



**FEBRUARY**

7	City Council	7:00 PM	City Hall Council Chamber	14	Planning Commission	7:00 PM	City Hall Council Chamber
8	Juvenile Diversion Panel	5:30 PM	City Hall Council Chamber	20	City Hall Closed	Observance	President's Day
9	Traffic & Public Safety Committee	7:00 PM	City Hall Council Chamber	21	City Council	7:00 PM	City Hall Council Chamber
13	Happy Valley Youth Council	7:00 PM	City Hall Council Chamber (Work Session)				

Check out our Web site at [www.RiverHealth.org](http://www.RiverHealth.org)

# RiverHealth



**Free Green Business Certification Workshop for Landscape Firms**  
**Wednesday, February 22nd - 9:00 am to 11:30 am**  
**Happy Valley City Hall - Council Chambers**

Clackamas County Water Environment Services and the Clackamas County River Water Providers are hosting a free workshop on February 22, 2012 at Happy Valley City Hall, 16000 SE Misty Drive, for landscape businesses to learn about the EcoBiz certification program.

The workshop includes information about how a company can become certified, and the benefits of certification.

Certified businesses will also be on hand to discuss their most innovative green landscape practices, and how this program has helped to protect the public's health.

The "Eco-Logical" Business Program is a joint project of the Pollution Prevention Outreach Team (Portland, Gresham, Clackamas and Washington counties, Clean Water Services, Metro and the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality). *EcoBiz* is a certification program that recognizes businesses and organizations including local governments for adopting exceptional environmental business practices. It is a cooperative project developed by a working group of local area jurisdictional staff from: Cities of Portland and Gresham, Clackamas and Washington counties, Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Clean Water Services, and PPRC. The Eco-Biz program is seen as a model program for other municipalities around Oregon to achieve pollution prevention (P2) planning goals for specific business sectors with environmental impacts to air, water and soil.

For more Workshop information, please contact:  
**Debra Taevs,**  
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 at (503) 336-1256 or [dtaevs@pprc.org](mailto:dtaevs@pprc.org).



## LUNCH BUDDIES NEEDED

**You can make a big difference to an Elementary Student as a Lunch Buddy!**

- The Lunch Buddy program has an 18 year history and is privately funded by individual donations and small grants.
- School counselors identify students who may have issues with self esteem, peer relationships or distressed family situations.
- These students would greatly benefit with a one-on-one, consistent adult mentor/friend who would share a once-a-week lunch and recess period for the school year with them.
- Volunteers are screened, trained and matched with a local area, elementary-aged NCSD student.

Currently, 65 adult Lunch Buddies are making a difference but more volunteers are needed at Mt. Scott, Spring Mountain, Happy Valley, Verne Duncan and Scouters Mountain elementary schools. Contact Linda Parsons, Lunch Buddy Program Coordinator at (503) 353-5663 or email to [lunchbuddyncsd@yahoo.com](mailto:lunchbuddyncsd@yahoo.com).



### Upcoming Happy Valley Blood Drives

<b>Monday, January 30th</b>	<b>HV Elem. School</b> 13865 SE King Rd	<b>1:30 to 6:30 pm</b>
<b>Help Save Lives</b>		
<b>Monday, February 6th</b>	<b>Encompass Urgent Care</b> 16126 SE HV Cir Dr	<b>2:00 to 7:00 pm</b>
<b>Be a</b>		
<b>Tuesday, March 27th</b>	<b>Eastridge Church</b> 14100 SE Sunnyside	<b>2:00 to 7:00 pm</b>
<b>Blood Donor</b>		
<b>Tuesday, April 3rd</b>	<b>HV Evangelical Church</b> 10601 SE 129th	<b>2:00 to 7:00 pm</b>
<b>Today</b>		

To schedule your appointment, or for more information contact 1-800-Red Cross or register online at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)  
 Sponsor Code: HappyVal

**City Departments To Assist You**

**General Assistance - Business Licenses, Dog Licenses,** (503) 783-3800  
*Alarm Permits, Burn Permits, Tree Cutting Permits*

**Administration** (503) 783-3831

**Building** (503) 783-3809

**Code Enforcement / Animal Control** (503) 783-3800

**Community Services -** (503) 783-3800  
*Event Information, Park & Sports Fields Reservations, Passports, Sponsorship Information, HOA Assistance*

**Human Resources / City Recorder** (503) 783-3826

**Economic Planning / Community Development** (503) 783-3812

**Engineering** (503) 783-3813

**Finance** (503) 783-3827

**Municipal Court** (503) 783-3848

**Public Works** (503) 783-3842

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