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928-2240

24 Hour Utility Emergency # 928-2345

## **REMEMBER TO CHECK YOUR SUMP**

**PUMP CONNECTIONS:** Sump pumps shall not be connected to the City's sanitary sewer system. City code prohibits connection of "a roof downspout, sump pump, exterior foundation drain, areaway drain, or other source of surface run-off or groundwater to a building sewer or building drain which in turn is connected directly or indirectly to a public sanitary sewer".

**Spring Cleanup Days** were held in late April. City crews collected 38 tons of material from your curbside. Also collected were 64 appliances, 43 TVs, 17 computer items, 21 tires, along with branches, leaves and brush.

## **Residential Paint Program**

The purpose of this program is to help qualifying homeowners upkeep the external appearance of their homes, garages, sheds, and buildings by providing financial assistance for up to 10 gallons of paint. The grants are on a first-come basis until funds are exhausted for the year. For all rules and terms of the program or to apply contact City Hall at 928-2240 or Email [hartley@tcaexpress.net](mailto:hartley@tcaexpress.net).

## **Residential Sidewalk Replacement Program**

The purpose of this program is to help qualifying homeowners repair defective sidewalks on their property by providing financial assistance with the cost of replacement. The grants are on a first-come basis until funds are exhausted for the year. For all rules and terms of the program or to apply contact City Hall at 928-2240 or Email [hartley@tcaexpress.net](mailto:hartley@tcaexpress.net).

Property owners are required to keep trees trimmed so that all branches are **at least 15 feet above the street and at least 8 feet above sidewalks**. This ordinance is in place for everyone's safety. Property owners may receive a notice if they are not in compliance with the ordinance. The notice will advise the property owner to take action to correct the situation. If the required action is not performed within the stated time, the City may trim the trees violating the ordinance and assess the costs against the property owner.

**Please note: Only leaves, grass clippings, and branches can be taken to the City tree dump located east of town.** Abuse of the tree dump may result in reduced open hours.

**Call Before You Dig:** To minimize the risk of damaging any underground utilities, a call must be placed to Iowa One Call by the property owner or contractor before any digging can proceed.

There is a required 48-hour advance notice which does not include Saturdays, Sundays, or holidays. The Iowa One Call Center will notify any utility companies that may have facilities on the property that locates are needed. Non-utility owned, or private, underground utilities are the responsibility of the property owner.

If you plan any project that requires digging, place the free phone call to Iowa One Call by dialing **811**.

**Residential Recycle Schedule:** June 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>, July 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>, August 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>