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The Story of the Cracked Pot

Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves.

~ Philippians 2:3

An elderly Chinese woman had two large pots, each hung on the ends of a pole which she carried across her neck. One of the pots had a crack in it while the other pot was perfect and always delivered a full portion of water. At the end of the long walks from the stream to the house, the cracked pot arrived only half full.

For a full two years this went on daily, with the woman bringing home only one and a half pots of water. Of course, the perfect pot was proud of its accomplishments. But the poor cracked pot was ashamed of its own imperfection, and miserable that it could only do half of what it had been made to do.

After two years of what it perceived to be bitter failure, it spoke to the woman one day by the stream. “I am ashamed of myself, because this crack in my side causes water to leak out all the way back to your house”

The old woman smiled, “Did you notice that there are flowers on your side of the path, but not on the other pot’s side?” That’s because I have always known about your flaw, so I planted flower seeds on your side of the path, and every day while we walk back, you water them.”

For two years I have been able to pick these beautiful flowers to decorate the table. Without you being just the way you are, there would not be this beauty to grace this house.”

~Author Unknown (retrieved from creativebiblestudy.com)



Steamboat Rock Fire Department

SUMMER?!

It doesn’t seem like the seventh month of the year already. That means short months and Christmas will be here. LOL!!

According to the calendar, summertime really has just begun. Remember that if you are doing work outside, please stay hydrated! One can become overheated very quickly take breaks regularly to make sure you are not overworking yourself. Even though you may not feel thirsty, drink some fluids.

If you have pets outdoors, they too will need plenty of water available. Farm animals need to have an eye kept on them when the temperature creeps up.

This is also the season that many unfortunate mishaps occur in vehicles. It doesn’t take long for the inside of a vehicle to become deadly. If you should take your pet for a ride, roll down the windows or leave your vehicle on with A/C. just cracking the windows isn’t enough.

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Miscellaneous News

BINGO – NEEDING somebody to volunteer to run this!!

Normally was held at the Community Center beginning at 6:00pm in the City Hall twice a month. This helps keep the Friendly Valley Times going. If interested in helping, please contact Renee at the City Hall.

Friendly Valley Times – Would you like your Friendly Valley Times

Emailed to you? Please send your email address to sign up to srcityhall@heartofiowa.net ; subject: FVT.Let's Save A Tree

OR go to the city website – www.steamboatrockiowa.net and sign up there at the bottom of the Home page.

From Carol – “Sorry I’m not up to myself yet....Enjoy the newsletter, the girls are doing a beautiful job getting it in the mail. ~Thanks, Carol



STEAMBOAT ROCK COMMUNITY RESOURCES

City of Steamboat Rock

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641-868-2240

srcityhall@heartofiowa.net

Steamboat Rock Baptist Church

107 2nd St.
Steamboat Rock, IA 50672
641-868-2458

church@steamboatbaptist.org

Steamboat Rock Cemetery

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Steamboat Rock, IA 50672
641-751-5096

50672cemetery@gmail.com

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641-858-6085

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Steamboat Rock, IA 50672
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Steamboat Rock Public Library

511 W. Market St.
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Steamboat Rock Visionary Group

PO Box 185
Steamboat Rock, IA 50672
641-868-2182

bhutchcroft@hotmail.com

THE GUEST HOUSE

Enjoy your stay!

Steamboat Rock now has a vacation home for rent.

Come enjoy the comforts of our home in this newly remodeled 2200 square foot home featuring 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, living room, family room, bonus game room, fully equipped kitchen, back deck, fire pit and more. We have 1 bedroom with a King size bed, 2 bedrooms with queen and a bedroom with adult size full over full sized bunk beds with an additional twin trundle; along with 2 living areas our home sleeps 14 comfortably.

Being a family with handicap needs ourselves we renovated with our front entrance, King bedroom, full bathroom, dining area and walk out deck all to be accessible. Our front ramp is well lit and built to ADA standards.

Our home has three large smart TVs and Wi-Fi for all your favorites as well as foosball, game table, darts and more in our bonus game room. Our walk out deck backs up-to beautiful green views and plenty of visiting deer throughout the changing seasons.

Consider us as an extension of your own home for holidays, weddings, reunions, graduations, and all your favorite occasions.

We are currently booking through VRBO, Airbnb, Travelocity, Expedia, Bookings.com and hotels.com.

The Guesthouse 202 East Market Street Steamboat Rock, IA 50672
Johnnie Ogden 641-640-5425



Summer?!

A helpful reminder would be to place your workbag/purse/briefcase in the rear on the same side of the carrier. This would allow a check in case they may have fallen asleep.

I would like to congratulate Kenny Primus as he was the winner of the TV drawing. We didn't forget as we sent out the mailing later than normal and wanted to make sure that all had a chance.

From the mailings and the breakfast, we took in roughly \$10,000. With this money, we are updating and replacing some necessary equipment. We have purchased traffic safety vests, traffic light wands, and traffic cones. Another purchase was an O2 sensor that will be on the first responder bag. This machine will alert individuals if the level of oxygen is not where it is supposed to be. It will be turned on and be on for two years and at that time, it will be discarded, and another will be purchased. We have replaced some hoses that didn't pass our pressure check last fall. Gaskets of all sizes were ordered to replace those that over the years have dried/cracked or broke for all diameters of hoses.

Maintenance Tip:

- Check all AC filters
- Blow all dead grass off your mower to help prevent a small engine fire.

Stay Cool and Hydrated, Scott - Chief SRFD

Pastor Lynn Arends, Steamboat Rock Presbyterian Church and East Friesland Presbyterian Church

A young guy and an elderly gentleman were paired together for a round of golf one day. All went well until, on the 9th hole, the young guy found his ball behind a very tall, very large pine tree. There was no getting around it and the young man stood back and pondered his next shot. The old fellow stood by the young man, looked at the ball, then the tree and said, "Ya know, when I was your age, I'd hit that ball as hard as I could and go right over that tree." And he walked back to the cart. Well, this was a challenge the young man wasn't going to let pass. He addressed the ball, hit it as hard he could and watched as his ball hit squarely in the middle of the tree trunk and shot backward down the fairway, right into the bunker about 30 yards away. The old man looked at him and said, "Course, when I was your age that pine tree was only 3 feet tall."



Things change as we get older, don't they? When we're young we can't wait to get older and before we know it, we're heading toward retirement. And while our society tells us that we need to do whatever we can to postpone our aging, getting older isn't really all that bad.

The Apostle Paul tells us in 2 Corinthians 4:16, "We do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day." There certainly is a "wasting away" as Paul puts it. We find that out when we learn that our get up and go got up and went! It happens. It's called aging and we deal with it.

But it's easier to deal with if at the same time our bodies are "wasting away", our spiritual life is being "renewed day by day". And despite all the obstacles, a spiritual growth is certainly possible as we age. A Gallup poll has shown that three-fourths of Americans over the age of 65 consider religion to be very important. A study by the journal, *The Gerontologist*, found that people tend to pray more as they age; nearly 75% of the study's oldest responders prayed at least once a day. And over 50% of all Americans over 65 read the Bible at least weekly, compared to 27% of people between the ages of 18 and 29.

So, while the downside is that our bodies may grow weaker, the upside is that our spirits, our faith can and often does get stronger. And in those days when the downside takes over (and it will!) our hope, our confidence, our assurance comes from the belief that to be absent from our bodies is to be with our Lord.

Paul knew this well. In Philippians 1:23 he says, "But if I go on living in the body, this will mean fruitful labor for me. So, what shall I choose? I do not know. I am torn between the two. I desire to depart and be with Christ, which is far better indeed."

In the meantime, we live in our bodies, encouraging others; living as examples to those around us; showing others the fruits of the Spirit. When we do this, we will continue to be renewed inwardly day by day. We grow in our faith and our relationship with God grows stronger and stronger until that day when we will finally meet our Lord face to face. What a day that will be! To hear Him say, "Well done, my good and faithful servant... Enter into the joy of your master."

Steamboat Rock Public Library

We had a difficult June with the resignation of Vickie Hutchcroft from the library board where she had served these past years as president. Vickie was always a good sounding board when questions or situations came up from either me or Dar. She supported the staff and always asked how she could help. And you didn't just get Vickie but also Bob (her husband) who is like the energizer bunny working tirelessly with so many different organizations in the area. They both will be missed but know they are enjoying grandbabies.

On that note we need another person to serve on our library board. Per the Library ordinance with the city this one position requires that you live outside of Steamboat Rock proper. If you would like to serve your local community in this manner, please contact Joan Schuller at schuller.joan@gmail.com or call the library at 641-868-2300 to leave your name and contact information. We meet once a month on the 2nd Monday usually for an hour max. You will have a bit of training to do for the state library, but it isn't strenuous or very long.

The Friends of the Library have ordered the new front door for the library, but we have no idea how long delivery will take. The community and surrounding area were amazing with their donations to get this project completed. Thank you to all. We also ordered a pergola cover which has been delivered but won't go up until after summer reading has ended.

Remember we are a non-profit organization so any donation you give can be used as a tax write-off. Thanks to all for your assistance in any way.

511 W. Market St; Steamboat Rock Phone/Fax: 641-868-2300
www.youseemore.com/nile/steamboatrock or on Facebook @SteamboatRockLibrary



Hours are as Follows

Tuesday 1:00-6:00 PM
Wednesday 2:00-5:00 PM
Thursday-Friday 12:00-4:00 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

New to the Library

Adult Fiction

The Guilty Couple
by C.L. Taylor
Suspects by Danielle Steel
The Great Man Theory
by Teddy Wayne
The Displacements
by Bruce Holsinger
The 6:20 Man
by David Baldacci

Mystery

Look Closer by David Ellis
The Finalists by David Bell
The Hidden One
by Linda Castillo
Holy Chow by David Rosenfelt

Romance

Beach House Summer
by Sarah Morgan
The Boardwalk Bookshop
by Susan Mallery
Meant to Be by Emily Giffin
The Wedding Dress Sewing Circle by Jennifer Ryan

Children's Non-Fiction

100 Easy Steam Activities
by Andrea Scalzo Yi
Logic Puzzles for Clever Kids
by Molly Lynchg
Real Chemistry Experiments
by Edward P. Zovinka
Awesome Physics Experiments for Kids by Erica L. Colon
Awesome Science Experiments for Kids by Crystal Chatterton

Children's Fiction

Llama, Llama, Back to School
by Anna DewdneyI
It's A Sign by Jarrett Pumphrey

Steamboat Rock Historical Society

President: Jim Kramer **Vice President:** Dennis Holmes **Secretary:** Janet Folkerts
Treasurer: Kitty Hemmen **At Large:** Keith Griffen
Email: jimkkramer@heartofiowa.net

OUR Mission:

"To preserve and promote the history of Steamboat Rock and the surrounding area"

Museum Dates & Hours for the Summer of 2022

The museum is now open on the first Saturday morning of each month during the hours of 9:00-11:00am. Join us on **August 6th and September 3rd** to see some of the new artifacts and displays. If you are in town at some other time, I would be happy to meet you at the museum. Send me an email at the address above or give me a call at 641-858-6085 to make arrangements.

Family History

One of our goals for the SRHS is to have "family histories" on file at the museum for people who called Steamboat Rock their home. As a former resident of Steamboat Rock or a descendant of someone who lived here, would you consider writing up a brief history of your family including the dates when your family lived here? We often get inquiries from people who are researching their family history and having these records on file would be beneficial to future generations of people researching their family.

The Reason We Need these Family Histories

Recently, I have been in contact with a lady from out of state who would like more information about our town when her mother lived here. She is planning on visiting our museum in early August and she plans on bringing a journal that her mother kept when she was a little girl living in Steamboat Rock. I am looking forward to seeing the journal since she sent me a copy of one page that showed about a 12-block area of our town...

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... and listed the people who lived here. I have written below just some of the information that I have on this person. Do any of you know anything about this person or family?

Mildred May Smith

She was born in Eldora sometime between 1900-1902. Her parents were Verner Joel Smith and (Elpha) Grace Valentine. She states that her dad had gone into the Hardware and Undertaking business with a friend named, Louis Foster.

She lived here as a child and her journal mentions some of the following names: Her 1st grade teacher, Miss Bauman, "Old Man Haas", Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Hess, and their daughter, Nira. Mrs. Turner and her son Harry, the banker, the Cartwrights, and the Potgetter's. She also states they attended the Methodist Episcopal Church.

If you have any information on this family, I would most appreciate your getting back to me with that information before the end of July.

The following article was written by Dennis Holmes, and I'm sure that for some of you, it will bring back some memories from your time here in Steamboat Rock.

The Old Band Wagon

Most towns had a band stand and in earlier years so did Steamboat Rock. It was located on the northwest corner of the schoolhouse block.

In my time the band stand or gazebo was replaced by a band wagon. It was a large square box-like structure with wide steel wheels and was painted a light gray or dull white. It was stored on an empty lot where Knight's locker was eventually built. The wagon was then stored down by the dam and towed up town for Saturday night concerts. It was important to keep it balanced because if it was not, it tended to tip toward the heavier side.

Not only did the school band play but George Potgetter would join with his trumpet and Ben Jaspers would provide the umpah with a Sousa phone.

Band members would be rewarded with a dime which would buy a candy bar, ice cream cone, or a root beer.

I've often wondered what happened to those iron wheels. *By Dennis Holmes*

****NEW** NEW** NEW****

AUTO PAY YOUR UTILITY BILLS (NO Fees!)

Fill out this form and email or drop it off at City Hall please

Direct Deposit Authorization Agreement

AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT FOR DIRECT PAYMENTS (ACH DEBITS)

I (we) hereby authorize City of Steamboat Rock, hereinafter called COMPANY, to initiate debit entries to my (our) *Checking Account *Savings Account Account (select one) indicated below at the depository financial institution names below, hereinafter called DEPOSITORY, and to debit the same to such account. I (we) acknowledge that the origination of ACH transactions to my (our) account must comply with the provisions of U.S. law.

Depository Name _____ Branch _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Routing Number _____ Account Number _____

Type of Account: [] Checking [] Savings

This authorization is to remain in full force and effect until COMPANY has received written notification from me (or either of us) its termination in such time and in such manner as to afford COMPANY and DEPOSITORY a reasonable opportunity to act on it.

Name(s) _____ ID Number _____

Date _____ Signature _____

NOTE: ALL WRITTEN DEBIT AUTHORIZATIONS MUST PROVIDE THAT THE RECEIVER MAY REVOKE THE AUTHORIZATION ONLY BY NOTIFYING THE ORIGINATOR IN THE MANNER SPECIFIED IN THE AUTHORIZATION

Mayor
Tim Stearns

“A Valley of Friendliness”



Council Members
Adam Blackburn
Kevin Pieters
Cory Schurman
Jon Schurman

The Steamboat Rock City Council met in regular session July 11, 2022, 6:30pm in the city council chambers and available via zoom. Present were Mayor Stearns and the following council members: Adam Blackburn, Kevin Pieters, Cory Schurman, and Jon Schurman absent: no one. Also present were Ryan Stupp, Taylor Nederhoff, Melissa Johanson, Renee Oltrogge, Scott Williams, and JJ Veld.

Mayor Stearns called the meeting to order. C. Schurman moved, seconded by Blackburn to approve the posted agenda. Motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one.

C. Schurman moved, seconded by Blackburn to approve the minutes as amended from June 13, 2022, with the correction of attendance of Cindy Mull to Cheryl Mull. Motion carried unanimously. Absent no one. Pieters moved, seconded by J. Schurman the motion to approve city bills as presented. Motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one. Hours were presented for Renee Oltrogge, City Clerk and Kelly Haskin, Water/Sewer Supervisor. Blackburn moved, Pieters seconded the motion to approve hours as presented. Motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one.

Public comments: Mayor Stearns presented building permits for 307 E Main St and 1010 E Main St. C. Schurman moved, seconded by Pieters to approve permit as presented for 307 E Main St, seconded by Pieters. Motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one. Pieters moved, seconded by Blackburn to approve permit as presented for 101 E Main St. motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one.

Melissa Johanson, Librarian, presented the library report. Summer reading is going well with an excellent attendance. This Wednesday is the STEM program. Many kids, parents, and grandparents have attended the programs.

Scott Williams, Fire Chief, presented the Fire Department report. In June SRFD responded to five calls. The proceeds from the breakfast and mail-in donations were close to \$10,000 gross. Kenny Primus was the winner of the TV. Training planned for Saturday, June 23rd starting at 8:00am at the practice grounds. Burned the Hackbarth pile and received a nice letter of thanks from the city. When burning, members noticed water leaking from the underside of #650. The packing for the pump is leaking and will need to be checked out. May need to go to Breda for repair. Sandry Fire is scheduled to pressure check SCBA masks and check over the TNT (extrication) tools. Typical charge is \$800-\$1,000. SRFD will again be a participant for MDA. Still discussing date. Need a member of the city council to sign a document allowing funds to be transferred from the Clay Township Trustees account to the city for payment of new PPE. Scott requested the city contact the owners of the semi-trailers to ask them to park elsewhere the day of the practice burn on the training grounds July 23, 2022.

JJ Veld presented the report from public works. Veld advised Tuesday, July 26, 2022, plan to replace two manholes on D-35 (W Main St) and is requesting volunteers to help. Mayor Stearns advised on the cost to rent the equipment and the Hardin County Road department will loan us road work signage. Veld has a short family vacation coming up and has someone covering his duties. There is currently an unused wiring issue at the sewer plant. Council agreed it should be fixed for future use. C. Schurman asked about the wood chips and Mayor Stearns advised he will address it and will follow up next month.

Mayor Stearns advised on distressed properties: 101 E. Main St. has sold with request for demolition. 208 3rd St. has been cleaned up, grass seeded, and some minor additional clean-up needed. C. Schurman asked the next steps for that property. Nederhoff advised the IRS will sign off on the paperwork, then waiting to get the deed back. Couple of options discussed once the city has title: Sell at a nominal price on contract to someone who will agree to build a minimum of XYZ house with-in a designated time frame, or just sell the property outright to recoup the costs we have invested in the clean-up. Nederhoff advised the city usual stipulates a dollar amount for the home that needs to be built within a set amount of time. Mayor Stearns pointed out that if sold to a party required to build, that the property tax revenues brought back to the city would be on-going and significantly more than our cost to clean up the property. 301 W. Market St. has a new tenant, and they are working on cleaning up the property inside and out. 308 6th St & 601 W. Sycamore has requested a building permit to demolish the houses and leave the detached garages, waiting on permit to be turned in to the city. 106 4th St. is seeking bids to repair the property. Council discussed new properties to add to the distressed list.

Nuisance Reporting: Mayor Stearns advised 402 W. Market St. has been cleaning up the junk vehicles as requested. JJ Veld and Nederhoff discussed finding the curb stop for 106 E. Main St. the easiest and most cost-effective way. Council decided to start the paperwork and Nederhoff advised this is an administrative search warrant for the water meter to enter the house.

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Hardin County Conservation & Sewer Hook Up: Mayor Stearns advised their environmental and archeological studies are in process on N. River Rd.

Proposed River Rd. sewer installation: Mayor Stearns reporting the first step on the grant application is in process.

Pieters and J. Schurman reported on costs for street potholes and cut out repair. Pieters advised the costs for the rental of equipment and the materials. Pieters advised the county does some hot patchwork every year that we might be able to cost effectively piggyback on for our repairs. Too late for 2022, but we should check on for 2023. Mayor Stearns will check with the county to see where they will be conducting hot patch asphalt repairs in the summer of 2023. Pieters will get an idea of how much area we are looking to patch.

Gym lights update per Mayor Stearns the supplier does not yet have the lights.

Dog complaints: Mayor Stearns requested Nederhoff to discuss. He explained the process should be to call the sheriff if there is a dog at large. If there is a dog bite, the first time is a warning, the second could lead to a citation and fine per the city code, the dog being moved outside of town, or to be put down as determined by the city. C. Schurman advised Dilley did not show up tonight and believes it is settled and a closed issue. Discussion about adopting the Alden, Iowa Animal Control code recommended by the City Attorney Nederhoff to the Steamboat Rock Municipal code.

C. Schurman moved, Blackburn seconded the motion to approve the letter as presented for The Brownfield Redevelopment Program Asbestos Study. Roll call – Blackburn-aye, Pieters-aye, J. Schurman-aye, and C. Schurman-aye. Motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one.

Mayor Stearns presents the current policies on nuisance/municipal infractions code. Nederhoff advised they could be updated. Blackburn advised to have council vote on all nuisances. Nederhoff advised to not include grass or dogs. Mayor Stearns agreed to work on revisions and present next month.


Mayor Stearns presented and discussed June 30, 2022, year-end financials.

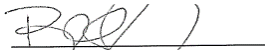
Mayor Stearns advised councilperson Jackie Hagberg resigned as of July 1, 2022. Letter discussed.

Mayor Stearns advised the public posting for the notice seeking a council person replacement, had an error stating the new person would start in February, not July. Will re-post. Mayor Stearns advised individuals who have agreed to be considered to fill the vacant council term so far are Dave Mull and Travis Hollander. Pieters made a motion for a special council meeting July 26, 2022, at 6:30pm to vote on individual to fill the vacated term. C. Schurman seconded. Motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one.

Mayor's comments: none

Pieters moved to adjourn the meeting, C. Schurman seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. Absent: no one. Meeting adjourned at 8:29pm.


Timothy A. Stearns, Mayor


Renee Oltrogge, City Clerk

City of Steamboat Rock Claims To Be Approved 7/11/2022

Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Amount
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	United States Treasury	Payroll	\$ 580.12
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	IPERS	Payroll	\$ 570.73
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	Iowa Department of Revenue	State Tax withholding - 2022 2nd quarter	\$ 48.00
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	Iowa Department of Revenue	WET Tax - Changed from quarterly to monthly	\$ 565.20
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	Alliant Energy	Electric/gas	\$ 2,481.11
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	Heart of Iowa	\$183.61BCity, \$34.75 FD, Water \$34.75, \$57.41 Library	\$ 310.52
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	Culligan	Library \$32.95, City \$59.45	\$ 92.40
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	1st Interstate Bank CC	\$71.85 Streets, \$135.72 IT, \$95.00 Sewer	\$ 302.57
Check	07/11/2022	ACH	Grundy National Bank	Community Center Loan Payment	\$ 2,115.00
Transfer	07/11/2022	Transfer	Library	City contribution & tax levy	\$ 300.00
Check	07/11/2022	2326	Absolute Science	Summer Program	\$ 250.00
Check	07/11/2022	2327	Baker & Taylor	Books	\$ 157.80
Check	07/11/2022	2328	Homestead Evergreens	Trees for Library	\$ 288.00
Check	07/11/2022	2329	North Iowa Libraries	Licenses for Library	\$ 598.00
Check	07/11/2022	2330	Scholastic	Summer Program	\$ 185.10
Check	07/11/2022	2331	Illinois Library Association	Summer Program	\$ 105.50

Check	07/11/2022	2332	Iowa Children's Museum	Summer Program	\$ 350.00
Check	07/11/2022	2333	Times Citizen	Periodicals	\$ 75.00
Check	07/11/2022	2334	Penworthy	Summer Program	\$ 264.98
Check	07/11/2022	2335	Haskin, Kelly	Payroll	\$ 390.30
Check	07/11/2022	2336	Johanson, Melissa M	Payroll	\$ 797.78
Check	07/11/2022	2337	Oltrogge, Renee	Payroll	\$ 1,418.98
Check	07/11/2022	2338	VandeVoort, Darlene K	Payroll	\$ 474.41
Check	07/11/2022	2339	Veld, JJ (mileage)	Mileage	240.56
Check	07/11/2022	2340	Veld, JJ	Contractual earnings	2,300.00
Check	07/11/2022	2341	JJ Veld (cleaning)	Cleaning Contract	200.00
Check	07/11/2022	2342	Blythe Sanitation	D \$405, Res \$1,008, T \$663.30, Rec \$0	2,076.30
Check	07/11/2022	2343	Brown Supply	2 manholes	433.00
Check	07/11/2022	2344	ClerkBooks	Annual Software Renewal	150.00
Check	07/11/2022	2345	Eldora Hardware	UPS charges	91.65
Check	07/11/2022	2346	Gehrke Quarry	8.49 tons of rock	101.88
Check	07/11/2022	2347	NIRG	Haz mat dues	155.00
Check	07/11/2022	2348	Hardin County Sheriff	County Sheriff Contract	613.54
Check	07/11/2022	2349	Iowa Falls Fire Extinguisher	Invoice 5787	296.00
Check	07/11/2022	2350	Iowa League of Cities	Yearly Dues - Invoice# 096491	357.00
Check	07/11/2022	2351	JCJDW Investments LLC	Solar Panels	2,058.88
Check	07/11/2022	2352	Krogh-Oppold	Grass seed	270.00
Check	07/11/2022	2353	Mid America Publishing	Publishing	169.16
Check	07/11/2022	2354	Midwest Wheel	Acct# 15159	22.95
Check	07/11/2022	2355	Rock Stop	FD 122.50, Snow 114.82	674.93
Check	07/11/2022	2356	Shield Pest Control, LLC	Pest control	35.00
Check	07/11/2022	2357	Stockdale Law, LLC	City Attorney charges	116.67
Check	07/11/2022	2358	USA Blue Book	Sewer	143.81

TOTAL

23.22	Ball Field
23.24	Welcome Sign
1112.81	Street Light
129.27	Lift Station
51.92	Fire Department
322.72	Water
62.73	Community Center
588.65	Sewage Treatment Plant
166.55	Library
\$2,481.11	TOTAL

175.41	City
34.75	Fire Department
34.75	Water
49.73	Library
\$ 294.64	TOTAL

\$ 23,227.83

1978.87	Community Center
80.01	Fire Department
\$2,058.88	TOTAL

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOOOUUU!!!

*May you live a long life, Full of Gladness and Health,
with a pocket full of gold as the least of your wealth,
May the Dreams you hold dearest, be those which Come True,
May the kindness you spread, keep returning to YOU!*

August 8 th	Kristen Klein
August 15 th	Marcia Frerichs
August 22 nd	Sydnie Johnson
August 23 rd	Tricia Pickering
August 24 th	Nathaniel Johnson
	Kip Roelfsema
August 31 st	Derek Witt



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Saturday, July 16th *Bike Night @Happenings outside*
LIVE Music w/Deja Blue 5:00-9:00pm Food: Tenderloin Truck

Monday, July 18th *Curbside Recycling @7:00am*

Tuesday, July 19th *Visionary Group Meeting @6:30pm*

Monday, August 8th *City Council Meeting 6:30pm @city hall*

Saturday, August 20th *Jeep Jam & Bike Night @Happenings*
LIVE Music w/Bitter Sweet 5:00-9:00pm Food: Sammy Estes

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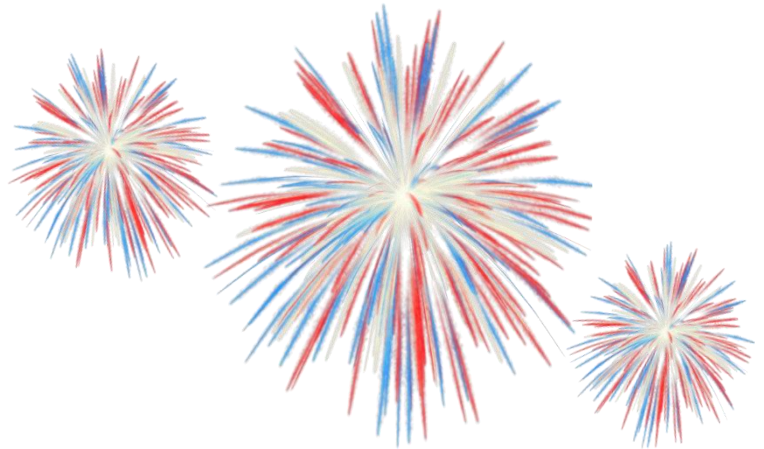


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