is to remove and replace existing pavement on north and southbound lanes, make pavement spot repairs, and add roadway striping and new pavement markings. Prepare for delays, slow down, and use caution around equipment and personnel. State Route 69 will be narrowed to one lane of travel in each direction in which flaggers and law enforcement will direct motorists through the work zone. A 14 foot vehicle width restriction will be in place and the speed limit will be reduced. For more information visit the project webpage at [azdot.gov](http://azdot.gov).



**MEETING DATES**

Town Council Chambers  
2735 S. Hwy. 69, Humboldt  
(unless otherwise posted)

Find the full agenda packets for upcoming meetings as well as packets and minutes for previous meetings online at [Town Meeting Documents and Videos | Dewey-Humboldt, AZ \(dhaz.gov\)](http://TownMeetingDocumentsandVideos|Dewey-Humboldt,AZ(dhaz.gov))

**Regular Council Meetings @ 6:30 p.m.**

- September 6, 2022
- September 20, 2022

**General Plan Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.**

- September 7, 2022

**P & Z Meeting @ 6:00 p.m.**

- September 8, 2022

**Council Study Session @ 6:30 p.m.**

- September 13, 2022

**Board of Adjustment @ 9:00 a.m.**

- September 27, 2022

Meetings are held via Granicus. Comments can be given at the meeting or can be submitted to [BethEvans@dhaz.gov](mailto:BethEvans@dhaz.gov), no later than 3:30 p.m., on the day of meeting. Please identify agenda item and your full name.

Citizens may have an item placed on the agenda by contacting a Council Member or by filling out a Presentation Request Form available on the website or at Town Hall.

**NEED AN ADDRESS?**

Does your property not have an assigned address? Addresses cannot be issued to a parcel without a residence on it. When applying for a building permit for a site-built home or a manufactured home, you will also need to fill out an address permit. The address will be assigned to the parcel at the time the building permit has been issued. For questions regarding addresses or other permitting questions, please call the Town of Dewey-Humboldt at 928-632-7362.

**Primary Election News**

The Primary Election was held on August 2, 2022 for the purpose of electing one candidate to the office of Mayor (2-year term) and three candidates to the office of Councilmember (4-year term).

In compliance with State law, the canvass was prepared by the Yavapai County Elections Department and presented at the Town Council Regular Meeting on August 16, 2022.

Pursuant to Dewey-Humboldt Town Code §30.046, John Hughes was re-elected to the office of Mayor, and Mark McBrady, Terry Nolan and Denise Rogers were elected to Town Councilmember and will assume the duties of office at the December 6, 2022 Council meeting.

**STAY IN TOUCH WITH US!**



The Town of Dewey-Humboldt uses Constant Contact email marketing software to send emails to residents.

Constant Contact can be used to provide email notices of upcoming events and news, links to important sources of assistance and information, as well as links to the Town's Newsletter pages. We will keep you abreast of the happenings in the Town, accessible on the go, on any of your devices.

To get your email added to this list, send the Town an email request at [info@dhaz.gov](mailto:info@dhaz.gov) or call the Town at 928-632-7362.



Through the Town's website you can sign in and subscribe to **Notify Me**. **Notify Me** allows you to subscribe to an unlimited number of email or text message lists to receive updates and information about community news and other calendar events. Sign up today!

**DEWEY-HUMBOLDT MAGISTRATE COURT**



The Dewey-Humboldt Magistrate Court is open Tuesday-Thursday from 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and closed for lunch from 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Payments may be deposited in the receptacle on the southwest corner of our parking lot, outside of Suite 15. Credit card payments can be made inside Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. If the Court Clerk is not here, you will need to know your case number and the amount due in order to make a credit card payment.



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# September 2022

## DEWEY-HUMBOLDT TOWN LIBRARY NEWS

2735 Corral St., Humboldt  
 Phone Number: 928-632-5049  
 Monday-Thursday 8:30am to 6:00pm



### Download the YLN Mobile Catalog App

for your phone or tablet and check your account, browse our collection, and place holds at your convenience!



Get it at [Google Play](#) for Android or the [App Store](#) for Apple!



**Need a Notary Service?**  
 The library now has this service available for you to get your documents notarized for free.

### Library New & Updates

Dewey-Humboldt Town Library book sales & donations drop off will be the 2nd & 4th Monday's of each month from 11 am to 3 pm. Please do not drop off any books with the library staff.

### Up Coming Events

There are no events scheduled for the month of September. All programming has been cancelled. The library remains open, but all activities are on hold due to staffing. Thank you.

## Available in your mobile app store now!

The Yavapai Library Network online library catalog connects all the public libraries and many school libraries [both K-12 and collegiate], as well as museums, archives, and special collections across Yavapai County. Through this shared catalog, patrons have access to well over a million items, even in the smallest and most remote libraries.

With the launch of our new YLN Catalog app, patrons will have a better user experience with identical search results across web and mobile platforms. Item information is displayed clearly, so patrons can see all the available formats right away. Personalize your app by linking family accounts, customizing your browsing categories, and saving unlimited to be read (TBR) lists!

### New app capabilities:

- create unlimited lists
- add and manage family accounts
- personalize browsing categories
- place, freeze, and unfreeze holds in a snap
- download eMaterials directly from the catalog

The YLN Catalog app is user friendly and customizable. Try it today! Be sure to make the switch before October 1, 2022, when the old YLN Catalog app will no longer be available.



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