





THE SERGEANT BLUFF

HORIZON

JUST A SMALL LEAK?

A small leak can result in a big bill. If you discover a leak in your home it is in your best interest to have it repaired. A continuous leak at 60 pounds per square inch (psi) from a hole the size illustrated below over a three month period would result in water being wasted in the amounts shown below:

Diameter of Stream:		Waste per Quarter at 60 psi Water Pressure in:			
	Inches	Gallons	Thousand Gallons	Cubic Feet	Hundred Cubic Feet (CCF)
	1/4	1,181,500	1,182	158,000	1,580
	1/8	296,000	296	39,600	396
	1/16	74,000	74	9,850	99
	1/32	18,500	19	2,465	25

HOT DAYS GIVE HIGHER BILLS

If you haven't adjusted your thermostat recently, your air conditioner has been working harder to keep up with the higher temperatures outside. If the outside temperature is 80° F and you have your thermostat set to 72° F, your A/C will need to cool your home just 8° F. However, when it's 90° F outside, your A/C will need to cool your home 18° F. Therefore, your A/C will work harder and your energy bill is going to be higher due to increased usage.

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/>



PIONEER VALLEY DAYS

Pioneer Valley Days will be August 21st through August 23rd. The Bags Tournament will occur August 14th. Many of the events will be located at the Parks & Recreation Complex at 903 Topaz Drive in Sergeant Bluff. Bring your beer coolers and Chairs. No hard alcohol or glass containers are allowed. Events will encourage social distancing and other safety precautions to reduce the spread of COVID-19

A schedule of events has been published in the Sergeant Bluff Advocate and may be viewed on our website:
www.cityofsergeantbluff.com under the "Residents" tab.

CALENDAR

- Aug 4 – Planning & Zoning Commission @ 6:00 pm
- Aug 11 – Council Meeting @ 5:30 PM
- Aug 19 – Parks Board @ 5:30 pm
- Aug 19 – Library Board @ 5:30 pm
- Aug 20 – Utility Bill Due Date
- Aug 25 – Council Meeting @ 5:30 PM
- Aug 6, 20 – Recycle Days