**Prizes**

First Place Winner will receive a $50 gift card, publication with credit on the City’s website ([www.fallscityoregon.gov](http://www.fallscityoregon.gov)), and featured on the Falls City Facebook page. Second place winners will receive a $30 gift card and third place winners a $20 gift card with notation as second and third place on the Falls City Facebook page. All photos submitted in the contest will be posted on the Falls City Facebook Page under the photos tab as long as they are apolitical, appropriate for public consumption, and represent Falls City.

**Photo Contest Rules and Guidelines**

• Contest is open to professional and amateur photographers of all ages

• An individual may only place in the top three with one photo

• Maximum 5 photograph entries per individual

• Completed and signed Entry Agreement must accompany each photo submitted.

• Entry Agreements by youth under 18 years of age must be signed by parent or guardian

• If you submit more than one photo, please put multiple digital photos per CD

• Photos must be taken in Falls City

• Photos must have been taken in 2018 or 2019 (historical photos taken before 1970 may also be submitted)

• Photographs must be in digital format (except in the Vintage/Historic photos)

• Photos will not be returned and may be used in City print or electronic media

• City employees are encouraged to submit photographs, but will not be eligible for monetary prizes

• All entries must be received or postmarked by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, January 17th,2020

**Judging**

A panel consisting of City of Falls City staff and the Mayor (“Judges”) will evaluate all eligible entries based on overall quality, creativity, and how well the photograph portrays Falls City. The Judges will select three finalists. The City will notify the finalists by January 31st, 2020.

The entries of the finalists will be presented to the City Council at the February 10, 2020 regular council meeting. The Council will select the first, second, and third place winners by blind-weighted vote. The Mayor will be the tie-breaker.

**How to Enter Your Photos**

Complete the entry form and submit your photos by mail or deliver a CD of your photo and a completed Entry Agreement for each photo to:

Photo Contest, City of Falls City

299 Mill Street

Falls City, OR 97344

**For More Information, Contact**

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