# CITY OF DWIGHT May 2014



### ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY LUNCH

Enclosed with this Newsletter is a flyer for the Annual Memorial Day Lunch on Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at the Dwight Community Building from 11:30-1:00pm. Come enjoy Fried Chicken, Assorted salads, rolls and desserts! Suggested Donation \$8.00. Thank you to the Dwight Community Development Corporation for making this lunch possible!



#### **WEATHER SAFETY**

The tornado siren in Dwight is controlled by the Morris County Emergency Management. It will be sounded only when rotation has been sighted or the National Weather Service has issued a Tornado warning for our area. Once the siren has sounded, you have less than five minutes to take cover. Please take precautions by listening to your radio or television for watches or warnings. After the siren has sounded, you can find out if all is clear by listening to your radio or television. A second siren DOES NOT mean all clear . it means another storm is approaching. You should be prepared with an emergency supply kit. The following is an emergency supply list as recommended by FEMA:

- \*WATER-one gallon of water per person, per day for at least three days, for drinking and sanitation.
- \*FOOD-at least a three day supply of non-perishable food.
- \*BATTERIES-for flashlights, weather radios, etc.
- \*FIRST AID KIT
- \*WHISTLE-to signal for help
- \*HAND-HELD CAN OPENER-for food

#### **NEW CITY OFFICE**

Riley Construction will begin the construction of the new City Office Building on June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014. The office will be located in the same location of the old City Office Building. Council has looked at the different funds available to purchase the new Office. The total cost of the building will be approximately \$78,000. The City has the funds available to pay for the new Office without acquiring any loans. We look forward to the new building!!

## **WATER PIT FEES**

There have been a lot of questions regarding the water pit fee charge of \$10.00 on your monthly water bill. This pit fee is charged to every account that agreed to a pit being installed on the property. If you have questions regarding your pit fee please feel free to contact the City Clerk at 785-482-3455 or please attend a Council meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month at 7pm.

#### **COMMUNITY BUILDING RENTAL**

The Community Building is available for rent as long as it is available for a certain date. The fee to rent the building is \$35. A \$25 refundable deposit must also be paid prior to renting the building. Tables and chairs are also available to rent for a fee of \$25 and a \$25 refundable deposit.

#### **FLOWERS**

Thank you to Pam Goss for planting the flowers around town!



#### PAYMENT DROP BOX

The green payment drop box will temporarily be located on the Community Building while the new City Office is being constructed. Once the new office is completed, the drop box will return to the City Building.



#### DOG REGISTRATIONS

We had a GREAT turn out for the Annual Dog Clinic. Thank you to everyone who attended!! If you still need to get your pet registered, please bring proof of rabies vaccination to the City Office along with your payment of \$7 for spayed/neutered dog and \$10 for unspayed/unneutered dog. We did register a few cats this year, so if you would choose to register your cat please feel free to do so. Dog registrations expire on April 30<sup>th</sup> each year.

The City of Dwight is hiring for the positions of Dog Catcher and Assistant to the Water Manager. Please send resume to PO BOX 157, Dwight, KS 66849.

## WEBSITE www.dwightks.net

The Cityos website is a great place for important information. Forms for renting the community building and establishing water service can be found on the website, as well as Council meeting minutes and Ordinances.

#### **PAYMENT OPTIONS**

There are several ways to make your payment to the City. We have the drop box, or you may pay online by credit/debit card by visiting our website <a href="https://www.dwightks.net">www.dwightks.net</a> and select make a payment. The City Clerk is also available in the City Office to accept payments during business hours.

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# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

May 11	Motheros Day
May 16	Kindergarten Graduation, 11 AM
	Prairie Heights K-6 Field Day, 12:45 PM
May 18	CGHS Commencement, 3 PM
May 19	PHMS Promotion, 7:30 PM
May 19	City Council Meeting, 7 PM
May 21	Last Day of School for USD 417 students
May 26	Memorial Day