

Municipal Primary Election on March 7

The primary election for City Council seats is the first Tuesday in March with a general election for any runoff races on the first Tuesday in April (April 4). Candidates include: Ward 1 - Bob Carter, Barry Curl (incumbent), and Stan Street; Ward 2 - Nancy Olson (incumbent) and Garry Stephens for the two-year term and Stewart Shapiro (incumbent) and John Webster for the one-year term; Ward 3 - Jimmy Bullen, Walter Johnson, Leslie Owens (incumbent); and Ward 4 - Mike Gossman and Bob Wehba (incumbent). See Ward Map on the reverse side and take with you to your polling place. Also on the March 7 ballot is a proposition to change to the City Charter, extending terms of city council and the mayor from two-year to four-year terms.

Be Wary of Door-to-Door Requests for Donations

The police department has learned of a door-to-door solicitor claiming to collect donations on behalf of the Police Department. THIS IS NOT A PERSON REPRESENTING THE CITY so beware and please immediately report any suspicious activity to the police department.

**Detective Beth Green**

Det. Green is the first female detective in the Warr Acres police department and is primarily responsible for investigating property crimes. She is the department's crime scene investigator, is one of the crisis negotiators for the SWAT team and is on the crisis intervention team (for citizens with mental health issues).

Det. Green has been a Warr Acres police officer for five years, plus she served as an Explorer Scout with the department for nearly four years.

Dumpster Days Continue

By popular demand, the Sanitation Department is continuing its big trash drop off service at the Public Works service area at 6045 NW 50 St. Arrive early on the first Saturday of the month where employees will accept oversized items from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. or until all the dumpsters are filled to capacity. Residents must bring photo identification and their Warr Acres utility bill. Certain items are prohibited including refrigerators (with Freon chlorofluorocarbons), oil, batteries, tires or paint. Call the sanitation department with questions, 491-6474.

Burn Ban Continues

Fire Chief Rob Carter reminds residents that a burn ban is still in effect. When in doubt, don't burn. Simply use caution and common sense. WARNING: People who violate the burn ban may face criminal prosecution and be liable for damages caused to others' property as a result of a fire.

Sign up for City Info by Email

The City is "going high-tech" compiling a list of emails from residents who wish to receive information about City happenings by email. The list will be maintained on a secure site and email addresses will not be disclosed to external entities. To participate, email Andrea Hennessee at inspections@warracres-ok.gov.

Helpful Contacts**City Hall**

phone: 789-2892, fax: 787-5432

Police Department

9-1-1 or 789-0282

Fire Department

9-1-1 or 789-5912

Community Center, 789-9892

4301 Ann Arbor Ave.

Legal Division, 848-9396**Municipal Court, 495-3032****Animal Control**

6045 NW 50 St.
789-9025 or 789-0282

Inspections, 789-2892**Putnam City Schools, 495-5200****Sanitation Department, 491-6474****Sewer Department, 491-6478****Street & Parks, 787-1404****Storm Shelters**

NW 67 & Cherokee
NW 40 btwn MacArthur & Hammond
City Hall, 5930 NW 49

City Council**Mayor**

Marietta Tardibono

Ward 1

Barry Curl
Jeff Martinez

Ward 3

Jimmy Alexander
Leslie Owens

Ward 2

Nancy Olson
Stewart Shapiro

Ward 4

Bob Wehba
Rodney Nelson