

City of Lawton

January, 2020

712-944-5960

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Water meter readings are taken around the 20th day of each month.
Invoices for water, sewer, garbage and landfill are sent on the 1st of each month.

These invoices are delinquent if not paid by the 20th of that same month.
A \$25.00 Late Fee will be assessed on all delinquent accounts.

The star indicates
"Recycle Day" (Use Gray/
Pink carts, or small
green tubs only) ★



January 2020

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

			1 New Years Day City Hall Closed	2 City Council Meeting 6:15 p.m. GARBAGE	3	4
5	6	7	8 Community Coffee 9:30- 11 a.m. Friendship Center	9 GARBAGE	10	11
12	13	14★	15	16 GARBAGE	17	18
19	20 WATER BILLS DUE	21	22 Community Coffee 9:30- 11 a.m. Friendship Center	23 GARBAGE	24	25
26	27	28★	29	30 GARBAGE	31	

CHRISTMAS LIGHTING CONTEST WHAT BEAUTIFUL LIGHTS — THANK YOU TO ALL

1st Place Tony & Ashley Orzechowski — 501 E. Oak St.

3rd Place Ashley Eberly — 114 E. Main St.

2nd Place Jamie Melton — 99 Pine St.

4th Place — John & Dena Neiman — 301 West Creek Dr.

Best Meaning of Christmas Display: Louie Sager — 319 E. Oak St

Thank you to everyone—our town looked great!!!

Thanks to Dakota Sanitation for being our sponsor this year.

Check out our Website

Ever wonder how you find out what's going on in Lawton — well check out our website. It contains information about businesses in town, when City Hall is open, copies of Council meeting minutes, copies of our newsletters, and this month pictures of the winners from the Christmas Lighting Contest. Check it out and if there is something you would like to see on there, let us know and we'll see what we can do. The site is:
Lawtoniowa.com.

CENSUS 2020 IS COMING SOON


Census 2020 takes place on April 1, 2020. It will only take 3-5 minutes to complete and has a financial affect on the City, School, and County as well as helping to determine the number of people we have representing us at the federal and state levels. Lets make sure **LAWTON COUNTS** this April.

Removal of snow, ice, and accumulations.


The abutting property owners shall remove snow, ice, and accumulations promptly from sidewalks. If a property owner does not remove snow, ice, or accumulations within 24 hours, the City may do so and assess the costs against the property owner for collection in the same manner as a property tax. The abutting property owner may be liable for damages caused by failure to remove snow, ice, and accumulations promptly from the sidewalk. (*Code of Iowa, Sec 364.12[2b & e]*)

Community Coffee

It's a fun event and an opportunity for all Lawton area residents to gather with friends, neighbors and meet others who will soon be friends. They meet at the Friendship Center from 9:30-11:00 on alternating Wednesdays. This months coffee dates are January 8th and 22nd. Coffees are hosted by volunteers who have signed up. They invite you to join them. If you have questions call 712-944-4942




Live Christmas Trees can be disposed of by taking them to the tree disposal pile by the City Maintenance Shed, or by setting them out at the curb before January 7th for our Public Works department to pick up. Please remove all decorations. Trees will not be picked up curbside after that date.



UPDATE PHONE # AND EMAILS

Just a reminder—update your phone number and email address with City Hall anytime there is a change. We have times we need to contact you and without updated numbers or addresses it is difficult for us to contact you.



SNOW EMERGENCY PARKING

No person shall park, abandon, or leave unattended any vehicle on any public street, alley, or City-owned off-street parking area during any snow emergency unless the snow has been removed or plowed from said street, alley, or parking area and the snow has ceased to fall.. When sufficient accumulation of snow exists, whether caused by direct accumulation or drifting the Mayor shall issue a snow emergency declaration. It shall be conclusively presumed that any snowfall of two or more inches, as officially measured at Sioux City, Iowa, creates a snow emergency. Vehicles left unattended on un-cleared portions of the street may be fined \$50 and require such vehicle be moved. City Code Chapter 69.10.