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NEWS FOR THE CITIZENS OF WARR ACRES

MAY, 2021

CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED THE FOLLOWING DATE:



Monday, May 31, 2021 – Memorial Day

Remember, NO trash will be picked up on the days City Hall will be closed. For those whose normal trash day will be missed - there will be **CURBSIDE ONLY** pickups on:

Wednesday, June 2, 2021

Please remember to bring your trash to the curb or it will not be picked up.

NO WINTER THREE-MONTH AVERAGE USAGE THIS YEAR

Every year the City of Warr Acres recalculates the next year's sewer rates. This is based on a report from the Oklahoma City or Bethany Water Departments, listing a three-month average from December, January & February consumption of water usage for each residential property. **This year the Warr Acres City Council voted to keep your sewer rates the same as last year.** With the extreme cold and everyone dripping or streaming water, we felt this would be unfair year to adjust your rates.

E-PAY: PAY YOUR BILL ON THE WEBSITE

The City of Warr Acres offers E-Pay as a utility payment option.

You will need to enter a 5-digit **PIN NUMBER** when registering. This PIN NUMBER is located **ON YOUR UTILITY BILL** on the **top left**. To sign up, please go to our website: www.warracres-ok.gov and follow the instructions. You will no longer receive a paper utility bill and you will be charged a convenience fee that goes to the payment processing service. If you would still like to receive a paper bill, and you would like your utility payment drafted directly out of your account, you may sign up for direct billing authorization. The form to sign up is available in City Hall, please note that the direct billing authorization process takes up to two billing cycles before it kicks in.

Attention!!! For those who pay their utility bill through **their bank** with **ONLINE BILL PAY - REMEMBER** to change the mailing address for the City of Warr Acres. The post office will only continue to forward mail for a short period of time before they start returning mail to sender. This delay may make your payment late. This does **NOT** affect customers who set up auto withdrawal (ACH) through Warr Acres.

Also, please make sure the correct account number is referenced on the check.

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
Putnam City Schools	495-5200

City Council Members

Mayor

Jim Mickley 409-4944

Ward 1

Jim Von Thaar
615-7966

Ward 3

Roger Godwin
464-0411

Pat Woolley
740-7357

John Knipp
789-4690

Ward 2

Kim Allsup
205-0829

Ward 4

William Tucker
613-2723

Jon Evans
520-5820

Donnie Ryan
831-6483

Facebook Pages

- Police Department:
<https://www.facebook.com/WarrAcresPolice/>
- City Hall:
<https://www.facebook.com/WarrAcresCityHall/>
- Fire Department:
<https://www.facebook.com/Warr-Acres-Fire-Department-123632811077770/>

Recycling

Recycling dumpsters are available at Dorothy Cavener Park, in the area of NW 52nd and Hammond Avenue. **Effective May 1st the new schedule for the Recycle center will be Saturdays only from 8:30am until 11:30am.** The Recycle Center is not open in January nor July due to the weather. Recycling includes plastic, glass, aluminum and tin cans. Closed during inclement weather. Warr Acres Recycle Committee 720-2949. **If you want to volunteer to cover two hours on Sunday, once a month we are currently accepting applications for volunteers.**

BULK TRASH DAY INFORMATION



The City of Warr Acres has bulk trash pickup every three (3) months; the next bulk trash day will take place in July. Your bulk trash day will be listed on your Warr Acres utility bill, the newsletter and on the city's Facebook page. You are permitted to put your bulk trash items out three (3) days prior to your big trash day. **If you place big trash items on the curb PRIOR to your specific big trash day, sanitation will pick it up and you will be charged EXTRA on your bill.** There is a limit to how much big trash you can put out, and if you exceed this amount, you will be charged extra on your utility bill. The amount you can put out is eight (8) cubic yards,

which is equal to what one can place in the back of 2 full size pickup beds. A base flat fee of thirty-five (35.00) dollars shall be made for the removal of the material up to and including the first cubic yard. Additional material may be included and removed at a charge of fifteen (15) dollars per cubic yard up to a maximum of forty 40 cubic yards (Ord. 1124, 2012)

ASK TO SEE ID WHEN SOMEONE COMES TO YOUR DOOR

claiming to be a representative of a utility company or repair service:

- 1) **DO NOT** volunteer any information about how many people are in the house. If they are there to burglarize, they will want to find out if you are the only one at home.
- 2) **ALWAYS** ask to see a badge. **ALL** OG&E employees have one. Contractors will not, but **ALWAYS** CALL OG&E at (405) 272-9741 to verify if they were sent by the utility company.
- 3) If you're truly uncomfortable, call the police at (405) 789-3329.



FREE OR LOW COST SPAY/NEUTER CLINICS

A compassionate society knows there is a better way to solve overpopulation than needlessly euthanizing unwanted animals. Below is list of low cost spay and neuter clinics. If you need specific information regarding a particular spay and neuter clinic, you'll need to contact them directly. Please call and make an appointment for your furry friend today.

Central OK Humane Society [405-947-7729](tel:405-947-7729)

Animal Wellness of OKC [405-896-2120](tel:405-896-2120)

Spay Way [405-414-8142](tel:405-414-8142)

Animal Birth Control Clinic [405-625-6574](tel:405-625-6574)

GRASS



According to City Ordinance, grass needs to be cut before it reaches 12 inches in height. If your grass is 12 inches or more in height, you are in violation of City Ordinance and may be subjected to corrective action or a fine. If you have a code violation to report, please report it to City Hall and it will be turned over to Code Enforcement.

Looking for a Job?



**American Legion
Post 12 is hosting
a job fair on
May 26th from
8 am to 4 pm.**

Contact: Robert Haugh, Commander
for more information.

918-557-4515

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