



City of Lawton



March 2008

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Water meter readings are generally taken around the 20th day of each month.
Invoices for water, sewer, garbage and landfill are sent on the 1st of each month.
These invoices are delinquent if not paid by the 20th of that same month.
A 10% Late Fee will be assessed on all delinquent accounts.

READINGS ARE ESTIMATED THIS MONTH

CITY-WIDE RUMMAGE SALE JUNE 14, 2008

Mark your calendars!!! Coordinators this year will again be Eric and Heather Hennings. More details will follow as the time gets closer. The Hennings plan to, once again, have a map available online. Watch the city sign, the city webpage, and this newsletter for more information.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
L-B ATHLETES AND STUDENTS
FOR A FINE JOB OF REPRESENTING YOUR COMMUNITY
AND YOUR SCHOOL!!**

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS SUNDAY, MARCH 9, 2008

2008 STREET PAVING IMPROVEMENTS

Recently, bids were received for several areas of the city regarding paving improvements. Our main project was Ash Street from Maple south to Birch to open a second entrance into West Creek. The developers of West Creek will also finish West Creek Drive north to the edge of their development, and will bring Birch Street from West Creek Drive east to Ash.

An alternate to this base bid was to extend Ash Street from Maple Street north one more block to Main Street. A second alternate was to replace East Birch from the Presbyte-

rian Church east to Tara Way, and Tara Way from the High School north to just south of Maple Street.

As most of the eight bids received came in well below the engineer's estimate, the City Council voted unanimously to proceed with the base bid and both alternates. The total contract was awarded to Steve Harris Construction of Homer, Nebraska at a cost of \$766,552.70.

The East Birch and Tara Way portion of the project will be paid for using Local Option

Sales Tax funds. Bonds will be sold to cover the balance of the project. Costs incurred on Ash Street will be recovered with TIF revenue as that area has been designated an Urban Renewal District.

The Tara Way replacement project is expected to be completed from June 1 to August 1 due to less school activity at that time.

As other updates come to City Hall, I will post notices on the sign in the park downtown. I will also try to keep everyone informed through this newsletter.

March 2008 Calendar of Events

GARBAGE SCHEDULE

March 3
March 10
March 17
March 24
March 31

RECYCLE SCHEDULE

March 10
March 24

MISCELLANEOUS SCHEDULE

March 4, 5:00 pm
Council Meet. @ City Hall
March 7, 12:45-2:30
Bookmobile in Lawton

REMINDERS

AFTER SNOW: Remove vehicles from streets so streets can be cleared.

Clear snow and ice accumulations from sidewalks within 24 hours after end of snowfall.

Do NOT blow or scoop snow or ice onto cleared streets, or onto neighbor's property.

Thank you for moving vehicles from streets!!

There is nothing more horrifying than stupidity in action

Adlai Stevenson