CITY OF CASEVILLE

Quarterly Newsletter - April 2018 <u>LIKE US</u> ON FACEBOOK 6767 MAIN ST. CASEVILLE, MI. 48725 (989) 856-2102 <u>www.cityofcaseville.com</u> FAX (989) 856-3580

THINK SPRING!!

Office Hours M-F 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Closed Holidays The City is now handling all building, plumbing, mechanical & electrical permits. Call (989) 856-2102 for details. The Citizens guide to the City's finances is available on our website at <u>www.cityofcaseville.com</u>. Please also check our website and Facebook for other important updates!

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

April 1 – 25, 2018 Utility Bills are due, Payable to City of Caseville April 26, 2018 Second Notices w/ 1.5% penalty added May 25, 2018 2nd half of half pays due, 1.5% penalty added May 29, 2018. June 11, 2018 Shut-Off Notices w/ 25.00 fee & 1.5% penalty Caseville County Ribstock June 22nd through the 24th, 2018

MAYOR: Patricia Des Jardins

COUNCIL: Kenneth Rathje, 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, Mechanical Inspector Robert Neymeiyer, Electrical Inspector Dave Krebs & Treasurer Laura Horkey

The City Council meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month **at a new time of 5:30p.m**. at the City Hall. **HOLIDAYS:** We are closed on May 28, 2018.

ELECTIONS

<u>ELECTIONS</u> – A special election on May 8, 2018 will be held for the Caseville School, the County roads and the County Medical Care Facility. Absent Voter Ballots are available by mail for each election. We will also have elections on August 7, 2018 and November 6, 2018.

<u>PERMANENT ABSENT VOTER LIST</u>: 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	 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 Iandfill for free. The landfill is located on McMillan Road. between W.
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.	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 14th. Mortgage escrow companies will also receive a copy of your tax bill, if they have requested it from us. Confirm with your <u>mortgage company</u> that they are paying this bill for you! Breakwall project: If you've been down to the Breakwall you've seen we are in the beginning stages of improvements to that area. We are putting in seawall, concrete fishing access along the seawall, handicap accessible canoe/kayak launch, lighting and paving the parking lot. The area down there should look really nice when we finish. This is made possible by a \$296,000 grant that we received from the DNR and a \$35,000 grant from the Saginaw Bay WIN group. We are working on a grant for the restrooms next! PERMITS: 856-2102 for the following: Home Improvements & Building Permits are handled by our Zoning Administrator/Building Inspector, Terry Kelly. Dave Krebs handles electrical inspections, Robert Neymeiyer handles mechanical 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 information on how to pay your account online)

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, <u>PLEASE CALL THE WATER DEPT</u> 856-4407.

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

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