

The header features the word "SPRING" in large, colorful, stylized letters. Each letter is filled with a different pattern or color, and is surrounded by various spring-themed icons like a bird, flowers, a butterfly, and a ladybug. To the right of "SPRING", the word "NEWSLETTER" is written in a bold, pink, sans-serif font.

# SPRING NEWSLETTER

## From the Mayor's Desk

Hello and welcome to our Spring newsletter! The New Year started off busy as we began our search for the next City Administrator. We worked with South Central Service Cooperative to do the search. We received 26 applications and SCSC narrowed it down to four candidates plus an alternate based on experience and characteristics the city council found most important. After two dropped out last minute, the council interviewed three candidates on March 3, and unanimously chose Jennifer Nash as the next City Administrator. Jennifer has been in municipal business for twenty years, and worked as the Administrator in Hanover, MN since 2021. Economic Development has played a big role in her previous positions along with Planning and Zoning.

Jennifer will start April 20th. The council and staff are excited for her to begin. Please help us welcome Jennifer to the City of St. Augusta.

City Hall has also been gearing up for a large road and trail project this spring.

On March 2, bids were accepted for the project on Gaberdine Rd, 238th Street, 240th Street, & the trail. Seven bids were received, and the council accepted the low bid from Knife River in the amount of \$1,052,511.78. Work will begin this Spring.

As the weather begins to warm, remember farmers will be getting ready too! Please watch for farm equipment on the roads.

**\*CITY-WIDE CLEAN UP DAY IS MAY 30, 2026 7:00 - 11:00 AM.** We will be set up in the City Hall parking lot. The clean-up day price sheet is available on the website or at City Hall.

**\*\*Reminder dumping garbage within St. Augusta city limits is illegal. Please dispose of any unwanted garbage through your garbage hauler.**

DID YOU KNOW, City Hall has a drop box just outside the main door. Drop your water bill payment off anytime of the day or night!

**\*A new water bill payment option was added to the website! You can now pay your water bill on the city website through DOXO. DOXO offers free ACH payments! If you would rather use a card, the fee is 2.95% or \$2.95 minimum.**

City Hall accepts credit and/or debit card payments for park reservations and building or electrical permits. You can also pay your water bill in person, but we recommend using our website.

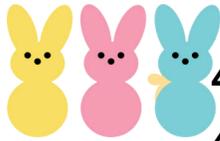
The city dog park is available to all residents and is located at 23112 28<sup>th</sup> Avenue. In order to keep the park clean for all four-legged visitors and their owners, please clean up after your own animal. The city provides bags and a garbage for proper disposal.

\*Please report downed trees, street issues, and garbage in the ditch to City Hall 320-654-0387.

Reminder City Hall is open Monday-Thursday 7:00 am - 4:30 pm, and Friday 7:00 - 11:00 am.



# UPCOMING EVENTS:



4/5 Happy Easter!

4/7 Council Meeting at 7:00 pm

4/21 Council Meeting at 7:00 pm

5/5 Council Meeting at 7:00 pm

5/19 NO Council Meeting

5/25 Memorial Day, City Hall Closed

5/30 City-wide Clean Up day

6/2 Council Meeting at 7:00 pm

6/16 Council Meeting at 7:00 pm

6/19 June Teenth, City Hall Closed

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