

# CITY OF CASEVILLE

Quarterly Newsletter - April 2015

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COMING EVENTS: Call the CHAMBER for more (989) 856-3818

MEMORIAL DAY: MAY 25TH

RIBSTOCK: JUNE 26-28, 2015

FIREWORKS: JULY 3rd on the beach (Rain date: July 5th)

CHEESEBURGER: AUGUST 14 – 23, 2015 (Parade August 19th)

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

April 1 – 25, 2015 Utility Bills are due, Payable to City of Caseville

April 28, 2015 Second Notices w/ 1.5% penalty added

May 25, 2015 2nd half of half pays due, 1.5% penalty added after

June 10, 2015 Shut-Off Notices w/ 25.00 fee & 1.5% penalty

MAYOR: Patricia Des Jardins

COUNCIL: Debra Estep, Wayne Hazzard, Jerald Ignash, Nancy Moss, Kenneth Rathje & Todd Talaski

CITY OFFICIALS: Clerk Jamie Learman, Assessor James Brennan, Police Chief Kyle Romzek, DPW Sup't David Quinn, Zoning Adm. Terry Kelly & Treasurer Jacqueline Finneren

The City Council meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:30p.m. at the City Hall.

OFFICE CLOSINGS: The Clerk's Office will be closed on Good Friday (4/3) and Memorial Day (5/25).

## ELECTIONS

STATE ELECTION – MAY 5, 2015. Ballot question requesting a sales tax increase from 6% to 7% for roads.

CITY ELECTION - NOVEMBER 3, 2015. On the ballot is the Mayor (2-year term) and three Council (4-year term) seats.

Candidates may file for office by circulating Nominating Petitions for the office sought. Petitions are available in the Clerk's office.

Petition deadline is July 21, 2015.

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.

## Trash, Brush & Spring Clean Up

Call Emterra to schedule large items. 1-877-609-6753

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 \$150 per hour. Support a local business instead.

TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE:

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 for scheduling 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

RESERVE A PAVILION for special events. The CITY has 3 pavilions:

DiVincentis Park (Water Tower), Memorial Park on Main Street, and Point Park by the Breakwall.

PARK RESERVATION FEE is \$50 (city resident) and \$75 (non-resident). The fee includes a refundable deposit of \$25 which may be returned after a site inspection by the DPW.

PERMITS: Here's a list of who to see for what permit: When in doubt, ask. Home Improvements are handled by our Zoning Administrator, Terry Kelly 856-2102. He reviews all Interior and exterior work; Site Plan Reviews and Zoning Variances.

Garage Sales City Office 856-2012. Up to 5/year; Cost: no charge for 1st permit; \$2.00 per additional permit.

Porta-Johns City Office, No Charge. 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 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.

Water, Sewer, Sewer OM&R (Operation Maintenance & Repair) & Garbage all have been increase \$1 per quarter on the base rates. This will amount to a \$4 per quarter (\$12 per year) increase on the total bill. This will be reflected on your July 1st Utility Bills.

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

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