



NEWS FOR THE CITIZENS OF WARR ACRES

DECEMBER, 2013



Helpful Phone Numbers

City Hall	789-2892
Fax	787-5432
Police Department	789-3329
Fire Department	789-5912
Animal Control	789-9025
Municipal Court	495-3032
Inspections & Permits	789-2892
Sanitation Department	491-6474
Streets & Parks	787-1404
Sewer Department	491-6478
Community Center	789-9892
Putnam City Schools	495-5200

END OF THE YEAR DATES CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED:



CHRISTMAS	Tuesday	December 24, 2013
CHRISTMAS	Wednesday	December 25, 2013
NEW YEAR'S DAY	Wednesday	January 1, 2014

Remember, NO trash will be picked up on the days City Hall will be closed.

RECYCLE HOLIDAY SCHEDULE REMINDER

Whenever the scheduled recycle date falls within a holiday weekend, recycling will always be rescheduled to the following weekend. Please do not bring any items for recycling either before or after the times we are open, all items left any day prior to after will be placed in trash bins.

NOTICE OF CITY HOLIDAYS FOR 2014

Any week that has a holiday in it the Sanitation Department will not pick up garbage on the holiday, however, there will be CURBSIDE pickup on the WEDNESDAY of the holiday week for anyone whose regular day will not be picked up that week.

HOLIDAY	DATE CLOSED
New Year's Day	Wednesday, January 1
President's Day	Monday, February 17
Good Friday	Friday, April 18
Memorial Day	Monday, May 26
Independence Day	Friday, July 4
Labor Day	Monday, September 1
Veteran's Day	Tuesday, November 11
Thanksgiving	Thursday, November 27
Thanksgiving	Friday, November 28
Christmas	Wednesday, December 24
Christmas	Thursday, December 25

City Council Members

Mayor

Patrick Woolley 409-4944

Ward 1

Cathy Maxey
722-1045

Ward 3

Roger Godwin
473-2881

James Mickley
721-7959

Bill McClure
787-5374

Ward 2

Stephen Fuhrman
537-5415

Ward 4

Stewart Shapiro
721-8230

Donnie Ryan
831-6483

Storm Shelters

Storm shelters are available at the following locations for citizens who are away from home when severe weather threatens the City of Warr Acres.

Cherokee Hills Park

NW 67th & Cherokee

Grandma Lily's Park

NW 40th West of MacArthur

City Hall

5930 NW 49th

Recycling

Recycling dumpsters are available at Dorothy Cavener Park, in the area of NW 52nd and Hammond Avenue on the first Saturday (9-3) and Sunday (1-3) of each month. Recycling includes plastic, glass, aluminum and tin cans. Closed during inclement weather.



DEAR WARR ACRES BUSINESS OWNER OR MANAGER:

-It is time for your annual Fire/Safety Inspection. In 2014, a Fire Company will be visiting your establishment to complete a Business Safety Survey. Not only is this inspection beneficial to your company and employees, but it also ensures the safety of your customers. Moreover, this visit allows your Fire Department to

become familiar with specific locations or conditions of hazards that might be encountered during an emergency situation.



We will be assessing items including: fire lanes, visible street addresses, clear exit pathways, proper emergency lighting, electrical panels, storage of flammable liquids or hazardous materials, extension cord usage, and annual inspection tags on fire extinguishers, automatic fire sprinklers and hood systems.

We look forward to meeting with you and helping you to provide a safe and comfortable environment for your employees and customers. If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Warr Acres Fire Department (405) 789-5912.

JANUARY IS BIG TRASH PICKUP MONTH

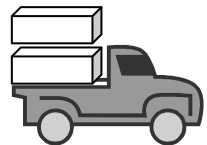
- Ward 1 Wednesday January 8, 2014
- Ward 2 Wednesday January 15, 2014
- Ward 3 Wednesday January 22, 2014
- Ward 4 Wednesday January 29, 2014

Big Trash **INCLUDES**, but is not limited to: household appliances, furniture, carpet, mattresses, box springs, water tanks, fencing and similar non-contracted items, bagged grass, and brush produced as refuse from single-family dwellings. Compressors must be removed from all appliances **BEFORE** collection may be completed. Doors on refrigerators and other bulky items **MUST** be removed before placement on curb.

Items **EXCLUDED** under the definition of big trash include hospital and medical waste, poisons, acids and caustics, explosives, dirt and rocks, sewage and liquid waste, nuclear materials, gasoline, kerosene, propane tanks, degreasers, lubricants, tires and rims, antifreeze, paint, and commercial construction debris, bricks or concrete. Call sanitation at 491-6474 if you have any questions.

SIZE OF MATERIAL: Big trash shall be a length not exceeding 10 feet or a weight exceeding 250 pounds. Tree trimmings and branches must be placed together in piles with individual branches not longer than 8 feet and dead trees (not more than 6 inches in diameter).

The **TOTAL** amount allowed at the curb is 8 cubic yards (equal to what you can place in the back of 2 full size pickup beds level with the top of the cab).



to those volunteers who made our Christmas tree lighting ceremony on November 30th a success!! Thank you also to the **Putnam City High School Choral Group** who provided some beautiful music for the occasion. The hot cider, cookies and music were enjoyed by all who attended!

SANITATION DEPARTMENT – ICE AND SNOW

The sanitation department has always attempted to provide garbage service throughout the city regardless of the weather. When the city experiences ice storms, we must alter the way we gather the garbage for the safety of our workers. For the safety of our citizens, it is suggested that they hold their trash until the next scheduled pick up day.

When there is **ICE on the ground**, garbage “will not be picked up.” When there is **SNOW on the ground**, garbage “will be picked up Curbside only.”