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POSITIVE PROGRESS IN CLINTON

Hope this fall issue of the Lighthouse finds you all enjoying the summer. We continue to be impressed by the employees of the City with their hard work ethic and willingness to meet the issues that face the great Citizens of Clinton. Speaking of Citizens, it is amazing the Citizens positive attitude and willingness to get out to volunteer. These Citizens can be seen from renovating numerous parks, to include the newly renovated waterfall at Eagle Point Park, the flowers on riverfront, and the awesome events to include the July 4th parade and all the activities that day. The volunteers for Music on the Avenue, Rock'n the River, Finally Friday's and Music in the Park all the while having outstanding baseball games, Showboat shows and go to Candlelight and Marina on the riverfront.

The Mayor, City Council and City administrator are ensuring the City's financial position continues to be monitored and stable. It is critical to the Citizens and how we can continue to make strides to do more with less but still make the Clinton great. Like we say at times, make all aspects of the City "Clinton Ready" which means is it the best we can do, how we can improve and what is the best for the City and its great citizens starts and ends in due diligence with the City's funds.

The same focus is on conducting better business practices for our City departments and improving services. One of those areas is switching from the City Recycling "curb side" program to "single stream recycling." Which allows you, the Citizen, to place all recyclables in one 95 gallon CART and roll it to the curb. This will mean no more 5 gallon buckets and also mean that with the new 95 gallon CART we can increase the amount of recycling. In addition, we are updating routes to provide for more households to have single stream recycling and streamline the pickup which will continue to occur every other week. The City will be providing numerous updates via media, social media, forums, etc. to ensure all the Citizens are

aware of the changes. To include this edition of the "Lighthouse" will have a full two pages dedicated to Single Stream Recycling, Totes, Route updates and frequency of pick up, and some questions/answers.

On the healthy physical and economic environment and quality of life the Parks and Recreation Department now has a new director Mr. Josh Eggers. He is no stranger to the Department having served the last twelve years as the Recreation Supervisor. As this edition is being released, GreenPlay LLC will be releasing the Master Parks Plan to the City Council and Mayor. The intent is to plan into the FY19 budget and beyond the recommendations that came from the Citizens and working groups. Furthermore, some of the articles will focus on activities available this coming fall, the updated bike lanes and trails along and a new section called "Live Healthy" which is a group that has been working hard to provide the citizens with "move more", "eat well" and feel well."

Finally, remember it is all about thinking positive and getting involved. It is truly amazing the number of organizations that consist of volunteers within the City of Clinton. Day in and day out the countless hours put in by these volunteers makes us extremely proud. Helping your neighbor out, assisting at a fund raiser or just being there for someone. Life is too short, take time to not only stop and smell the flowers (especially by the River) but say hello to others, pick up the trash on the side walk, work each day to make Clinton an awesome place to live, play and enjoy life.

Mark Vulich
Mayor Mark Vulich

Matt Brooke
Matt Brooke, City Administrator

GRASS & WEEDS

Be a courteous neighbor and keep your grass and weeds cut, this also helps to keep bugs, rodents and snakes down in your neighborhood.

Remember grass and weeds need to be kept below 8 inches, and to cut all the way to the curb our front of your property as well as to the alley out back of your property. Grass and weeds growing over 8 inches anywhere on the property is against city ordinance.

When mowing your grass if any blows into the street you are required to remove it from the street / curb area. City ordinance 97.003 makes it unlawful for any person to throw or deposit on any street or alley any glass bottle, nails, tacks, wire, cans, trash, garbage, rubbish, litter, offal, leaves, grass or any other debris likely to be washed into the storm sewer and clog the storm sewer, or any substance likely to insure a person, animal or vehicle.

TREES & BUSHES

Remember to trim your trees up off the sidewalk and streets; city ordinance states all branches overhanging the sidewalk need to be cut 9 feet up off of the sidewalk and 11 feet up off of the street. This also includes alley ways for low hanging branches; this ensures that all vehicles can drive by without being hit by low hanging branches as well as people using the sidewalks. Also trim bushes back away from the sidewalk and alley

areas as well. If you live on a corner and have bushes out front keep them cut low enough to ensure there is no visual obstruction of oncoming traffic.

PARKING

Reminder residential off street parking within a front yard is prohibited unless located on an approved hard-surfaced driveway that leads to a garage, car port or approved parking space.

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FROM THE FINANCE DEPT...

Did you know that there are multiple ways to pay your sewer bill? Not only can you come into the finance office and pay in person, but there are a couple of ways to pay your bill without ever leaving your home:

#1 – Set your account up on a monthly automatic withdrawal from your checking or savings account (forms are available from the finance department or online)

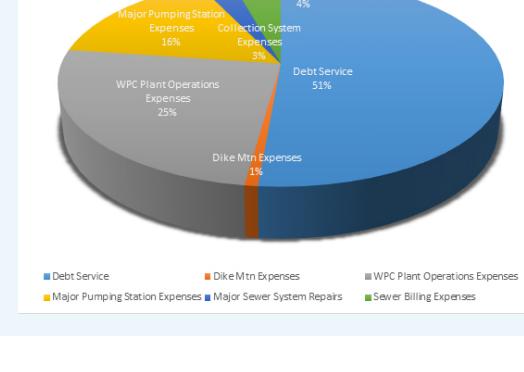
#2 – Pay online with a debit or credit card; or an e-check from a bank account. Go to www.cityofclintoniowa.us and choose Online Payments

Please note: there is a 2.5% processing fee that will be added to your transaction, or a \$2.00 minimum charge

If either of these choices are not for you, and you cannot make it into the finance office during normal business hours, there is a drop-box located across the street from City Hall that gets emptied every weekday morning by 8:15am. Just place your payment in an envelope, along with your account number, and leave it in the outside box.

The city would also like to thank you for your understanding as we worked through aligning our monthly billing with Iowa American's **monthly** water meter readings. We will no longer be sending out monthly bills based on 'estimated' readings. This should make the information easier for you to understand and will provide you with more real-time readings and usage.

The current, per unit rate for residential sewer customers is \$8.96 (in effect since May 2013). One unit = 748 gallons. To the right is a graphical representation of how this charge is distributed in the sewer fund.



HAVE YOU EVER FELT LIKE YOU WERE DRIVING THROUGH SOMEONE'S FRESHLY MOWED OR RAKED YARD... IN THE STREET?



The City of Clinton has a Chapter 53 Sewer Use Ordinance which prohibits the discharge of grass or leaves into Streets. What this means to you is this:

You can be fined for doing this.

Catch basin grates in the streets get plugged and/or the catch basin itself gets plugged and can cause street flooding and even backups into citizens yards.

WHICH MEANS – more man hours and resources to clean catch basins, areas, and property damage occurring from this.

WHICH MEANS – affects everyone's sewer rates.

The same holds true for leaves in the fall. Leaf blowers for blowing leaves are no different than lawn mowers as far as blowing leaves and grass clippings into the street.

Leaf blowers have become everyone's easy way out to sweep up their own mess whether it be grass clippings or leaves. This blower has been adopted by those wishing to blow their "trash" into the street or neighboring property. "Let Somebody Else Deal with It"

Ultimately, let's show a little pride in our city and our neighborhoods. After all, grass clippings and leaves can be disposed of properly and your lawn can benefit greatly by both. Grass clippings alone can reduce your lawn's annual fertilizer needs, reduce your fertilizer costs, and reduce water pollution as clippings are 90% water and decompose quickly.



There are several kinds of small hairy or metallic bees that dig into the soil to nest, hence one common name, digger bees. This is a diverse group that comes from different families and the term digger bee can include the andrenid bees, halictid bees, and colletid bees such as the plasterer and yellow-faced bees. These are solitary bees and native pollinators that are active early in the season. Each female digs a cylindrical underground tunnel as a nest where she reproduces (as opposed to social bees such as honey bees where only the queen reproduces and maintains a colony with the help of sterile workers). The subterranean nest is provisioned with a mixture of nectar and pollen collected from nearby flowering plants. This "bee-bread" is food for the bee's offspring (larvae) that develop in the underground chamber and emerge as adults the following year.

Digger bees are 1/4 to 1/2 inch long and variable in color (mostly shiny metallic or dark, but some with markings of white, yellow or reddish brown). There is one generation of digger bees per summer and once the adults finish perpetuating the species by laying eggs of the next generation there will be no activity till the following spring.

Digger bee nests are commonly located in areas of the landscape where the grass is sparse, either from too much shade, previous drought conditions or other stress. It is tempting to blame the bees for causing the turf grass to be thin but it is the opposite; the bees are in the yard because the grass was already thin. The entrances to the tunnels (mounds of soil) are disruptive and annoying to the home-

CITY OF CLINTON ORDINANCE #2429 BURNING REGULATIONS - CONDENSED VERSION

- NO OPEN BURNING ALLOWED ON LOTS LESS THAN 1 ACRE
- NO BURNING OF GARBAGE, AND NO BURNING IN BARRELS
- NO BURNING ALLOWED WHEN WIND SPEED IS MORE THAN 15 MPH
- NO FIRE SHALL BE ALLOWED THAT IS A NUISANCE OR A HAZARD TO SURROUNDING PROPERTY
- ALL ALLOWED FIRES SHALL BE CONSTANTLY ATTENDED BY AN ADULT UNTIL SUCH FIRE IS EXTINGUISHED, WITH APPROVED ON SITE EXTINGUISHING EQUIPMENT READILY AVAILABLE

OPEN BURNING ALLOWED **ONLY** ON LOTS 1 ACRE OR LARGER, WITH 4 OR LESS DWELLING UNITS. FOR ALL OTHERS, THE ONLY ALLOWED BURNING IS RECREATIONAL FIRES.

For lots 1 acre or larger, with 4 or less dwelling units, open burning is allowed as follows:

WHEN: April 1 through May 15, and October 1 through November 15
Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday
10 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

WHERE: Fires must be no closer than 25 feet to a structure or combustible material. It is unlawful to burn in city streets, alleys, or right of ways.

WHAT: Open Burning is limited to: Clean dry untreated wood and lumber, and landscape waste.

SIZE: All burn piles are limited in size to no more than 3 feet in diameter and 2 feet in height.

RECREATIONAL FIRES

WHEN: 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m.; Monday - Sunday

WHERE: No closer than 25 feet to a structure or combustible material, except that fires in a commercial outdoor fire unit, such as a Chiminea, can be within 15 feet to structures and combustible material.

WHAT: Fuel shall be limited to: untreated lumber; dry seasoned wood; propane; natural gas; or charcoal

SIZE: Recreational fires shall be limited to no more than 3 feet in diameter and 2 feet in height.

OPEN BURNING AND RECREATIONAL FIRE FACT SHEET

Any of the following marked "no", are a violation of city ordinance #2429:

Correct Time?

Proper location and distance?

Approved material?

Proper Size?

Safety Precautions in place?

Any of the following marked "yes", are a violation of city ordinance #2429:

Fire is a nuisance or a hazard?

Winds exceed 15 mph?

If subject has a permit for an exemption to normal burning regulations, you must check to make sure they are following the exemption they have been given and not in violation of any of the other rules set. For example: If they have a permit to have a fire that goes past 5:00 pm and that is all the permit states, they would still be in violation if they were burning to close to a structure or combustible material.

YES, YOU MAY:

- Have a recreational fire that falls within the city ordinance guidelines.
- Conduct open burning on a lot 1 acre or larger with no more than 4 dwelling units, during the prescribed dates and times, which are:

Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
October 1 through November 15, and April 1 through May 15

NO, YOU MAY NOT:

- Burn in burn barrels - meaning any barrel, drum, trash container, whether designed for burning or not. (REF: .02-2)
- Burn garbage, tires, trade waste, or locally recyclable goods, or plastics. (REF: .03)
- BBQ grills or other open flame cooking devices shall be operated on combustible balconies or within 10 feet of combustible construction, unless the building, balconies and decks are protected by an automatic sprinkler system or the dwelling is a one or two family dwelling.
- Conduct open burning on any property less than 1 acre or with more than 4 dwelling units. (REF: .04-6)

owner but are not usually damaging to otherwise healthy turf.

The threat of being stung by digger bees is highly overrated. The bees are docile and not likely to sting unless handled or threatened. There is no nest guarding behavior or attack behavior like there is with social insects such as honey bees and yellow jacket wasps. Control is usually not necessary unless the bees are nesting close to human activity.

Digger bees are important pollinators of several native plants and spring crops. Coexistence rather than eradication is encouraged where possible. If that's not going to happen then rejuvenate the turf grass by leveling the area and re-establishing a thick turf or ground cover tolerant to the site (shade-adapted, for example). Small numbers of burrow openings can be treated individually with insecticide dust (Sevin or permethrin). Larger infested areas can be sprayed or treated with insecticide granules to discourage the bees when the problem warrants a response.

News Article: <https://hortnews.extension.iastate.edu/2009/5-6/diggerbee.html>

ROAD USE: A TWO WAY STREET

Summer is here and it's the prime season to pull your bike out of the shed and get riding! Everybody can recall early memories of their childhood when they were being taught to ride a bike or when you taught your children to ride. Now more than ever, cycling is not just for kids. More and more adults are taking to the handlebars and riding their bikes around for pleasure and for transportation. Cycling as a whole is on the rise, and this means more cyclists are sharing the road with cars. Over the last few years you might have noticed some changes to our city roadways, namely the inclusion of new lanes just for bikes or bike symbols painted on the roadway. There are a number of things that can be done to build a safe environment for cyclists to ride in but the three major ones that will be focused on are education, visibility and consistency for both cyclists and operators of automobiles.

Just like any other skill in life, there are a variety of different types of cyclists each with a different level of comfort. The Iowa Department of Transportation separates cyclists into three different levels: Skilled, Basic and Child/Novice Cyclists. Skilled cyclists are those avid riders who ride regularly (perhaps year-round) and are comfortable riding amongst and around traffic. Basic Cyclists are those average cyclists that may or may not ride semi-regularly but are not entirely comfortable riding amongst traffic. Child (and Novice) cyclists are those riders with little experience and are confined to riding on bike paths far away from traffic.

When people conjure up thoughts of going for a ride it might be after work or on the weekend to get out for a little exercise or a leisurely ride. These are perfect examples of recreational biking, but it's important to remember that cycling isn't just a hobby to everybody. There are plenty of people who depend on their bike as their main form of transportation day in and day out. Whether that means they are heading down to the grocery store or to work, they hop on their bike and pedal away. For this reason it's necessary to connect important locations and major areas throughout town with a connected network of trails to accommodate all road users. Through a connected network of trails cyclists can safely move throughout town. These connections are made through a variety of different types of bicycle facilities which you have undoubtedly seen through your travels around town:



MULTI-USE TRAIL/ OFF-ROAD PATH

This is what many call the 'Dike', and it stretches from Lyons to Riverfront and beyond. This type of trail is always separated from the roadway.



PROTECTED BIKE LANE

A protected bike lane is space within the roadway set aside specifically for use by cyclists. There is space between the bike lane and the lane for cars, and it is often called 'buffer space'. An example of this can be found on 5th Avenue South Downtown.



BIKE LANE

A normal bike lane is space within the roadway set aside for use by cyclists, often separated from the traveled lane by a painted line. This can be found along Springdale Drive.



SHARED USE LANE

This is often referred to as a "Sharrow", and this is a normal driving lane with a painted bike symbol on the road. This type of facility indicates that this area accommodates both cyclists and automobiles. You might notice this configuration along 5th Ave S. in the 800 Block.

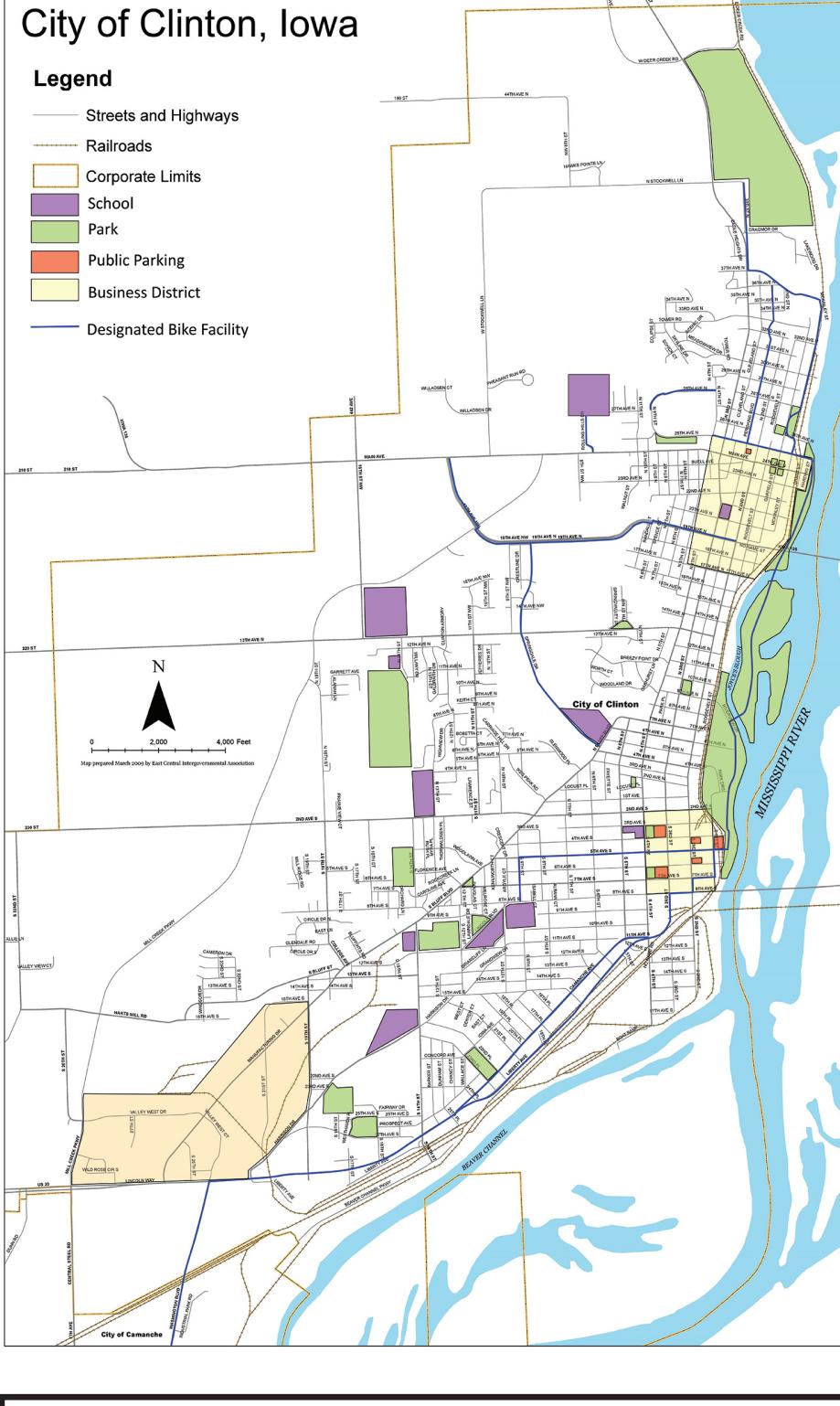
Visually these roads should appear different, there are more pavement markings and signage calling attention to its designated status as a bike route. Through visual cues like the painted pavement markings and posted signs, drivers are alerted to the possibility of bikes being present. Cyclists are safest when their presence is known and they are highly visible. Being startled, either on a bike or while driving a car is not desirable. By making bike lanes stand out we can increase safety for all road users. Further steps that cyclists should take is fitting their bikes with lights and encouraging the wearing of reflective attire when riding at night.

In addition to providing visibility, these bike facilities provide consistency. Bike lanes provide space that you know is just for you and other cyclists to use and you know that cars can and will expect you to be using it. You can be sure this area will be clear of obstructions like parked cars and tree branches. Bike lanes will provide a consistent area for auto drivers to expect to see or look for bikes within the road. Drivers will not have to worry about cyclists swerving out around parked cars or entering traffic from unusual areas. Consistency in the roadway will make all users more comfortable.

While these four types of bike facilities are developed for use by cyclists this does not mean that cyclists are confined to ride only where these trails or lanes exist. They can and should ride their bike wherever they feel comfortable. However, all cyclists should remember to obey the rules of the road both when riding on designated trails or lanes and when riding on non-designated city roads. Following all rules of the roads means stopping at stop signs, traffic lights, riding with traffic and signaling turns. As for automobiles its essential to remember to treat cyclists just like any other user of the road, leaving adequate space when following behind them and when passing them maintain a safe and reasonable distance.

Road design, construction and planning must account for all road users and by doing so, it is possible to promote safety across all modes of transportation. By accommodating both cars and cyclists into our plans means creating a safer, more user friendly environment for all. But safety cannot simply be reached through designs and planning. It is imperative that both cyclists and automobiles take into consideration what they can and should do to promote safety. Cyclists should make themselves as visible as possible and ensure that their ride is consistent, follow all laws of the road and always be aware of what is around you. When driving a car users should continue to be aware signs and pavement markings indicating bike users are around and always be on the lookout for cyclists on unsigned roadways. Roads are used to convey individuals and goods which pertains equally to both cars and bikes. While plans and designs always take into account the safety of its users, ultimately it is the users whose use of the road defines how safe it is.

Below is a map of town and all the bike facilities. You will notice that some locations on this map are not currently signed or painted as bicycle facilities. This map shows what the proposed bike facilities will look like by the end of this summer. If you are interested in learning more about the bike facilities in town please direct your attention to the Engineering Departments portion of the City of Clinton Webpage (www.cityofclintoniowa.us), here you will find a detailed list of all bike facilities in town, pictures, and what specific type of facility they are.



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ROUNABOUTS!

Roundabouts! Just saying that word in public is a surefire way to illicit a negative response from someone. Its human nature to fear the unknown, and in this case even the known entity will frighten some away.

The facts is, Roundabouts are among the safest options available for accident prone intersections. They are an intersection design used to reduce congestion, repair poor geometrics, and ultimately to improve intersection safety. It is an unquestioned fact that

roundabouts WILL reduce accident rates as well as the injuries caused by these accidents. Modern Roundabouts are safer, more efficient, and less costly than any other intersection design. These are proven facts, not just rhetoric used by roundabout peddlers eager to construct the next one.

The FHWA Office of Safety has identified roundabouts as a Proven Safety Countermeasure because of their unique ability to reduce the types of crashes

where people are seriously hurt or killed by 78-82%, when compared to stop controlled or signalized intersections, based on data available from the Federal Highway Administration. That's right, an average of 80% serious crash reduction!

"Why the reduction?" some people may ask. The following chart represents the reduction in conflict points from 32 at a typical intersection to only 8 at a roundabout.

Vehicle Conflict Point Comparison

This combined with vehicle speed reduction from 50 mph to 15 mph through the intersection each contribute to the drastic reduction in accident and injuries.

There are certain intersections in Clinton that would benefit from a roundabout. The most glaring of these are several along Mill Creek Parkway, especially at intersections of 13th Avenue North and 16th Street Northwest. Roundabouts were discussed at these intersections in 2016 by the City Council, and a recent cluster of accidents at 16th Street Northwest have been a topic of conversation on social media, which have brought the issue to light again this year.

The City Engineering Department has recently analyzed traffic accident data throughout the Mill Creek Parkway corridor, and found these two intersections to far exceed the statewide average of 0.7 crashes per million vehicles entering the intersection.

COLLISION HISTORY AT 13TH AVENUE NORTH

From January 1, 2012, through June 30, 2017, the intersection of 13th Avenue North and Mill Creek Parkway had a total of 19 reported crashes. Of the 19 crashes, 13 crashes were caused by failure to yield right-of-way or ran STOP sign. The table below summarizes the reported crashes at the intersection by severity including injuries. The crash rate of the intersection is 1.03 crashes per million entering vehicles.

INJURY CRASHES	9
FATAL	0
MAJOR INJURY	0
MINOR INJURY	16
PROPERTY DAMAGE ONLY	10
TOTAL CRASHES	19
AMOUNT OF PROPERTY DAMAGE	\$100,000

COLLISION HISTORY AT 16TH STREET NORTHWEST

From January 1, 2012, through June 30, 2017, the intersection of 16th Street NW and Mill Creek Parkway had a total of 31 reported crashes. Of the 31 crashes, 22 crashes were caused by failure to yield right-of-way or ran STOP sign. The table below summarizes the reported crashes at the intersection by severity including injuries. The crash rate of the intersection is 2.19 crashes per million entering vehicles (MEV).

INJURY CRASHES	23
FATAL	0
MAJOR INJURY	5
MINOR INJURY	15
PROPERTY DAMAGE ONLY	8
TOTAL CRASHES	31
AMOUNT OF PROPERTY DAMAGE	\$193,700

CRASH CONCLUSIONS

Without improvements to these intersections, collisions are expected to continue on an increasing trend, due to the expected future development and increased traffic in the area. Roundabouts are the only proven method to improve the safety of these intersections. Construction of roundabouts would drastically reduce the amount of high speed collisions and corresponding injuries resulting from these crashes.

Through discussions with the Iowa DOT, it is our understanding that each would be a great candidate for full funding through the Iowa Traffic Safety Improvement Grant Program.

COMPELLING ROUNABOUT FACTS

1. Overall crash reduction of 72% (FHWA)
2. Overall injury reduction of 87% (FHWA)
3. Can be constructed to accommodate large truck traffic
4. Can be constructed to accommodate future growth to four lanes
5. Improves overall intersection delay by eliminating stop signs and red lights
6. Increases awareness and attentiveness of drivers when entering intersections

With roundabouts trending nationwide at a near 100% success rate, it may be time for Clinton to join in on the fun. While not always initially a crowd pleaser, roundabouts will grow on you over time as an experience you sometimes have to drive to believe. You don't have to go very far to find success. The nearby cities of Dubuque, Cedar Rapids, and Prairie Du Chien have recently constructed successful roundabouts.

The City Council will be discussing the possibility of applying for statewide safety funds this coming August. Please contact the Engineering Department, City Administration, or your City Council representative with any comments you may have.

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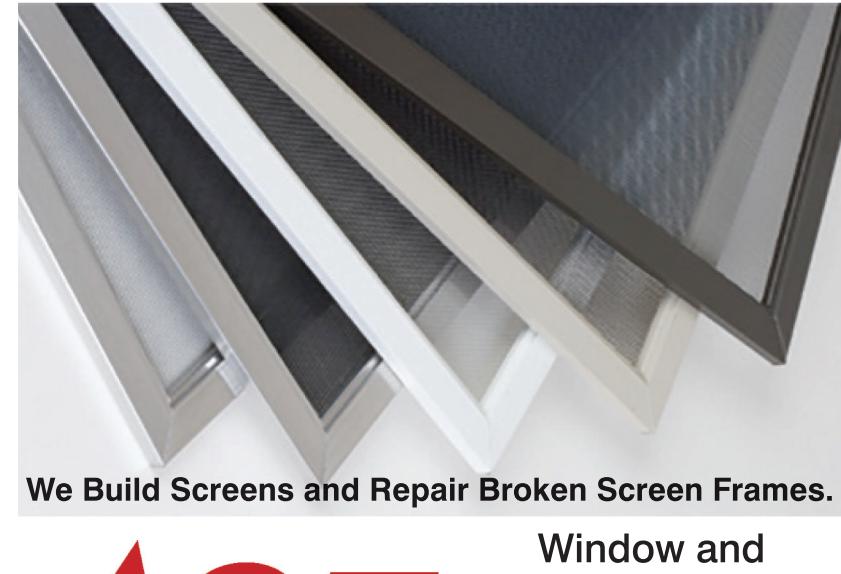
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BUILDING AND NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES

LONG NAME, BUT WHAT DO WE ACTUALLY DO?

ZONING

BNS is in charge of interpreting the city ordinances and building codes, to help people construct fences, pools, buildings, etc., that are approved for their neighborhood. You don't want a night club next to a school. You don't want a 6' privacy fence on a corner, so it's blocking traffic views. Zoning works to ensure correct size, use, and location of projects.

BUILDING PERMITS

BNS is in charge of interpreting the international building codes, along with zoning codes, to ensure any new construction or remodeling is up to current construction standards. Getting a permit typically

takes less than 10 minutes, and inspections are fast and easy.

RENTAL INSPECTION

BNS does rental inspections on all registered rental properties every two years, to ensure the properties meet minimum housing quality standards. All properties that are rentals are required to be registered and inspected.

NUISANCES

BNS responds to reports of nuisances around town. We are mostly complaint driven, but if we are out inspecting, and we see something that needs attention, we will inspect that also. Nuisances are tall grass/

weeds, overgrown trees/shrubs, debris in yards, non-working / unregistered vehicles parked in yards, dangerous buildings.

BNS does many things to help our city move forward and help the citizens be safe. We are now on Facebook, <https://www.facebook.com/ClintonBNS/>, and offer helpful tips on code requirements in our city. If you have a question or we can be of any assistance, give us a call at 244-3360, or stop by city hall any time between 8:00-4:30.



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CAN MY LANDLORD ENTER MY HOUSE OR APARTMENT WHENEVER THEY WANT?

(SECTION 562A.19, 29, AND 35, CODE OF IOWA)

This is a question my office received several times a month. The answer is **no**. As a rule a landlord cannot enter the tenant's home without first giving the tenant(s) at least a 24 hours' notice in advance of the landlord's intention to enter. The landlord cannot abuse his or her right of access, or use it to harass the tenant. Generally, the landlord can enter only at reasonable hours, after giving at least a 24 hours' notice. The only exceptions to this "24 hour advance notice" are emergencies repairs, (broken water pipe, failed furnace, etc) and other situations where it is not really possible to give the notice.

The tenant cannot unreasonably refuse to allow the landlord to enter the apartment or house to make

necessary repairs or inspections. This also applies to repairmen sent by the landlord. However, a tenant does have the right to ask for the entry date and time to be moved due to a conflict. Unless it created an unsafe situation the landlord should try to honor that request.

In the case of an **EMERGENCY**, the landlord may enter the tenant's home at any time, even without the tenant's consent. If a tenant is away from the rental property for more than 14 days, the landlord may enter whenever reasonably necessary.

Unless the tenant has abandoned the rental property, the only way for a landlord to enter, other

than those listed above, is by a Court Order.

If a landlord unreasonable enters or unreasonably demands entry to harass the tenant, may be ordered by a court to pay the tenant damages equaling at least a month's rent, or more.

If your landlord/ property manager is giving you proper notice the first step you should take is sent them a letter detailing your concerns. If they continue to entry without notice your next step should be to reach out to legal counsel. Building & Neighborhood Services cannot take action against a landlord in violation of this section.

PLACARDED PROPERTIES IN THE CITY OF CLINTON

WHAT DO THE RED SIGNS MEAN THAT ARE ATTACHED TO HOMES OR BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF CLINTON?

There are several reasons that a building may be placarded in the City of Clinton. Typically the majority of the placards fall into the rental side or the house and state that the structure, or unit is uninhabitable. This means that occupancy is no longer safe and no residency can be maintained until the issues are resolved.

Common Reasons:

- Lack of utilities (Running water, electricity, garbage service).
- Unable to inspect the property as required by the City of Clinton Rental Code.

- Dangerous structure as deemed by the Fire Marshal (Fire code violations, electrical issues, structural damage).

A red placard doesn't mean that the building is going to be demolished, or is on the demolition list, however it does mean that nobody should be occupying the building beyond the date listed on the placard.

If you see a placarded building that has activity that is prohibited, please contact Building and Neighborhood Services at 563-244-3360 to report.

VACANT AND ABANDONED BUILDINGS

The City of Clinton does have an ordinance that pertains to vacant and abandoned buildings, however, there are still certain guidelines that the City must follow pertaining to these buildings.

Here are a few facts about vacant and abandoned buildings:

- A vacant building is not necessarily an abandoned building.
- An abandoned building, if brought into compliance, may be taken off the abandoned building list.
- Just because a building is vacant and/or abandoned, does not mean that the City will demolish it.

- Any building that needs to be demolished must go through a lengthy process of due process before demolition may occur.

- The vacant and abandoned building, and property, is still the responsibility of the owner to maintain, and the City still must follow the guidelines of the codes to cut grass or remove a nuisance.

While the City does have rules and procedures to follow, we must also follow certain procedures to give property owners the chance to perform the necessary work to bring a property or building into compliance.

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INTRODUCING SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING! RECYCLING ALL IN ONE CART!

City of Clinton residents, the 1990's have called and they want their recycling bucket back! That's right, no more black buckets for recycling! The City of Clinton, Iowa is moving your recycling to single-stream recycling! This means all your recycling into one cart! Starting in September, a 95-gallon blue recycling cart is coming to your house. The new recycling program will start on October 2! Be sure to attend one of the public meetings on August 5, 7, or 17. For more information visit www.cityofclintoniowa.us.

HOW TO RECYCLE:

1. Is the item recyclable on the cart/list?
2. Is the item clean? (Rinse food containers)
3. Place it in the recycling cart!

- Lids can be recycled too, just place them in the cart, not on the containers!
- No plastic bags, please!
- Please allow 3 ft. space between all carts collected by the City of Clinton.

The list on this page has what can be recycled and a few items that are not allowed in the program. Recycling is made as convenient as possible for your family to recycle in Clinton, Iowa.

You can always check the top of your recycling cart to make sure that your item is recyclable, look at the charts below, or check out the City of Clinton's website at cityofclintoniowa.us.



WANT TO KNOW MORE
ABOUT THE NEW
RECYCLING PROGRAM?

ATTEND THE FOLLOWING
PUBLIC MEETINGS:

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2017
9:30AM | ERICKSEN CENTER

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 2017
7:00PM | BLUFF ELEMENTARY

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 2017
7:00PM | EAGLE POINT LODGE

Please DO NOT recycle the following items in your cart:

• Styrofoam, Plastic Bags (take back to grocery stores that accept them)	• Window Glass, Glass Dishes, or Ceramics
• No Food Residue or Grease Stains,	• Aerosol Cans
• Gift Wrap or Greeting Cards with Metallic Designs	• Metal Building Materials or Scraps

Acceptable Paper Items:

Newspaper	Office Paper	Catalogs
Magazines	Phonebooks	Cereal Boxes
Shoe Boxes	Corrugated Cardboard	Shredded Paper
Paper Egg Cartons	Tissue Boxes	Mail
Snack Boxes	Pop Cartons	Paperback Books
Greeting Cards (No Metallic)	Hardback Books (Covers Removed)	Toilet/Paper Towel Rolls
Gable Top Container (Orange Juice or Milk Carton)	Cans for Chips and Nuts (Ex: Pringles)	

Acceptable Containers :

Plastic #1- 7, which include:

Cleaners	Food Containers	Detergent/ Bleach
Milk	Shampoo & Conditioner	Cosmetics & Lotions
Soft Drinks	Water & Juice	Cooking Oils
Flower Pots		
Metal		
Aluminum Cans , foil, and Pans	Coffee Cans	Tin and Metal Food Cans
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Beer Bottles	Juice Containers	Food Containers
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Sunday General Dining: 11:00am to 9:00pm

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- ◆ Lunch Half Sandwich and Soup for \$6.95
- ◆ Pete's Cheeseburger, served with side for \$8.49
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- ◆ All You Can Eat Spaghetti every Sat./Sun. for \$13.99
- ◆ Check online for all of our daily dine-in and carry-out specials

Pasta Bucket
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Bucket includes noodles, sauce,
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Good through September 15th, 2017

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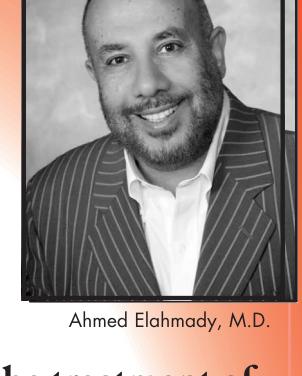
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CLINTON, IOWA SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING MAP

City of Clinton, Iowa

Legend

Monday

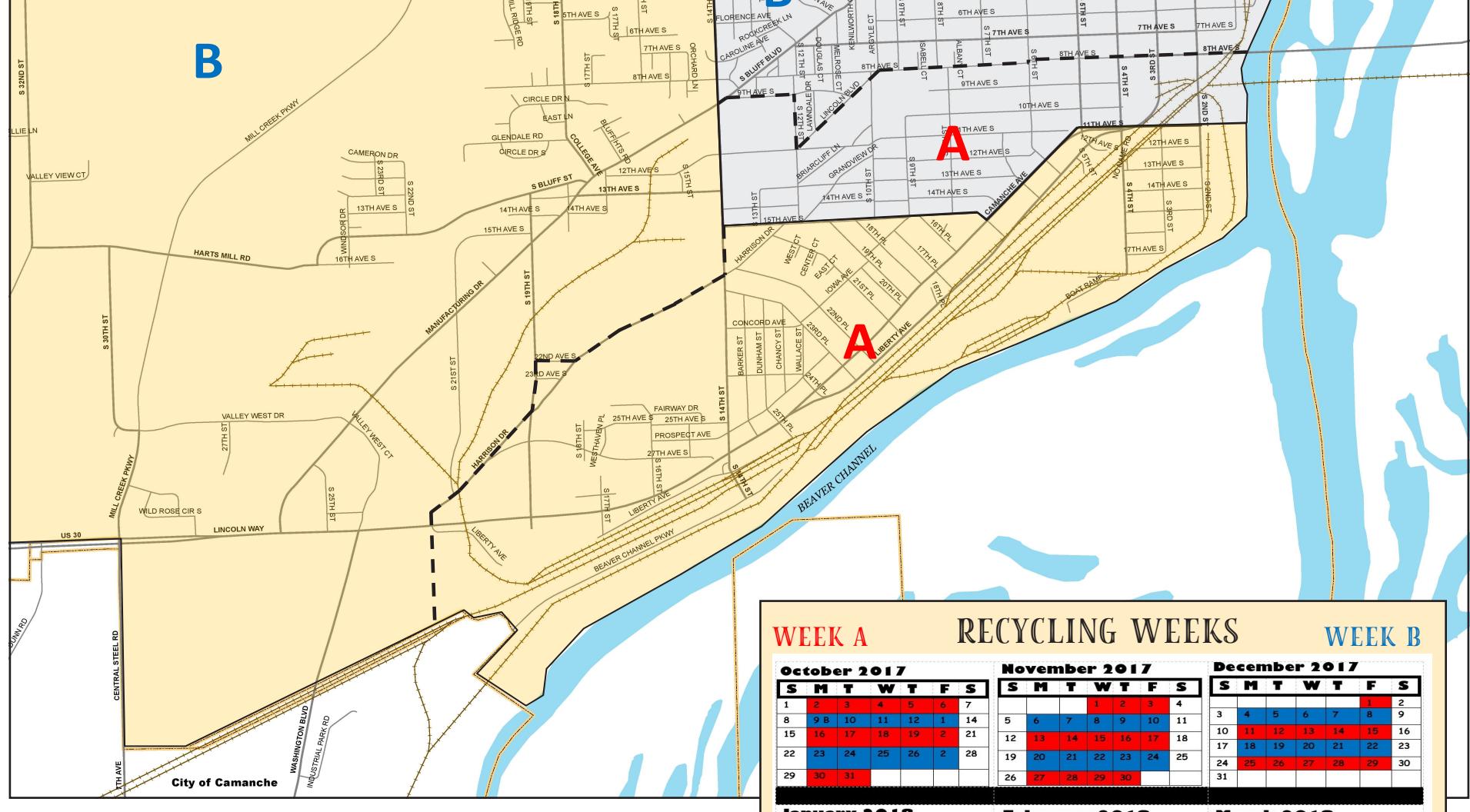
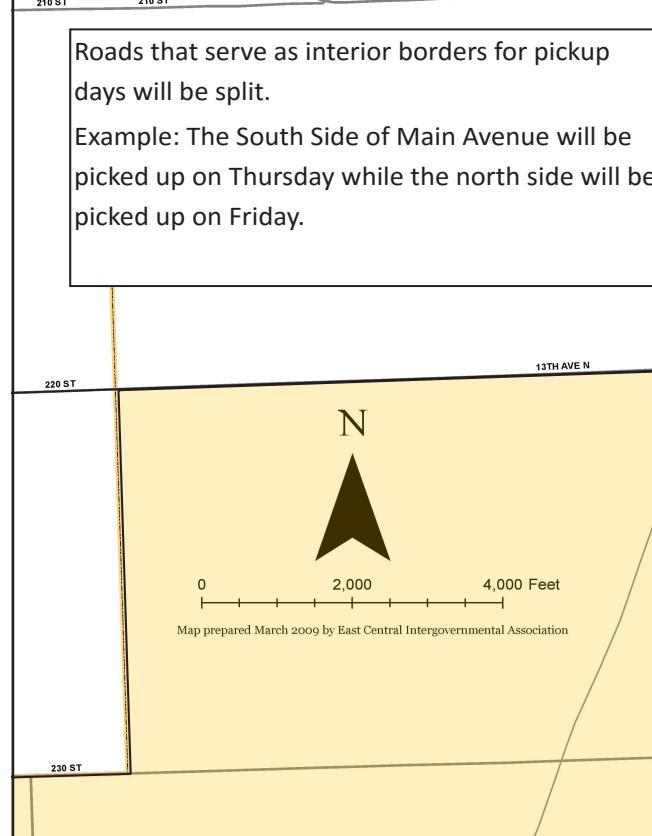
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Red—Week A Recycling
Blue—Week B Recycling



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For more information on recycling in the City of Clinton, please visit our website:

CITYOFCLINTONIOWA.US



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- Work Related Pain
- Chronic Pain

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STREET DEPARTMENT UPCOMING SOLID WASTE/ RECYCLING DELAYS:

LABOR DAY – MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH

There will be no Solid Waste/Recycling collection. Monday and Tuesday routes will be collected on Tuesday, Sept. 5th - with the rest of the week being regular collection. There is no more Saturday collection.

Street Sweeping and Pothole repair are currently on-going. We will be starting work in the Right-of-Way's, which include: spraying, ditch mowing and maintenance.

Please use caution and slow down when approaching street crews in the roadway!

The Street Department has been very busy filling potholes, grading and adding gravel to alleys, street sweeping, in addition to a multitude of other duties. Every request received is documented and employees are working hard to address all issues that occur around the City.

To assist the public, a work order may be created and assigned to ANY department through the City of Clinton's website- go to: www.cityofclintoniowa.us and click on CONTACT US and choose OPEN A NEW TICKET - then just follow the prompts. A work order may be created at any time, 24 hours a day, 7 days per week. All work orders are addressed according to the order it was received and its public safety ranking.

CITY ORDINANCES

Please be aware – it is against City Ordinance to blow cut grass into the roadway and gutter. Yard debris clogs up storm drains and can contribute to sewer backups. Also – if you have a storm drain / catch basin in front of your house, please keep it clear, to ensure all runoff drains properly.

§ 97.003 PLACING DEBRIS ON.

It is unlawful for any person to throw or deposit on any street or alley any glass, glass bottle, nails, tacks, wire, cans, trash, garbage, rubbish, offal, leaves, grass or any other debris likely to be washed into the storm sewer and clog the storm sewer, or any substance likely to injure any person, animal or vehicle.

(Iowa Code § 321.369) (1999 Code, § 135.03) Penalty, see § 10.99

Please be aware that tarps and/or covers are required by City Ordinance on any and all waste being transported to the Clinton County Solid Waste Agency (aka the Landfill).

§ 50.27 LOADING .

Vehicles or containers used for the collection and transportation of any solid waste shall be loaded and moved in a manner that the contents will not fall, leak or spill therefrom, and shall be covered to prevent blowing or loss of material. Where spillage does occur, the material shall be picked up immediately by the collector or transporter and returned to the vehicle or container and the area properly cleaned.

(1999 Code, § 106.03) (Iowa Code §§ 321.460 and 805.8A(13)(c))

CITY ORDINANCE REGARDING TREE RESPONSIBILITY

§ 98.06 DUTY TO TRIM TREES.

The owner or agent of the abutting property shall keep the trees in or overhanging the street trimmed so that all branches will be at least 13 feet above the surface of the street and nine feet above the sidewalks. If the abutting property owner fails to trim the trees, the city may serve notice on the abutting property owner requiring that such action be taken within five days. If such action is not taken within that time, the city may perform the required action and assess the costs against the abutting property for collection in the same manner as a property tax. Except as allowed in this section, it is unlawful for any person to trim or cut any tree in a street or public place without first obtaining authorization from the city. The Building and Neighborhood Services Official or his or her designee shall have the power to enforce this section.

(Iowa Code §§ 364.12(2)(c), 364.12(2)(d), 364.12(2)(e), 364.12(3)(b)) (Ord. 2437, passed 12-14-2010) Penalty, see § 98.99

CITY ORDINANCE REGARDING GRASS HEIGHT FOR PROPERTY OWNERS

**The purpose of this chapter is to require owners of residential property to cut their grass, weeds, vines and brush when it exceeds eight inches in height.

§ 94.05 NOTICE TO OWNERS; ONCE PER CALENDAR YEAR.

(A) For the first violation of this chapter in each calendar year on a parcel of property, the Inspector shall notify the property owner by certified U.S. mail, return receipt requested, that a condition that violates the terms of this chapter exists and shall notify the property owner of the actions that must be performed to correct the condition and the notice shall state that the condition shall be corrected within five days from the date that the notice is received or returned to the city unclaimed.

(B) For subsequent violations on the same parcel of property owned by the same person in the same calendar year a written notice will not be sent. For subsequent violations, the Inspector shall verify the violation exists and that the parcel of property is still owned by the same person to whom the first notice was sent. If a subsequent violation exists, the Inspector shall order the work done by city employees or by a contractor.

(C) The Public Works Director shall publish in the local newspaper prior to June 1 of each year a notice advising the public that city ordinance requires the cutting of grasses, weeds, vines and brush exceeding eight inches in height and notice of violation will be mailed only once a year for each property. Subsequent violations will not receive a written notice.

(1999 Code, § 54.05) (Ord. 2093, passed 5-11-1999) Penalty, see § 10.99

HANDICAP PARKING RENEWALS

Each Fall, annual renewal letters are sent to all permit holders. Enclosed with the renewal letter, is a renewal application. The renewal application has to be completed by the permit holder and returned to the City of Clinton along with the renewal fee of \$5.00 BEFORE October 15th. If the renewal fee has not been received before October 15th, the City will assume the space is no longer needed and the H/C sign will be removed.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT CITY HALL HOLIDAYS

City Hall will observe these holidays and be closed:

LABOR DAY – MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

City Hall will re-open at 8am on the following days.



AUTOMATED SOLID WASTE PROGRAM

GREY CART = SOLID WASTE

GREEN CART = YARD WASTE

DO:

- Place cart in the appropriate location on collection day with arrow pointing in the proper direction
- Carts need to be out by **7 AM** on collection day
- Place all trash bags in the proper grey cart
- Place all yard waste (grass, leaves) in the proper green cart
- Make sure the lid is closed properly at time of collection
- Place cart away from garages, homes, recycling buckets, parked cars, etc. on collection day
- Return the cart to your house/garage when empty

DO NOT:

- Put hazardous waste, paint cans, oil or electronic waste in the cart
- Put construction debris in the cart
- Put hot ashes in the cart
- Overfill the cart or Pack trash too tightly
- Do not park any vehicles near the carts on collection day
- Paint or write on the cart except in space provided on the cart lid or remove the cart from your residence

Do not put Solid Waste in green cart or yard waste in grey cart – the city will not collect the waste unless it is in the proper container.

If you have any questions regarding collection, please contact the City of Clinton Public Works Office at: 563-242-0261

CLINTON COUNTY AREA SOLID WASTE AGENCY & CITY OF CLINTON RECYCLING PROGRAM

Your recycling collection person offers this reminder to ensure that your materials are collected in the best shape possible for recycling. Your assistance with the following will insure a strong recycling program in the City of Clinton and in Clinton County:

- All recycling materials must be set out by **7 AM**
- **DO NOT** cover the recycle buckets with plastic
- Plastics #1 through #7 will be accepted (check in the triangle on the bottom of the container).
- Plastic bags are not accepted in the recycling program (They may be returned to stores or thrown away)
- Food and beverage glass only (clear, green & brown)
- Remove and throw away all lids, caps and pumps
- Food and beverage tin cans must have all labels and lids removed
- Cans, glass and plastic must be properly cleaned and separated - rinse all materials before placing them in the bucket
- **DO NOT** place buckets too close to the carts – the arm of the truck cannot maneuver in between and they may not be emptied
- Newspaper, magazines & corrugated cardboard **only** will be accepted – no other paper, junk mail or any hard-cover books
- Corrugated cardboard boxes must be flattened and less than 3 feet by 3 feet in size - **NO STYROFOAM**
- **DO NOT** bundle newspapers with twine, string, or tape – place loose in the bucket
- Bundle magazines with twine or string only
- **NO** garbage should be mixed with recyclables
- **NO** medical waste of any kind is acceptable
- **NO** oil containers

If you have any questions regarding collection, please contact the Clinton County Solid Waste Agency at: 563-242-5320

REMINDER: The City of Clinton no longer provides Large Item Collection – for persons needing to dispose of large items, they may be taken directly to the Clinton County Area Solid Waste Agency located at: 4292 220th St., Clinton, IA 52732. For questions about the landfill, please call (563) 243-4749 or visit the website at: www.ccaswa.com

REMINDER: The City of Clinton does not collect and/or dispose of used sharps, as they pose a potential threat to the Sanitation workers. However, residents may transport and dispose of sharps collected in an empty laundry soap container, labelled and dropped off free of charge at the Clinton County Area Solid Waste Agency located at: 4292 220th Street., Clinton, IA 52732. CCASWA may also be contacted as follows:

ccaswa@ccaswa.com or at: (563) 243-4749.





CLINTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

USING HAND-HELD ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS DEVICES WHILE DRIVING

Effective July 1, 2017, it is illegal for the driver of a motor vehicle in Iowa to use a hand-held electronic communication device, to write, send or view an electronic message while driving a motor vehicle, unless the motor vehicle is at a complete stop and off the traveled portion of the roadway. The Iowa Legislature made changes to Iowa Code 321.276, which now authorizes law enforcement to stop a driver who is suspected of violating this law. The scheduled fine for violation of this law is thirty dollars, plus a court costs and surcharge, for a total citation cost of \$100.50.

Iowa Code 321.276 defines "Hand-Held Electronic Communications Device" as a mobile telephone or other portable electronic communications device capable of being used to write, send or view an electronic message. "Electronic message" includes images visible on the screen of a hand-held electronic communication device including a text-based message, an instant message, a portion of electronic mail, an internet site, a social media application, or a game. "Hand-held electronic communication device" does not include a voice-operated or hands-free device which allows the user to write, send, or view an electronic message without the use of either hand except to activate or deactivate a feature or function. "Hand-held

electronic communication device" does not include a wireless communication device used to transmit or receive data as part of a digital dispatch system. The terms "write", "send", and "view", with respect to an electronic message, mean the manual entry, transmission, or retrieval of an electronic message, and include playing, browsing, or accessing an electronic message.

The changes to Iowa Code 321.276 do not make any changes to Iowa Code 321.180B, which states that a person issued an instruction permit or intermediate driver's license shall not use an electronic communication device or an electronic entertainment device while driving a motor vehicle unless the motor vehicle is at a complete stop off the traveled portion of the roadway. This paragraph does not apply to the use of electronic equipment which is permanently installed in the motor vehicle or to a portable device which is operated through permanently installed equipment.

Over the last 12 months, the Clinton Police Department has investigated motor vehicle collisions in which drivers have admitted to being distracted by texting or viewing a message on their cellular phones, which directly resulted in the collision. The goal of this law is

not to generate revenue for the State of Iowa, it is to help make the roadways safer and reduce the number of motor vehicle collisions.

The Clinton Police Department will enforce the new law and plans to conduct special enforcement projects throughout the coming months. The department intends on using both marked and unmarked police vehicles to detect those violating the law, as well as deploying officers on foot and bicycles to do the same.

The following logo is a promotion used by the Iowa Governor's Traffic Safety Bureau, which summarizes how dangerous texting is while operating a motor vehicle.



CLINTON POLICE ON THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER

In addition to the all the outdoor activities that are enjoyed on the Mississippi River, the river has also been a great retreat for residents after a long week, or even on a holiday. With the increase in the amount of river traffic and river related activities, the rise in law enforcement services tends to increase in this area.

Over the last twenty-eight years, based on a written memorandum between the Clinton Police Department and the Clinton County Sheriff's Office, the Clinton County Sheriff's Office handled most of law-enforcement calls for service in and along the Mississippi River. Recently, the responsibility to respond to calls for service in and along the river, within the geographical boundaries of the City of Clinton, has been returned to the Clinton Police Department. Because of the change, the Clinton Police Department will be

a little more visible on the Mississippi River. Although citizens will see an increased law-enforcement presence on the river over the next several summers, the



goal of the Clinton Police Department is not to deter citizens from enjoying the river, but to make sure

people enjoy all the river has to offer, in a safe manner. Officers will be on the river not only to conduct enforcement, but to help those boaters that are in distress.

The Clinton Police Department repurposed the former Clinton Fire Department's flatboat into a marked police patrol boat. The eighteen foot flatboat was outfitted with emergency lighting equipment, safety equipment and clearly marked as a police boat and will remain docked at the Clinton Marina throughout the summer. Having the boat docked will allow for an immediate law enforcement response to any incident that may arise within the Clinton Police Department's jurisdiction on the Mississippi River. The officers conducting patrols and responding to calls on the river, will receive specialized training from the U.S. Coast Guard and Iowa Department of Natural Resources.

"MOVE OVER LAW"

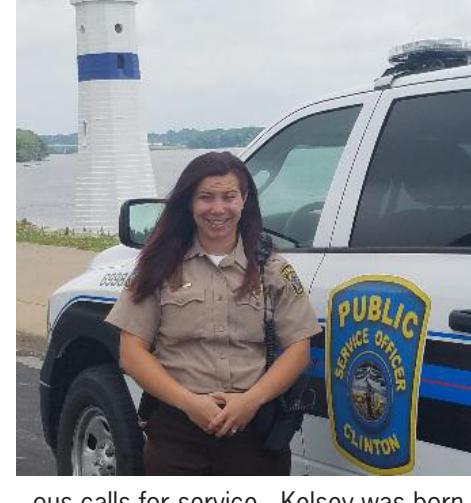
The State of Iowa has recently changed Iowa Code 321.323A, which requires the operator of a motor vehicle approaching a stationary authorized emergency vehicle, towing vehicle, utility maintenance vehicle, municipal maintenance vehicle, or highway maintenance vehicle shall either make a lane change into a lane not adjacent to the vehicle, or if the lane change is not possible, reduce the speed to a reasonable and proper speed for existing road and traffic condition which speed shall be less than the posted speed limit, and be prepared to stop.

The Iowa Legislature has changed the "Move Over Law" and now includes the same "due caution" for the following stationary vehicles:

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- C: CABLE/GAS/ELECTRIC VEHICLES
- D: TELEPHONE/TELECOMMUNICATION/CABLE PROVIDER VEHICLES

PUBLIC SERVICE OFFICER

The Clinton Police Department is pleased to announce the recent hiring of Kelsey Mandrell, 23, as full time Public Service Officer with the Clinton Police Department. Kelsey began her career with the department on June 26, 2017. Kelsey replaces former Public Service Officer, Lori Diers, who was with the department for 12 years and left to take a position with the City of Clinton's Building and Neighborhood Services Department. Following several weeks of on-the-job training, Kelsey will be responsible for handling parking complaints, minor accident investigations, animal calls, fleet maintenance and a multitude of other duties as assigned. Kelsey's duties mainly revolve around assisting patrol officers in completing non-police functions within the department, freeing the sworn police officers to assist the community for more seri-



ous calls for service. Kelsey was born and raised in Clinton, has an associate's degree in criminal justice, and enjoys working out and outdoor activities.

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Non-Emergency: 563-243-1458

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CLINTON FIRE DEPARTMENT

WHAT DOES IT TAKE TO BE A CLINTON FIREFIGHTER?

In this second edition of the Lighthouse we hope to provide a little insight into what it takes to become a Clinton firefighter. The fire service as a whole is a bit different than other 9-5 jobs as we have the privilege of having a "second family". We spend 24 hours a day working as part of a shift of 14 personnel so we get to know a lot about that person, their families and hobbies. We not only respond to emergencies together, train together and perform daily station duties together, we also live together which helps create the atmosphere of brotherhood which personifies the fire service no matter where you go in the world. What other job gives you two families to care for?

The process to get in:

The process starts with turning in an application at City Hall where a background check is completed by the City of Clinton. With the candidate passing the background check and showing a clean driving record, the candidate is then sent a letter to invite them to participate in the process of hiring following the directives set forth by the Civil Service Commission of Clinton. The entry exam starts promptly at 0800 hours with the candidates taking a written test developed by Iowa Solutions, an independent testing authority. Upon completion of the test, the candidates move into the physical agility test, which follows the CPAT format, which has been adopted as the standard across the United States. Upon successful completion of the physical agility test the candidate completes an interview with the Civil Service Commission. Once the Civil Service Commission approves the list it is then sent to the Clinton City Council for approval. Once the Council approves the list, each of the candidates sits down for an interview with the Command Staff of the fire department, who then interviews all candidates and then ranks them in their suggested order. The candidates that rank at the top of the list either have their Iowa Paramedic license in hand or are very close to being licensed, as by rule the candidate must have their license within one year of their hire date. The list is then presented to Fire Chief Mike Brown, who makes the decision to hire the candidate.

The candidate is then offered the job. What then you ask?

Probationary Firefighter:

Once hired, the candidate is now termed a probationary firefighter. The probationary firefighter is assigned to day hours consisting of a 0700-1600hrs shift Monday through Friday, along with a 0700-1300hrs shift on Saturday. The probationary firefighter will complete 240 hours of training over the course of six weeks to cover the basics of FFI (Firefighter I), FFII (Firefighter II) and Hazmat operation skills to the standards set by the FSTB (Iowa State Fire Service Bureau). The first week of training takes care of the needed paperwork, issuing of gear, lockers, and station and city tours while also covering the rules and regulations of the CFD, with a heavy emphasis on the Firefighter Code of Ethics. The probationary firefighter also gets to see what the daily life of a Clinton Firefighter consists of.

From the start of the second through the fourth week the firefighter is shown skills by his fellow firefighters and training office, then the firefighter performs each of those skills back showing competency in each of those skills. The topics covered range from fire related skills to EMS skills and tasks that the firefighter may be called upon to

use at any incident while responding to emergencies. With our anticipated number of calls going over 5,000 this year we find that this training is very important. The EMS skills cover our protocols, report writing and the equipment and drug regimens we use on a daily basis. The probationary firefighter will also spend at least an hour a day performing and perfecting search and rescue drills in our simulated 1500 square foot training course in the basement of Central Fire Station.

In the final fifth and sixth week, the Firefighter will challenge the FF1 and the Hazmat Operations state certification as set by the FSTB. The final two weeks also includes scenario based training which also reinforces skills for the members on duty. These scenarios include but aren't limited to rope rescue, ladder rescue, simulated EMS scenarios, and RIT (rapid intervention team) with self-rescue operations. As the end of the 6th week winds down, the probationary firefighter will perform a driving test of an emergency vehicle to show compliance with the State of Iowa laws, as well as perform a "fit test" consisting of a simulated search and rescue of the basement course with a dummy drag at the end while wearing full PPE (personal protective equipment) and SCBA (self-contained breathing apparatus) with their face piece blacked out simulating fire / smoke conditions within a structure. The entire process culminates with a live fire training burn at our training grounds by Miller Ridge Apartments with the entire shift running evolutions of firefighting within the burn trailers.

At the end of the sixth week the probationary firefighter is assigned to a shift and reports to that shift where over the course of the next 10 1/2 months he / she will need to obtain their FF2 certification through the FSTB, and complete the FF 1 and FF11 workbook while also passing the 10 part map test of the City of Clinton. The maps and workbook will be completed under the watchful eye of the Company Officer that is assigned to each probationary firefighter when they arrive on shift. The Company Officer assists each of the probationary firefighters to set a timeline for completion of the tasks required and to also assist in setting personal and professional goals and giving them the guidance throughout to achieve them. At the end of the calendar year, from the day the probationary firefighter started, he / she will be issued a firefighter helmet shield and they are moved from probationary status to Firefighter First Class status.

If you're looking for just a job then the fire service is not for you. However if you are looking for a meaningful career where there are endless possibilities to help those who need it, where every day presents different challenges and tasks and you want to work as part of a team, then a career in the fire service is right for you. Please contact a member of the CFD for more information on how to get started.



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CYNET BIKE SHARING SYSTEM TO COME TO CLINTON



The Convention and Visitors Bureau is pleased to announce the arrival of the first Cygnet bike share program in Iowa. The bike share system is a perfect fit for the city of Clinton as we are looking to provide visitors and locals more opportunities to access the Clinton Discovery Trail and nearby Downtown and Lyons shopping districts.

The Clinton Discovery Trail boasts 4.8 miles of paved path with scenic views along the banks of the Mississippi River. The trail links the city's popular destination points of Riverview Park in the south with Eagle Point Park in the north.

With our system, visitors will have access to bikes at six different docking stations throughout Clinton. For example, if you were to come in at the marina and park your boat, you could hop on a bike from several different locations on

Riverfront and ride the entire Discovery Trail that goes from the south end of Clinton to the north end. Or, visitors to Eagle Point Lodge can park their cars there and take a bike down to our riverfront or just ride around Eagle Point.

With Cygnet's hybrid system, the ride does not have to end there.

This system allows you to jump on a bike, ride the streets of Clinton and visit local favorites. You can take this bike and lock it wherever you go. We also have a docking station going out in our Lyons Business and Technology Park, which will allow people working in the Park to take a break and enjoy a ride around the area.

Plans are to install the Cygnet Bike share system by August.

INFORMATION KIOSK UNDER CONSTRUCTION



Clinton Convention & Visitors Bureau strives to create an inviting and memorable experience for guests of the area. One effort in our pursuit of this goal is to install a touch screen informational system located inside the existing kiosk building up on the Riverfront. The primary goal of these assets is to highlight the events, businesses and attractions the area has to offer.

While the existing structure has served Clinton well, we are due for an update.

Our first step is the outside of the building to clearly communicate its purpose and increase foot traffic inside the structure. This will include a fresh coat of paint, new gutters, vinyl graphics, and other signage that increases visibility and interaction.

A customized programmable touch screen kiosk will have information on our Discovery Trail, local attractions,

and places to stay overnight, all of the different shops that are available, restaurants and different ways to enjoy the Mississippi River. This new system will be in conjunction with our Wayfinding and communicate local events that are happening in real time. The new setup will be handicap accessible and will still offer print materials for locals and visitors to take with them as they explore the beautiful town of Clinton.

We look forward to sharing our vision with the community and hope you enjoy the new and exciting things happening in Clinton. We firmly believe that executing these updates will increase traffic in the building and enhance the overall visitor experience, helping to leave a lasting memory of what our city has to offer.

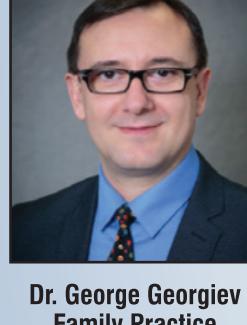
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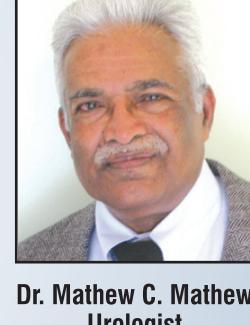
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NEW MURAL DOWNTOWN



On July 6th we had a ribbon cutting for the mural on the Jacobson Building (3rd Street and 5th Avenue S.). The mural was sponsored by the University of Iowa, Office of Outreach & Engagement and the Downtown Clinton Alliance. ECIA was instrumental with the connecting the University and Downtown on this project.

The Artists are Ali Hval and Marina Ross both are graduate students at the

University of Iowa. Ali is the artist for the design and her statement for the design "This design is an abstraction of the sunset on the Mississippi River. Just as a river connects cities to one another, this mural connects people to the city of Clinton."

We will be adding a plaque to the mural with the artist name, statement and sponsors.

FAÇADE GRANT APPROVED

Façade Grant has been approved by the City Council. What this means for the property owners in the SSMID II district has the ability to improve the façade of their property with the potential of up to \$10,000 in supporting dollars. The Program requirements and application has been emailed to the property owners or is available by con-

tacting Karen Rowell at: (563)321-2165 or downtownclintonia@gmail.com.

We have four property owners who have already contacted us for an application. This program is on a first come and first service basis and is limited to 5 projects per year.

NEW HOLIDAY LIGHTS FOR THE DOWNTOWN!



New Holiday Lights for the Downtown! The purchase of new holiday lights which will include a 22 foot LED tree at the end of 5th Avenue. The purchase has been approved by the Downtown Clinton Alliance Board and the City Council. It is important to remember, the monies for the purchase are not part of the City of Clinton funds. These

funds are part of the SSMIDII district which each property owner has approved additional property taxes to fund major improvements and events for our Downtown.

We will be installing the Holiday lights after Thanksgiving with a Tree Lighting on December 1. Save the Date!

DOWNTOWN LANDSCAPING



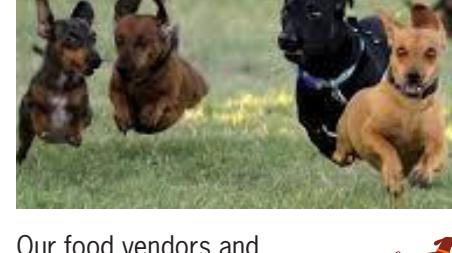
We have beautiful landscaping that has been done by our dedicated staff and volunteers. We have 14 loads of mulch, flowers in our beds, pots on corners and in front of buildings and now as an addition to our bike path. Please be sure and thank all who are providing such a beautiful downtown environment.

We know there are concerns for safety with requests additional markings on the bike path and cross walks. We are working closely with our City Engineering Department to enhance our downtown with safe and accessible bike paths. Please be patient as we work on this project.

2ND ANNUAL OKTOBERFEST

Our second annual Oktoberfest will be on Saturday, September 16 in the 200 block of 5th Avenue S. The event is our largest! There will be two bands beginning at 3 PM to 8 PM.

Don't miss our first "Race of the Wieners" a fun family event! Entry forms are available at Dudads Hallmark, The Clinton Herald, The Old Crow, Peaceful River Creation and Clinton Chamber of Commerce. Call 708-721-2330 for information.



Our food vendors and beer garden will open. Bring your chair and enjoy the free event!

RACE OF THE WIENERS
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2017 DOWNTOWN HALLOWEEN WALK

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CELEBRATE CLINTON!

The 4th of July celebration has come and gone and we're moving quickly toward the dog days of summer. Before we know it, kids will be back in school followed in no time by Thanksgiving, Christmas, and the beginning of a new year.

Before we put 2017 in the books, though, we still have a lot of Celebrate Clinton activities to look forward to!

Our first Rockin' Clinton concert in June featured Clinton's own Coupe de Ville. 800 people converged on Ashford University Field, home of the LumberKings, to enjoy an evening of music from the 50's, 60's and 70's and a fireworks display at the end of the concert.

The July Rockin' Clinton concert was held in conjunction with HyVee's Celebrate Clinton week. We had an afternoon of fun and music for the entire family, and had a good time playing and watching Knockball.

The week of August 20th we're planning a community-wide Celebrate Clinton event. Local businesses will all be asked to participate with activities and specials in their stores. August 26th we'll Celebrate Clinton with a ribbon-cutting on the dike and live music at the Riverview Bandshell. We'd love to see the whole community down on the dike for the ribbon-cutting in the afternoon and the concert in the evening. Bring your lawn chairs and savor the last days of summer!

September 16th is the annual Oktoberfest in downtown Clinton. There will be food, fun and – what else? Music! - to keep people in the Celebrate Clinton spirit.

That's the day we'll be wrapping up the Celebrate Clinton social media contest. Take pictures at your

favorite Rockin' the River events to show how you Celebrate Clinton. Make sure to make the post public for the opportunity to win one of 5 Ipad Minis that will be up for grabs September 16th. All photos must be submitted by September 15th through public posts on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram with #celebrateclintoniowa. Entries can also be mailed to PO Box 1024, Clinton, Iowa 52732. Walk-ins can be dropped off at 721 S. 2nd St Clinton, Iowa 52732.

Pictures will be judged in the following 5 categories:

- MOST CREATIVE
- MOST FUN
- BEST SELFIE
- BEST PICTURE WITH THE BAND
- BEST GROUP PHOTO

All photos must be taken at Clinton, Iowa music events. For more information regarding Celebrate Clinton, visit www.clintonia.com or call 563-242-5702.

All of these Celebrate Clinton concerts are possible through the cooperation and sponsorship of the Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce, the Clinton Convention and Visitor's Bureau, and the Downtown Clinton Alliance.

People have asked, "What is Celebrate Clinton, anyway? I see the billboards and the TV ads, but I'm not sure I know what it is."

Celebrate Clinton is a concept that was born from the results of a community survey. The survey showed there are people in our community with a negative self-image of the area they call home. Knowing that success breeds success, a group of people got together to see what they could do about changing that negative into a positive. One of the results was Celebrate Clinton, a marketing campaign designed to help people see what other people see in this great town.

The Chamber of Commerce and the Convention and Visitor's Bureau wrote a grant for funds to begin marketing the message and the Clinton County Development Association responded by awarding the largest grant given in Fund B - \$75,000 – to get started promoting our positive image campaign. The City of Clinton helped provide matching funds for the effort, and the Sisters of St. Francis and First Baptist Church also helped fund the initiative.

Three key words that have come out of the Celebrate Clinton committee meetings are Pride, Passion and Positivity. We hope that showcasing the people and organizations in our community that are making a difference with their positive attitudes will influence others to look for the good things all around us.

Your participation is key to the success of Celebrate Clinton. Community pride, passion and positivity are contagious! Share yours with your family and friends.

Maureen Miller, President/CEO
Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce



LYONS DISTRICT

Lyons has a busy summer ahead!
Below are some of our upcoming events:

EVERY WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY FARMER'S MARKET

August 9 & August 23 - The Library puts on Market Music

SEPTEMBER 30TH - SOUP/CHILI COOK OFF

AUGUST 3RD & AUGUST 31ST

AMERICAN QUEEN

The neighborhood is preparing for the first American Queen visit on August 3rd, but truth be told, we are already prepared because the whole Avenue is geared up for our very own Hop on Hop Off Tour, Clinton MTA's trolley that runs on Saturdays. The second date of the American Queen visit is August 31st.

OCTOBER 7TH FALL FESTIVAL

DECEMBER 2ND & DECEMBER 3RD HOLIDAY WALK / WINTER FESTIVAL

The neighborhood businesses and associations are working on a Fall Festival on October 7th and a wonderful Holiday Walk/Winter Festival for December 2nd and 3rd. In between all of this, pay attention to our Facebook page for our prize giveaways and other events.

TROLLEY RIDES

The free to ride trolley visits The Sawmill Museum, Lyons, and Eagle Point Park. The Association is finalizing our coupon cards that are only \$5.

LYONS T-SHIRTS

We just made our very own Lyons, Iowa T-Shirts, which are only \$10.

With Great River Road traffic and Historic Lincoln Highway traffic, we just became listed on Travel Iowa as a shopping district destination. Interested in attending a meeting, please reach out to a Lyons member.

A FEW HEALTH TIPS BROUGHT TO YOU BY....

EAT GREEN!

Lyons Farmer's Market at Lyons Foursquare Park – Wednesday 4-7pm and Saturdays 8-12, open through early November.

GOLF FOR A GREAT CAUSE!

KROS/United Way Golf Classic – August 11th - Call KROS at 242-1252 to reserve a 12pm or 3pm tee time.

KIDS FUN RUN!

Splash Dash – Wednesday, August 30th – Visit the Let's Live Healthy Facebook for details as the date approaches.

TRY A NEW FITNESS CLASS!

FREE days at YWCA Clinton are September 5-8th. The community is invited to take part in all the YWCA has to offer for FREE...ZUMBA, Aquacise, Yoga, fitness center, lap swimming and much, more more. Visit www.ywcaclinton.org for class times and details.

EAT MORE FRESH VEGGIES!

Community Garden plots available, applications at Clinton Parks & Recreation Dept.

SET A GOAL

TO RUN/WALK A DISTANCE!

Clinton Half Marathon – 10K – 5K Run/Walk – Sunday, September 10, 2017

For more info or to get registered visit www.clintonhalfmarathon.com

GET OUT AND WALK!

Healthiest State Walk – October 4, 2017 – watch for details on locations. Ask your workplace to sign up as a site. www.iowahealthieststate.com

TAKE UP A NEW SPORT!

Frisbee Golf available at Eagle Point Park, see Clinton Parks & Recreation for details.

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For more healthy events in our community

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For more information on the Let's Live Healthy Initiative or to get involved contact:

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

AUGUST 26TH | 8AM - 1PM
TOUCH-A-TRUCK FUNDRAISER TO BENEFIT HABITAT FOR HUMANITY



Here is your chance to see a large variety of service vehicles and specialty cars at Habitat for Humanity's Touch-A-Truck. At this community-wide event, children and adults have the opportunity to see, touch, interact with, and learn about many cool vehicles.

AUGUST 26TH | 8AM - 1PM
YOUNG EAGLES FLIGHTS DURING TOUCH-A-TRUCK
OPEN TO KIDS AGE 8-17



Founded in 1992, the Young Eagles program has dedicated nearly 25 years to giving youth ages 8-17 their first free ride in an airplane. It's the only program of its kind, with the sole mission to introduce and inspire kids in the world of aviation. Today, the Young Eagles program has flown over 2 million kids with the help of EAA's network of volunteer pilots and ground volunteers.

SEPTEMBER 29TH
CLINTON AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
FALL TAILGATE PARTY
AT CLINTON MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

Save the date! Bring your friends, co-workers and family out for a night filled with bags, a live DJ and more! Visit www.clintonia.com for updates and registration or contact Kadina at the Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce at 563-242-5702 for additional information.

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FATS, OIL, & GREASE WHAT THIS MEANS TO YOU AS A CLINTON RESTAURANT OWNER

The City of Clinton's Regional Water Reclamation Facility (RWRF) is committed to providing safe, cost effective wastewater service to commercial and residential consumers. We are equally committed to operating our wastewater system in an environmentally responsible manner. The City of Clinton has an ordinance to limit and control the introduction of fats, oil and grease (FOG) into the sanitary sewer system. This ordinance in its entirety can be found on the City of Clinton webpage. Click on the City Department tab at the top, on the drop down there is a link to the RWRF Department. Once you get to the RWRF page, there is a tab on the left labeled FOG Ordinance.

Starting in the month of July, the city will start to visit all the Food Service Establishments (FSE) not only to enforce the ordinance, but to educate the owners, managers, and employees of the benefits of not disposing of food down the drain. If your FSE does not have a grease interceptor or a grease trap we will only be making one initial visit. If your establishment does have a grease interceptor or a grease trap, we will go over what the expectations are to properly maintain the device and set up an inspection schedule.

BIG RIVER PACKAGING WINS INNOVATION AWARD!



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The Clinton Public Library offers a full range of multimedia collections accessible both onsite, online, and through interlibrary loan. CPL-Main houses the main circulating collection, which includes physical volumes of books, periodicals, CD, DVDs, audiobooks, reference items, and other materials for patrons of all ages.

The library also provides free programming for all ages from storytimes to special speakers and even the Clinton Book Festival. There's a little something for everyone at the Clinton Public Library.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 26, 2017
10AM TO 4PM

Clinton Public Library is excited to host the third Annual Clinton Book Festival – A Celebration of Books, Reading, and the Book Arts. The festival will take place on Saturday, August 26, 2017, at the Clinton Community College from 10 am to 4 pm. We are looking forward to offering an educational and fun-filled program with readings, workshops, demonstrations, and other activities featuring local and regional writers, artists, and organizations. A great selection of activities will be available for book lovers of all ages.

PRESENTATIONS INCLUDE:

FROM IDEA TO BOOKSHELF

Jill Esbaum walks through her idea process for her newer books, as well as what kind of information she writes into the National Geographic books she writes.

GETTING STARTED WITH LITERARY JOURNAL PUBLISHING AND FINDING ONLINE WRITING COMMUNITIES

Brian Burmeister's presentation draws from his own experience as he provides tips for publishing with literary journals, as well finding avenues to share work and build community with other authors in online communities, particularly on Twitter.

HOW NOT TO WRITE A POLICE PROCEDURAL

Remi Hunter's experience as a Chicagoan cop leads the discussion of how to write a police procedural that is correct and adds to the reality needed to give your novels that extra boost of believability.

DOWN ON THE FARM

Margo Hansen shares her short stories from her memories of growing up on a dairy farm in the 1960's and 1970's.

Panels include: Poets and Writing Poems, Twisted Fairytales: A Collection of Short Stories by Young Adults, Author Support Q&A, and Non-Fiction Authors: Writing with Facts, History, and Research.

LOCATION: Clinton Community College-1000 Lincoln Blvd, Clinton, IA 52732

DAY & TIMES: Saturday, August 26 10:00am-4:00pm

FREE!



This summer bring your lawn chairs, some money to shop at the Farmer's Market, and then kick back to listen to some great music brought to you by the Clinton Public Library. Clinton Public Library Market Music Concerts coincide with the Lyons Farmer's Market. The library wants to thank our sponsors for this event. These free concerts will be held on selected Wednesday nights this summer from June through August at the Four Square Park Bandshell.

DATE	BAND	TIME
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 2017	ANDY AND JUDY DAIGLE	4-6 PM
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 2017	THE RIPPLERS	4-6 PM

 Sponsored by the Clinton Jaycees

REMODELING AT THE LYONS GENEALOGY AND LOCAL HISTORY CENTER

We will be replacing the glass windows and doors at the Lyons branch library because the current windows were put in during the 1950s and 60s. New energy efficient windows and doors will be installed late this summer in order to make the building more energy efficient. It will also make it more cost effective to run the building year round. There will be some disturbance to the existing landscaping during the installation so the landscaping will be redone in the fall.

UPCOMING LIBRARY HOLIDAYS

LABOR DAY	MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
THANKSGIVING	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23
CHRISTMAS	FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22
NEW YEAR	FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29

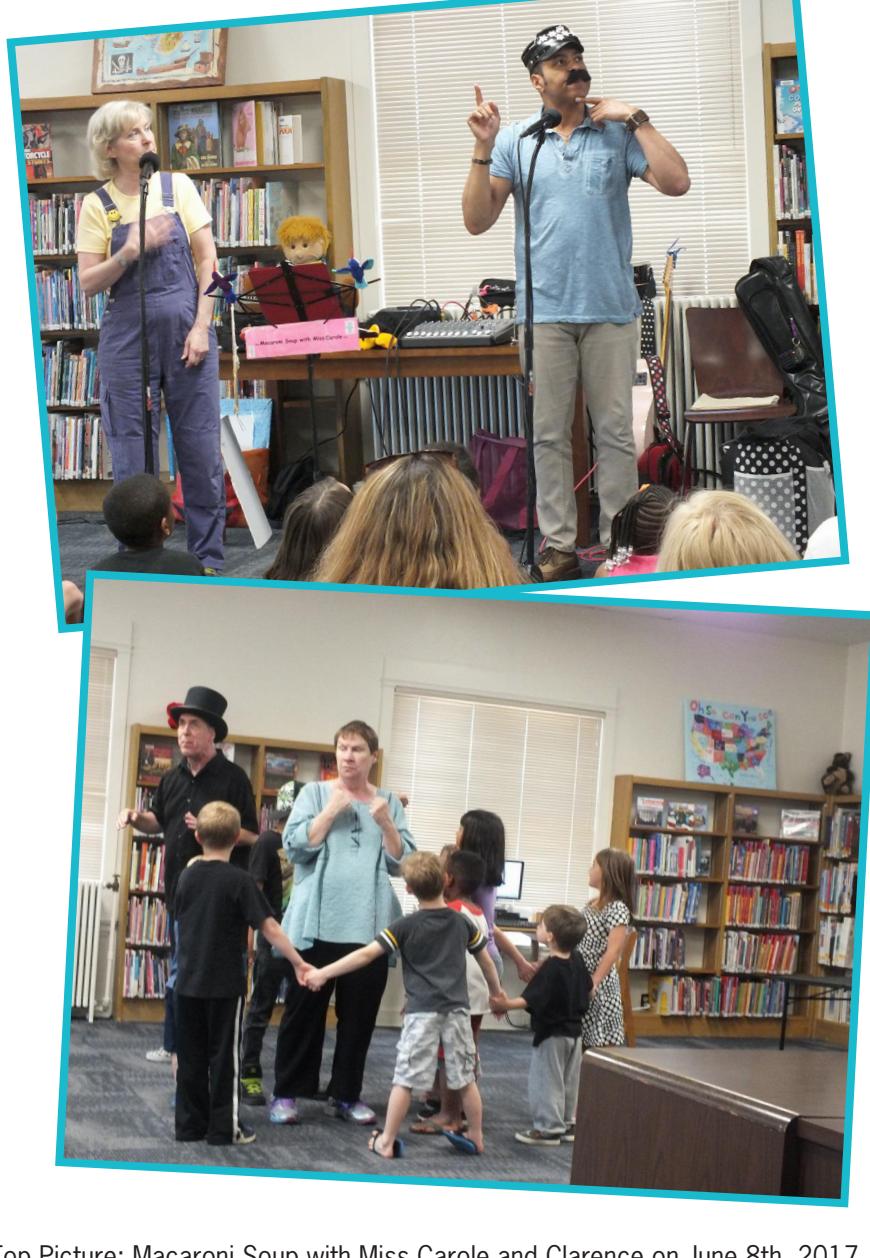


LIBRARY RECEIVES GRANT



Interim Library Director, Holly Youngquist, receives a check for \$1,000 in support of the summer reading program from Alliant Energy Account Manager, Paula Schneckloth. The grant was written by retired Assistant Director, Beth Mosher. The library thanks Alliant Energy for their generous support of the young readers of Clinton. There are currently 260 children registered for the summer reading program.

PHOTOS FROM OUR SUMMER PROGRAMS:



Top Picture: Macaroni Soup with Miss Carole and Clarence on June 8th, 2017. Musical entertainment for families at its finest!
 Bottom Picture: Laughing Matters on June 24th. We always have fun when they visit the library.

PROGRAMS AT THE LIBRARY

PROGRAMS TAKING A BREAK IN AUGUST

The following programs are taking a break in May:
 Afternoon Adventures (Grades 1-5), & Create-and-Connect (Grades 6-12).

STORYTIMES

Storytimes will continue to be at 10:00am on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

MINECRAFT FOR KIDS

Multiplayer on the library's server will be available to grades 1-6 on Mondays from 4:00pm-6:00pm.

KIDS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Starting in September: Afternoon Adventures (Grades 1-5) will be from 2:30pm-3:30pm. The programs will vary from video games, table top games, drawing and crafts.

TEEN PROGRAMMING

Starting in September: Wednesday Afternoon programming will run from 1:30pm to 3:00pm. The programs will vary from video games, table top games, drawing and crafts, as well as having areas to work on homework. For middle School and high School aged teens.

ANIME MONDAYS

Mondays from 3:00pm to 5:00pm- come to watch Anime. Come to the first meeting to vote on which anime to watch Monday, September 18, 2017. Animes will include content ratings anywhere from TVG to TV14.

ADVENTURES OF A GHOST HUNTING PSYCHIC

Cat Sinclair, psychic and reiki master, will visit the library to talk about the different entities she has encountered during paranormal investigations. From children and pets, to psychopathic killers, and even some elementals, she has seen and experienced a lot in 8 years of paranormal investigations with multiple paranormal groups.

WHERE: Library-306 8th Ave. S. | DATE: Saturday, October 7 | TIME: 1:00pm

EVENING OF SPIRIT COMMUNICATION WITH DON MARLETTE

An Evening of Spirit Communication is a time of healing and answers with surges of spiritual energy. Audience members will have the chance to receive messages from their loved ones in Spirit and their Spirit Guides. Also, those who have questions about their life at this time will have the chance to finally get answers and resolution! Experiences of hearing, seeing, or even feeling spirit presences is common at these events. The presentation will end with a powerful group guided meditation, where participants will receive personal, private and specific messages of light, love and inspiration from Spirit.

WHERE: Library-306 8th Ave. S. | DATE: Saturday, October 28 | TIME: 1:00pm



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Friday - Saturday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

LOCAL HISTORY & GENEALOGY CENTER

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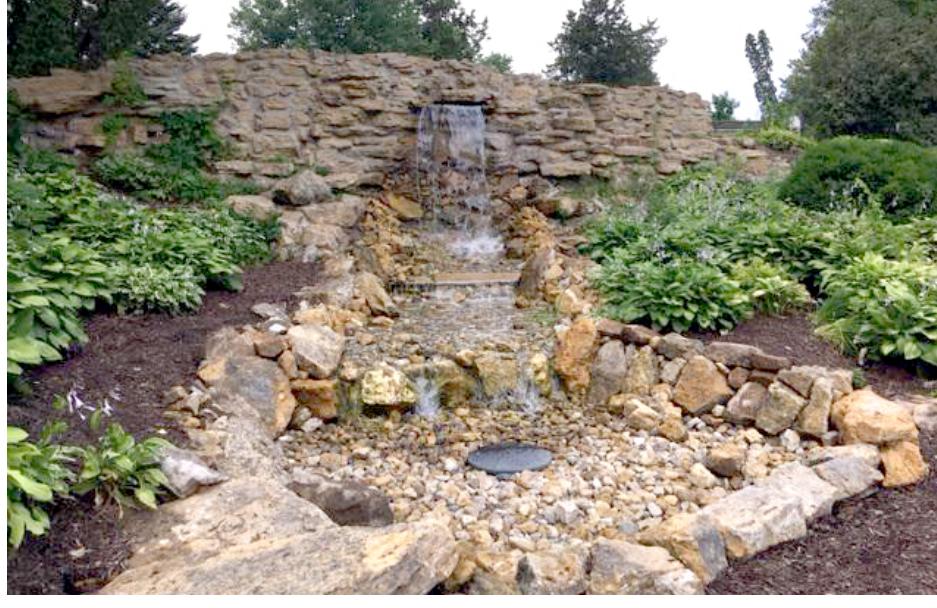
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PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

"WE WORK... SO YOU CAN PLAY!"

The Parks and Recreation Department and Administrative Office, better known as the Erickson Community Center, is located on the northern most part of 148 acres of Emma Young Park. We have three ASA certified softball fields, four tennis courts, a cross country running trail and a playground. The Parks and Recreation Department offers over 170 recreation programs designed for all ages from preschoolers through young adults, adults and seniors. Implementation of these programs, is accomplished by two full-time program professionals, a full-time administrative specialist, two permanent part-time center staff, 150 seasonal and part-time activity staff, 300 volunteer coaches and program volunteers.

EAGLE POINT PARKS WELCOMES RE-ENERGIZED WATERFALL!



A drive through Eagle Point Park will showcase the newly-renovated waterfall feature, a project of Clinton Trees Forever. The idea of reviving the waterfall originated from member Randy Pennock, who envisioned an eye-catching, picturesque setting with a tiered waterfall without ponding at the base. Grants were received from the Clinton County Development Association, Alliant Energy and Trees Forever. Financial support was also provided by the City of Clinton through the Park Donation Fund. Construction began at the end of May and was completed in three short weeks. Volunteers from Clinton Trees Forever began landscaping mid-June, and will plant forty new trees near the waterfall this fall. A new asphalt walking path will also be paved in the fall. The completed project will embellish and enhance the beauty Eagle Point Park offers.

ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE REGISTRATION 2017-2018

ENTRY PROCEDURE: Fall Due Date: Thursday, October 5th by 6:00 p.m.

Entries contain three items:

1) Minimum Roster 2) Team & Manager Info 3) Entry Fees Paid
Only original rosters accepted no copies. All three items must be completed to establish entry order due to space limitations. (Forms available from the Department Office.)

ENTRY FEE: Volleyball: \$210.00

\$25.00 late fee charged after deadline, IF entry is accepted.

LEAGUE MEETING: FALL: Wednesday, October 11th

SITE: Erickson Center All Volleyball—5:30 p.m.

Agenda to include review of playing rules, administration of league play and preliminary schedule distribution.

FALL SEASON: Playing nights: October 23, 2017 – Jan 25, 2018 (approx.)

TIMES: 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. Weekdays

Monday: Mixed Modified Volleyball

Tuesday: Coed Power (1st season only)

Wednesday: Women's Power Volleyball

Thursday: Mixed Modified Volleyball

Women's Modified Volleyball (Upper & Lower) - No games Oct 30th, Nov 22nd & 23rd (Thanks) Dec 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th January 1st & 2nd (Holiday Break)

ROSTER ADMINISTRATION: Roster change deadline: Fall: November 17th
Rosters are frozen after the deadline listed above. Two exceptions: new citizens and team hardship. Players can only play on one team in each division: (Women's or Mixed). All individual players must sign the original Team Roster.

NOTES: The Department accepts registrations for teams only. If individuals are interested in getting involved on a team, a "Look For a Team" list is kept. To place your name on this list, which is made available to team managers, please call 243-1260.

Due to limited facilities, each league is limited to 12 teams per night in volleyball.

Sign up for team practice: \$5.00 for an hour @ 6 pm, 7 pm or 8 pm start (advanced notice required).

CITY OF CLINTON DEER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM INFORMATION



The City of Clinton's goal is to limit the population of deer within the management zone to 20 deer per square mile.

The Clinton Deer Management Committee, along with the Iowa DNR, has developed a deer management plan for the City of Clinton. This year's season will run from September 16, 2017 through January 10, 2018.

The City of Clinton will no longer be issuing incentive tags due to DNR Incentive new rules. Please read all material. There is a large detailed map of the management zone and city property at the Erickson Community Center for your viewing.

You can pick up the application form and return it to the Parks & Recreation Department Office in person at the Erickson Community Center, 1401 11th Avenue North, Clinton, Iowa. You must have a photo I.D. that will be photo copied when you submit your application. Applications must be returned before you can take the proficiency test. You do not need to show proof of hunter safety if you participated in last season's hunt.

You will notice that proficiency testing is required to obtain a city permit. The testing will take place Sat., Aug. 26, 9-11 a.m. and Sun., Aug. 27, noon-2 p.m. or by appointment by calling 563/243-1260. Testing will take place at the Erickson Community Center (by the pond) – 1401 11th Avenue North – Clinton, IA.

Completion of a "Deer Harvest Report" is required within 24 hours of harvest. Complete a report at Central Fire Station – 344 3rd Avenue North.

Good luck to all hunters and please remember to hunt safely.

WILD THINGS FUN NIGHT

Upper elementary school students - here's your chance to make your heart sing! Bring a friend, request a song, enjoy karaoke, play games and have some refreshments. Parents are welcome to stop in during this activity. This event is a lock-in, once you come in, you stay until close unless a parent or guardian enters the building to pick you up. Supervision by department staff and volunteers will be provided.

WHO: Elementary School Youth, Grades 3, 4 & 5

DATE: Sundays, November 5th & January 7th

TIME: 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

WHERE: Erickson Community Center, Lower Level

FEE: \$4.00

DEADLINE: Pay at the door

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PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

4TH & 5TH GRADE DODGEBALL NIGHT

For youngsters who can't get enough Dodgeball! Come as a team of five players and get ready for two hours of active play. As a courtesy, teams may register during Wild Things Fun Night on activity night, or phone the recreation office at 243-1260. Prizes to all participants.

WHO: Elementary School Youth, Grades 4 & 5

DATE: Saturdays, November 11th & January 20th

TIME: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center, Gym

FEE: \$4.00 per person

LIMIT: 3 Teams Minimum, 8 Teams Maximum

REGISTRATION: In advance or at the door, beginning at 5:30 p.m.

INSTRUCTOR: Recreation Staff

MIDDLE SCHOOL DODGEBALL NIGHT

Popular activity for grades 6, 7 and 8. Put down the remote control and bring a team of five for two hours of exciting play. Teams may register on activity night at the Ericksen Center Activity Office. Prizes to all participants.

WHO: Middle School Teens, Grades 6, 7 & 8

DATE: Saturdays, December 2nd & February 17th

TIME: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center, Gym

FEE: \$4.00 per person

LIMIT: 3 Teams Minimum, 8 Teams Maximum

REGISTRATION: At the door beginning at 5:30 p.m.

INSTRUCTOR: Recreation Staff

ZUMBA

The Zumba fitness program is designed to combine hypnotic Latin rhythms with easy to follow dance movements. This fun and exciting class is a great workout and one you won't want to miss. This one-of-a-kind fitness program offers one simple goal... to make you LOVE working out!! A party you won't want to miss!

WHO: Anyone age 15 or older (Difficulty level - moderate)

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center, Youth Room

INSTRUCTOR: Tiffany Harris (Certified Zumba Instructor)

DAYS/TIMES: Monday/Wednesday 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday/Thursday 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

FEE: \$35.00 per person / Late Registration (if availability permits) \$42.00

LIMIT: 10 Minimum per session, 40 Maximum

DATES: **Session 1:** Monday/Wednesday - Sept 11th - Oct 25th (14 classes)
Tuesday/Thursday - Sept 12th - Oct 26th (14 classes)

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through September 7th

DATES: **Session 2:** Monday/Wednesday - Oct 30th - Dec 18th (14 classes)
Tuesday/Thursday - Oct 31st - Dec 19th (14 classes)
(6:00 - 7:00 p.m. November Thursday classes only)

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through October 26th

****10 day Punch Pass Available for \$40.00****
Can be used for any Zumba fitness class or visit to the UFA

SQUARE DANCE SOCIALS

For exercise, friendly chatter and just plain FUN, the Riverboat Rustlers Square Dance Club holds monthly dances at the Ericksen Community Center for members, potential members and out-of-town guests. Saturday Night square dance dates, callers and themes are:

September 16th - Tommy Russell

October 7th - Tommy Russell

November 4th - Tom Manning

December 2nd - Tommy Russell

DAY/TIME: Saturdays, 7:00 - 9:30 p.m.

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center Rooms A/B

LIMIT: None

FEE: ECC Club Membership Participant Fee: \$20.00

NEW SQUARE DANCER SESSIONS

WHO: Adults & Youth at least 10 years of age - Families Welcome

DATES: September 19th to December 5, 2017

DAY/TIME: Tuesdays, 6:45 - 8:45 p.m.

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center, Youth Room

LIMIT: 2 Squares (16 dancers), minimum

FEE: ECC Club Membership Participant Fee: \$20.00

\$5 per person per dance after first trial session of September 19th

GIRL'S GRADES 2-3 VOLLEYBALL CLINIC

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center, Gym

DATES: Sundays, September 17th & 24th, October 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd

GRADES & TIMES: **2nd Grade** 1:00-2:00 p.m. **3rd Grade** 2:15-3:15 p.m. **2nd/3rd (if needed)** 3:30-4:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through September 12th

FEE: \$33.00 per person / Late Registration (if availability permits) \$40.00

LIMIT: 12 Minimum, 36 Maximum for 4th thru 6th Grade
12 Minimum, 18 Maximum for 2nd thru 3rd Grade

It is recommended that girls wear knee pads. Coaches and T-shirts are provided.

FALL YOUTH SOCCER

Come take part in one of the area's largest youth soccer programs. This program is designed to teach the fundamentals of soccer to participants ages 3 through 8th grade. Children will learn the fundamentals of soccer through practices and games through instruction by volunteer coaches. Games consist of smaller sided play to ensure more quality touches of the ball during games. Roster sizes will vary depending on number of registrations for each league. There are 8 leagues available including Preschool (co-ed), K-1st grade (co-ed), 2-3rd Grade Boys, 2-3rd Grade Girls, 4-5th Grade Boys, 4-5th Grade Girls, 6-7-8th Grade Boys and 6-7-8th Grade Girls. Participants are registered by the school they attend.

WHERE: **Preschool Age** - Emma Young Park - "Harding" Field

K thru 5th Grade - Reynold P. Jurgensen Park (Behind Home Depot)

Middle School - Clinton Community College Fields

DAYS: Saturday Mornings

DATES: September 16th, 23rd, 30th October 7th, 14th, 21st (Rain Date: Oct. 18th)

AGES: 3 years old through 8th grade (2017-2018 school year)

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through August 24th

FEE: 40.00 per person / Late Registration (if availability permits) \$47.00

MINI SHOOTERS PRESCHOOL BASKETBALL

Get your preschooler off to an early start in this program designed to introduce basketball movements at an early age. Participants will learn the basic basketball fundamentals of passing, dribbling and shooting through age-appropriate drills. Participants will engage in activities that will increase hand-eye coordination for your youngster.

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center, Youth Room

DAYS: Thursdays

DATES: November 9th, 16th, 30th, December 7th, 14th, (No Nov. 23rd for Thanksgiving)

AGES: 3, 4, & 5 year olds (Do not need to attend preschool)

Participants must turn 3 years old prior to the end of the program.

TIMES: **3 year olds** 4:00-4:45 p.m. **4-5 year olds** 5:00-5:45 p.m.

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through November 2nd

FEE: \$28.00 per person / Late Registration (if availability permits) \$35.00

LIMIT: 24 per Session

LITTLE SHOOTERS BASKETBALL SKILLS & DRILLS

This 6 week program is designed to introduce basketball fundamentals at the elementary age and early MS level. Participants will learn the basic basketball fundamentals of passing, dribbling, defense and shooting through age-appropriate drills. Program is instruction based and is conducted by experienced staff, as well as local high school and college players. Participants will experience 4 weeks of skills and drill session, followed by 2 weeks of scrimmage games. Each participant will receive a T-shirt.

WHO: Boys and girls in grades K-6th (2017-2018 school year)

WHERE: Ericksen Community Center, Gymnasium and Youth Room

DAYS: Saturdays

DATES: November 4th, 11th, 18th, December 2nd, 9th, 16th

(Does not meet on Nov. 23rd for Thanksgiving)

TIMES: **K-1st Grade** 9:00-10:00 a.m. **2-3rd Grade** 10:15-11:15 a.m. **4-6th Grade** 11:30-12:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through October 26th

FEE: \$33.00 per person / Late Registration (if availability permits) \$40.00

LIMIT: 60 Maximum per session

PET PICTURES

Professional photographer, James Perron, will take pictures of your pets on Saturday, November 18, 2017, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Riverview Pool Bathhouse. Appointments are necessary and may be made by contacting Judy May, Dog Obedience Instructor at 249-4132.

You will receive a 3x5" and 5x7" photo for the \$16.00 fee. Enlargements and reprints available upon request. All posing challenges are accepted for single or group. The event is co-sponsored by Animal Birth Control.

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PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

RECREATION YOUTH TACKLE JR. FOOTBALL

GRADE: Grade 5 & 6 (based on the school year, 2017-2018)

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through August 18

FEE: \$90.00 Registrations accepted now through equipment fitting days

EQUIPMENT FITTING & REGISTRATION: At Erickson Center

Wednesday, August 16th: 4:30 - 5:30 Jefferson & Whittier
5:30 - 6:30 Eagle Heights & Bluff

6:30 - 7:30 Camanche

Thursday, August 17th: 4:30 - 5:30 Northeast & Easton Valley
5:30 - 6:30 DeWitt

Friday, August 19th: 4:30 - 6:30 pm (Those not available on Wed. or Thurs.)

LATE REGISTRATION & EQUIPMENT FITTING: \$100 Only if availability permits.

Beginning Monday, August 21st - Wednesday, August 23rd by appointment only.

Financial assistance is 50% of the Registration Fee available by obtaining your child's free and reduced lunch form, or other dated financial assistance documents and presenting it to the Parks & Recreation Department Office.

TEAM FORMATION BASED ON: School Attendance Center: In Camanche, Northeast, DeWitt, Easton Valley/And in Clinton - Eagle Heights/CMS, Whit/CMS, Bluff/CMS, Jeff/CMS

GAME DAYS: Monday, Tuesday and/or Thursday not earlier than 5pm and beginning no later than 7:30pm

GAME DATES: September 11th through October 19th

GAME LOCATIONS: Emma Young Park behind the Erickson Center

SCHEDULE: Practices can begin August 19th. Each player is required to practice 3 days before contact in pads.

NOTIFICATION: Coaches Meeting - August 2nd & September 6th at 6:00 pm at the Erickson Center

RAIN OUT PROCEDURE: Parks & Recreation Department Staff will contact the coaches, who will then contact parents.

FLAG FOOTBALL

Instruction in non-tackle flag football for 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th grades. Volunteer coaches will show youngsters an assortment of warm-ups, drills and plays needed to acquire basic football skills. T-shirts will be given to all players and coaches. Teams will consist of 7 players on the field at one time with minimum playing rules. Children registered by school attended.

WHO: Boys Grades 1st/2nd - 3rd/4th

LOCATION: Emma Young Park - Softball Fields

DATES: September 24th - October 22nd

SCHEDULE: **Week 1 & 2:** 2-3 Practices/week

Week 3-5: 1 practice, 2 games

DAYS: Sunday Afternoons, some week nights & other days for practice as scheduled.

TIMES: Practices: 1 - 1/2 hour dependent upon coaches availability.

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through August 31st

FEE: \$40.00 per person / Late Registration (if availability permits) \$47.00

LIMIT: 24 Minimum / 1-3 Team Maximum / 7+ Players/team

COACHES MEETING: Tentatively set for Wednesday, September 6th at 6:30 p.m.

DOG AGILITY TRAINING

This long awaited course will give dogs an exposure to jumps, contact obstacle, weave poles, and the basics of canine agility. All breeds of non-threatening dogs allowed, AKC certification not required. Owners must provide a leather or nylon leash and collar. The main prerequisite is that the dog must be able to effectively work off leash.

PREREQUISITES: Dogs must be nine months old minimum, and show proof of successful completion in a dog obedience class prior to participation.

WHO: Owners with dogs 9 months plus

LIMIT: 5 Minimum, 8 Maximum

LOCATION: Riverview Pool Bathhouse

SCHEDULE: **Session I:** September 5th - October 17th (7 weeks)

Session II: October 24th - December 5th

Session III: January 2nd - February 13, 2018

Session IV: February 20th - April 3, 2018

Session V: April 10th - May 22nd, 2018

DAYS/TIMES: Tuesdays, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through August 31st, October 19th, December 28th, February 15th, April 5th

FEE: \$42.00

CLINTON PARKS & RECREATION DEPT

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KINDERGARTEN FOR PUPPIES

Puppies must be a minimum of twelve weeks old and no older than five months. This class is designed to introduce you and your puppy to collar and leash, to endure handling and to obey simple commands. Also, helpful hints on grooming, housebreaking, gnawing, and chewing. A soft light-weight nylon buckle collar and leash are required. Proof of distemper, kennel cough (12 weeks), rabies (4 months) and parvo shots must be presented at time of registration (marked receipt from vet).

WHO: Adults

LIMIT: 6 Minimum, 12 Maximum

INSTRUCTORS: Judy May and Evie Siems

LOCATION: Riverview Pool Bathhouse

SCHEDULE: **Session I:** September 7th - October 12th (6 weeks)

Session II: October 26th - December 7th (no Nov. 23rd)

Session III: January 4th - February 8, 2018

Session IV: February 22nd - March 29, 2018

Session V: April 12th - May 17th, 2018

DAYS/TIMES: Tuesdays, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION PERIOD: Now through August 31st, October 19th, December 28th, February 15th, April 5th

FEE: \$37.00 per person / Late Registration (if availability permits) \$44.00

DOG OBEDIENCE

This class is designed to help you learn how to train your dog by being consistent with your commands, and by knowing what verbal commands and hand signals to give your dog. Any breed of dog will be accepted provided they are at least six months of age, have proof of rabies vaccination, kennel cough, distemper and parvo shots required at canine good citizenship test to be taken during the final class. Recommended that the same person should handle the dog at each session.

WHO: Adults

LIMIT: 6 Minimum, 12 Maximum

INSTRUCTORS: Judy May and Evie Siems

LOCATION: Riverview Pool Bathhouse

SCHEDULE: **Session I:** September 7th - October 12th (6 weeks)

Session II: October 26th - December 7th (no Nov. 23rd)

Session III: January 4th - February 8, 2018

Session IV: February 22nd - March 29, 2018

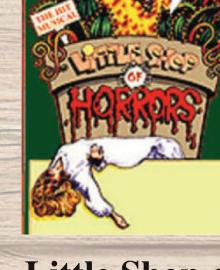
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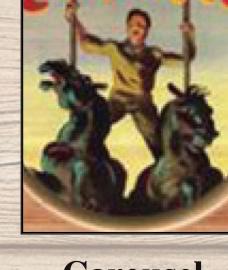
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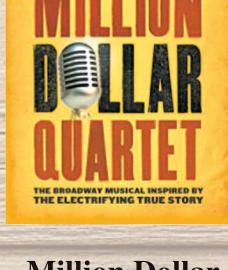
TIMBER LAKE PLAYHOUSE



**Little Shop of
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August 10-20



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July 27 - August 6



**Million
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One Day Youth

Workshop (ages 7-11)

Sat., Aug. 5th 10am-1pm

This 3 hour workshop includes structured storytelling games, creating characters, team-building ensemble activities, and a chance to learn about all of the creative departments involved in putting on a show.

\$30 tuition includes a ticket to the 2:00 performance of Cinderella After the Ball

Cinderella After the Ball

August 3, 4, 5 (2:00pm)

Ever wonder what happens to Cinderella after the ball?

Come find out!

Approx. 60 minutes; all ages

Rocky Horror Picture Show

THE MOVIE - October 28th

Contests begin at 8:00

Movie at 9:00pm

Celebrate Halloween Weekend at TLP

Ask About Our Haunted House/Rocky



**The Haunted House at
Timber Lake Playhouse**
October 14th, 24th, 28th

Felix & Fingers Dueling Pianos

Saturday, October 7 at 7:00 pm

A one night only performance of the nationally renowned Felix and Fingers Dueling Pianos Show. Felix & Fingers graced the TLP stage last September to over 250 howling, dancing and singing guests. Get your groups booked for this Dueling Pianos interactive performance. These guys draw a crowd!

**Cash bar opens at 6:30.
Tickets are \$20.**