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**PLANK TOWN PRESENTS: CULT CINEMA  
JUNE SPRINGFILM @ THE WILDISH THEATER**

*A FREE monthly film & discussion in downtown Springfield brought to you  
by Plank Town, the Springfield Library Foundation, and Willamalane*

The monthly film and discussion event, **Plank Town Presents: Springfilm**, continues its Cult Cinema series in June. Through August 2016, Springfilm features monthly screening of films that may be bizarre, may have been overlooked at their initial release, or may just be your favorite. The Springfield Library Foundation and Willamalane Park & Recreation District are also partners in this free monthly community event. Please join us at the Wildish Theater on Thursday, June 2 at 6:30pm for a screening of *The Big Lebowski*.

Jeff Lebowski insists on being called "the Dude" and is a laid-back, easygoing burnout who happens to have the same name as a millionaire whose wife owes a lot of dangerous people a whole bunch of money. In the mix-up, the Dude's rug is ruined. When the Dude seeks restitution and enlists his bowling buddies, he is sent spiraling into the Los Angeles underworld. Come see this comedy inspired by Raymond Chandler's hard-boiled detective novel *The Big Sleep*, and perhaps you'll see why it's charmed so many audiences and made it into the Library of Congress's National Film Registry to be preserved as one of only 650 American films considered to be "culturally, historically, or aesthetically significant." Staring Jeff Bridges, John Goodman, Julianne Moore and Steve Buscemi; directed by Joel Coen and Ethan Coen; 117 minutes; 1998.

The movie and discussion are free to attend. The ongoing film series is presented by Plank Town Restaurant and Brewery and coordinated by a partnership with the Springfield Library and Willamalane Park & Recreation District.

The *Cult Cinema* series continues: Thursday, July 7, 2016 at 6:30pm with *Bottle Rocket*.

**What:** Plank Town presents: Springfilm, "Cult Cinema", screening *The Big Lebowski*

**When:** Thursday, June 2, 2016 at 6:30pm

**Where:** Wildish Theater, 630 Main Street, Springfield OR

**Additional Information:** Contact Kristen Curé at (541) 726-2232