

## CITY OF CASEVILLE

Quarterly Newsletter - April 2017

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THINK SPRING!!

Office Hours M-F 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Closed Holidays

The City is now handling all building, plumbing & electrical permits. Call (989) 856-2102 for details. The Citizens guide to the City's finances is available on our website at [www.cityofcaseville.com](http://www.cityofcaseville.com). Please also check our website and Facebook for other important updates!

UTILITY BILL DATES: CALL FOR e-BILLING and e-PAYMENTS

April 1 – 25, 2017 Utility Bills are due, Payable to City of Caseville  
April 26, 2017 Second Notices w/ 1.5% penalty added  
May 25, 2017 2nd half of half pays due, 1.5% penalty added May 26, 2017. June 12, 2017 Shut-Off Notices w/ 25.00 fee & 1.5% penalty  
Caseville County Ribstock June 23rd through the 25th, 2017

MAYOR: Patricia Des Jardins

COUNCIL: Debra Estep, Jerald Ignash, Todd Talaski, Michelle Beltz, Clint Braun & Darin Sprague

CITY OFFICIALS: Clerk Jamie Learman, Assessor James Brennan, Police Chief Kyle Romzek, DPW Sup't Troy Hartz,

Zoning Adm./Building Inspector Terry Kelly, Plumbing Inspector Jeff Rowe, Electrical Inspector Ray Heins & Treasurer Laura Horkey  
The City Council meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:30p.m. at the City Hall.

HOLIDAYS: We are closing at Noon on April 14<sup>th</sup> and all day on May 29, 2017.

### ELECTION

ELECTION – So far for this year we only have an election scheduled for the City General Election on November 7, 2017. On the City ballot will be the Mayor position and three Council Member seats. If you are interested in running for City Council contact the office at (989) 856-2102. Absent Voter Ballots are available by mail for each election.

PERMANENT ABSENT VOTER LIST: Notify the office in writing to be on the permanent Absent Voter List. Include your name, registered address and mailing address. For those who use a PO Box, please include that information in your request. Please remember to give us your current address if you plan to be vacationing out of town. Ballots are often not received in time, when using a forwarding address.

### Trash, Brush & Spring Clean Up

BRUSH PICK-UP: 1st Wednesday of each month April thru November  
Light yard work & trimming. Set branches out with cut end to the curb. Call 856-4407 with questions.

LEAF COLLECTION: April & May. The DPW will collect each week as needed. A final sweep will be done following the Memorial Day Weekend.

GRASS AND WEEDS MAINTENANCE: Please cut the lawn or make arrangements to do it. If the City mows, the bill begins at \$200 per hour. Support a local business instead.

Trash Collection: The City's collection day is **MONDAY**.

Emterra does not collect on Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day. When holiday is on Monday, collection is the next day.

Contact Emterra to schedule pick up of large items 1-877-609-6753  
City Residents can drop off up to 1 yard of trash per month at the landfill for free. The landfill is located on McMillan Road. between W. McTaggart and W. Atwater Roads, Bad Axe.

Summer Taxes: Summer taxes will be mailed out July 1 and are due by September 14<sup>th</sup>. Mortgage escrow companies will also receive a copy of your tax bill, if they have requested it from us. Confirm with your mortgage company that they are paying this bill for you!  
Water turn off: When leaving for an extended amount of time, it is recommended to have the DPW off your water. The City DPW will turn your water off and on for free during normal work days from 7a to 3p. (Someone has to be present for turn on) If your water lines break you will be responsible for the lost water. Call the water plant to arrange turn off and on at (989) 856-4407.

PERMITS: 856-2102 for the following: Home Improvements & Building Permits are handled by our Zoning Administrator/Building Inspector, Terry Kelly. Raymond Heins handles electrical inspections & Jeff Rowe handles plumbing inspections. Garage Sales City Office. Up to 5/year; Cost: no charge for 1st permit; \$2.00 per additional permit. Outside Assembly, Entertainment & Vendor Permits Chief Romzek at 856-3304.

### Utility Bills (Contact us to set up email billing and online auto payments)

Pay ½ or more of the Utility Bill by April 25th and the rest by May 25th without late fees. Pay the "amount due" on the bottom of the first sheet of the bill, that is the total owed. If you used water, but you're NOT billed for consumption, call the Water Plant to have your meter checked. If you wait you will have to pay for the consumption all at once when an actual reading is obtained. **WE NEED YOUR PHONE NUMBER!** This helps us to contact you for emergencies (water leaks, frozen pipes, etc.)

REPORT WATER LEAKS - IF YOU SEE OR HEAR WATER running in a building or see standing water on a lot where it usually does not pool, PLEASE CALL THE WATER DEPT 856-4407.

**DROP BOXES** have been installed by the front and rear doors to City Hall. No cash please!

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