



NOTICE

The City is in the midst of a “Spring Clean-up” campaign. We are encouraging all City residents and businesses to take some time and spruce up their property to improve the appearance of our City.

To avoid a letter and/or a ticket, get those unlicensed vehicles taken care of along with any other nuisance violations within your property.

2022 NEWSLETTER CITY OF GARFIELD OFFICIALS

John Nienaber Jr., Mayor
Ryan Holverson, Councilman
Trent Ziegelman, Councilman
Troy Mills, Councilman
Jason Uhde, Councilman
Mark Yochim, Maintenance Director
Paulynn Terhark, City Clerk

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Garfield Residents: Please remember that all your complaints: nuisance due to loud music, barking/unleashed dogs, etc.; should come to the City Hall. First, we ask that you try to fix the nuisance/problem with the offending party, but if that does not resolve it, then contact the City Hall. If you feel threatened or in danger, contact the Sheriff. *Thank You!*

(we appreciate your cooperation)

City Hall 320-834-2238



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TRAVELING TREE HOUSE JUNE 13 - AUGUST 18, 2022

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Traveling Tree House is a mobile learning center that provides FREE summer learning opportunities for local children. At each visit kids experience 75 minutes of reading, crafts, and activities. A snack and gently used book, of their choice, is sent home with them to keep after each visit.

PROGRAM DETAILS

- The Tree House stops at 10 designated locations within Douglas County
- Program lasts for 10 weeks and is designed for children Pre K - Elementary but open to all ages.
- No pre-registration is required to attend
- Cancellations due to weather are posted on our Facebook page @unitedwaydouglaspopo
- Program is overseen by United Way of Douglas & Pope Counties

| MONDAY | |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|
| 10:45am - 12:00pm | Osakis Osagi Park |
| 1:00 - 2:15pm | Noonan's Park |
| TUESDAY | |
| 9:00 - 10:15am | Garfield Park-A-White Gardens |
| 10:45am - 12:00pm | Fillmore Park |
| 1:00 - 2:15pm | Zion Lutheran Church Parking Lot |
| WEDNESDAY | |
| 9:00 - 10:15am | Alexandria City Park |
| 10:45 - 12:00pm | Carlos City Park |
| 1:00 - 2:15pm | Miltona Elementary School |
| THURSDAY | |
| 9:00 - 10:15am | Evansville Park |
| 10:45am - 12:00pm | Brandon Lion's Park |

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Notice

The 2021 Consumer Confidence Report will not be mailed this year. Copies are available at City Hall during office hours or you may request a copy by calling 320-834-2238.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION



Reminder

When selling a home, please read your water meter the day of the sale. Provide the reading along with your new address to the City Clerk for your final bill.

PAY ONLINE

You are now able to pay your utility bill with credit cards, debit cards, or echeck.

There is a convenience fee based on \$3.00 per \$100 owed. This is less than a late fee charge and will keep your account from being delinquent or cut off.

Simply go to <https://ub-pay.com> and register.

Our Municipal Code is **GarfieldMN332**

You will need your account number which is found on your billing statement.

June is...



June is
National
Safety Month

National Safety Month

- Men's Health Month



National
Donut Day

Friday, June 3rd
National Donut Day

Monday, June 13th
City Council Meeting

Tuesday, June 14th
Flag Day

Flag Day
June 14



Sunday, June 19th
Father's Day

Tuesday, June 21st
Start of Summer



Saturday, June 25th
METER READING DUE

Monday, June 27th
National Sunglasses Day



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

- ◆ **Building Permits:** Pick-up your building permit application from City Hall and have the project approved at a Council meeting **BEFORE** you start construction of a new building, shed, fence or deck! Council meets once a month, plan ahead.

**Otherwise you could be charged with "After-the-Fact" charges (in addition to normal application fee) \$500 or 2x the application fee (whichever is greater)

- ◆ **Gopher State One Call:** Just a reminder to call 811 **BEFORE** you dig!! Stump removal is in this category as well. You can also call 1-800-252-1166. You don't want to pay to repair something you hit while digging! It's the law! **Reminder your contractors also, they know it's the law.**

- ◆ **Sump Pumps:** You **MUST** drain your sump pumps outside, **NOT** down the sanitary sewer system.

- ◆ Water/sewer/stormwater payments are due by the 25th of each month to avoid a late fee

- ◆ All dogs are to be licensed yearly with the City of Garfield

- ◆ City Council meets the 2nd Monday of the month at 6pm

- ◆ **No** flushing of rags, wipes, paper towels, or any "non-flushable".



**Keep Grass
OUT of the Streets**

Haul it away or mulch it instead.

Grass clippings clog storm sewers, and create hazardous driving conditions for Motorcycles. Take pride in clean streets and yards.