

COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) INFORMATION

Information pertaining to the Coronavirus can change on a daily basis. For accurate information we recommend the following websites:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

Iowa Public Health Department (IPDH)
<https://idph.iowa.gov/>

World Health Organization (WHO) Q&A page
<https://www.who.int/news-room/q-a-detail/q-a-coronaviruses>

Official COVID-19 website:
<http://coronavirus.gov>

Official Iowa COVID-19 website:
<https://coronavirus.iowa.gov/>

SPRING HYDRANT FLUSHING SCHEDULE

The Water Department will be flushing hydrants this spring. This is done to maintain a high quality of water throughout our system. During these times, you may experience darker than normal water. This is a normal occurrence during the hydrant flushing process. The schedule is as follows:

April 13th -17th: Old Town & Rec Complex

April 20th-24th: Pioneer Park Addition, Golden Flats, Schools, Airview, Port Neal Road, Sgt Square Dr, Settlers Point

April 27th-May 1st: Prairie View I, II, III, and IV, Gaul Dr, Bluffs Blvd and Convergys N, Lloyd Housing

May 4th-8th: South Lewis Blvd., Fox Run, Estates West, Woodford's and Bridge mobile home, Serenity Point

May 11th-15th: Camelot, Oak Hills, Meadowbrook I, II and III, Water Plant, Baker Drive

May 18th-22nd: Kingston, 8th St, Pioneer Rehab, Dogwood, W Ridge Rd, Warrior Rd, Baker Prairie Bluff, 1st St

If excessively rusty water is experienced, or if it persists, please contact the Water Department at 943-9602 or City Hall at 943-4244 and someone will check into it as soon as possible.

WHEN IT RAINS IT DRAINS

Storm Water will transport pollutants carelessly left or intentionally placed in or near a storm drain into water bodies used for drinking water, swimming, or fishing.

- * Never dump anything down storm drains.
- * Use fertilizers sparingly and sweep up driveways, sidewalks and roads.
- * Never mow or sweep grass clippings onto the street.
- * Don't hose down driveways (either sweep up or blowback into the yard).
- * Direct downspouts away from paved surfaces.
- * Take your vehicle to the car wash or wash it on the grass.
- * Check car for leaks and recycle motor oil.
- * Pick up after your pet.
- * Seed bare spots in your lawn.
- * Use a compost pile or yard waste collection bin.

For more information about storm water, visit: www.iowastormwater.org

Or contact Dan Hospers, Stormwater Coordinator: 712-203-0208

COMPOST SITE CLOSURE

As a result of COVID-19, composite site operations will be closed until further notice. The City-wide cleanup week has been cancelled. Details of a new opening date and the cleanup week will be provided in an upcoming newsletter.

E-RECYCLE CANCELLATION

The electronics recycling day has been cancelled. This will be scheduled for a later date which will be provided in an upcoming newsletter.



CALENDAR

Apr 14 – Council Meeting
@ 5:30 PM

Apr 20 – Utility Bill Due Date

Apr 28 – Council Meeting
@ 5:30 PM

Apr 2, 16, 30 – Recycle Days