

—The Winter Issue 2026—

CITY OF DWIGHT

Newsletter



CITY OF DWIGHT OFFICE HOURS

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

From Your Dwight City Council

As we welcome a new year, the City of Dwight Council would like to wish all our residents a very happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year. We are grateful for the continued support and involvement of our community and look forward to working together in the year ahead. This past fall, the City applied for a Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) grant to assist with much-needed street repairs. Unfortunately, our application was not approved. This was a highly competitive grant cycle, with 72 applications requesting a combined total of \$46 million. KDOT ultimately awarded 10 projects, totaling \$5.9 million statewide. While we are disappointed, we remain committed to improving our streets. The City plans to strengthen our application, apply again in the spring, and continue exploring other funding opportunities and avenues to make necessary street improvements. We would also like to recognize recent election results and council changes. Ashley Gearhart and John Traynor were elected to serve another term on the City Council, along with Mayor Pam Goss. Additionally, we welcome Jamie Fetters to the Council following the resignation of Chelsey Brosious. We thank Chelsey and Sue Mulryan for their service to the community and appreciate Jamie's willingness to step in and serve.

The City Council remains dedicated to moving Dwight forward and addressing the needs of our residents. Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to a productive year ahead.

Utility Payments and Notifications

Did you know that your Utility Payment can be automatically drafted from your FARMER'S STATE BANK IN DWIGHT bank account? There is no fee to do this. Your payment will be taken out on the 15th of each month. Forms available at the City Office!

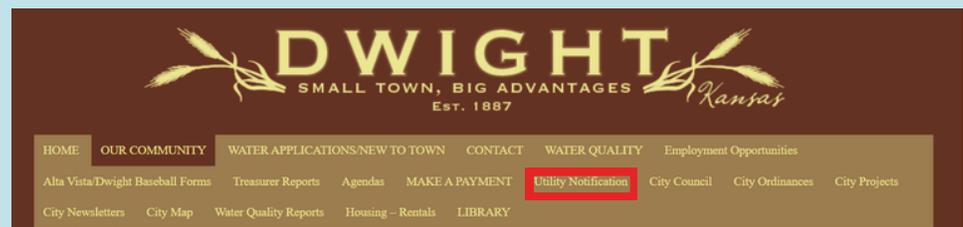
The City of Dwight offers several convenient options to help residents pay their utility bills:

- **Drop Box Payments:** Checks may be dropped off anytime in the secure city drop box located outside the City Office at 612 Main Street.
- **Online Payments:** Residents may pay by credit card, debit card, or electronic check by visiting www.dwightks.net. A \$2.00 processing fee applies to all electronic payments.
- **In-Person Payments:** The City Clerk is available to accept payments during regular business hours, as listed on the front page of this newsletter. Accepted forms of payment include cash, checks, credit cards, and debit cards.

The City is also pleased to offer a **complimentary** email notification of your utility bill amount. This service is optional and does NOT replace your mailed paper bill - you will continue to receive your utility bill by mail as usual.

- To sign up, visit www.dwightks.net, select the **"Utility Notification"** tab, and complete the requested information.
- Email notifications will begin with the next billing cycle.

If you have any questions about payment options or email notification please contact the City office.



THE DWIGHT TRADING POST

The Dwight Trading Post offers a simple way for neighbors to support one another. Community members can visit anytime, take items they need, and leave items they're able to share. Non-perishable donations are always welcome at the City office during regular business hours.



MORRIS COUNTY RECYCLE CENTER

541 6TH ST.
DWIGHT, KS



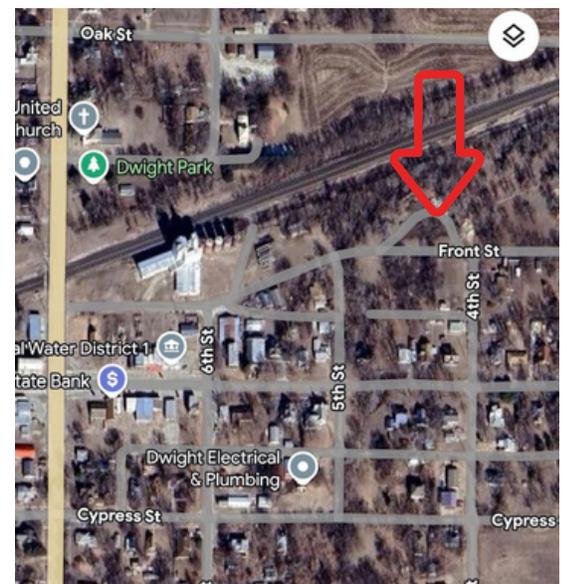
We would love to see everyone utilizing the Morris County recycle center in Dwight that is located at 541 6th Street. Items are collected by Morris County Recycle center each Thursday. They accept the following items (per county website):

- Newspaper, Magazines ** (as of 4 June 2019 we no longer recycle hard back books or soft back books.)
- White Paper & Office mix (colored paper)
- Shredded paper (bagged, not loose)
- Aluminum beverage containers only (as of Feb 25, 2020 we NO LONGER BUY ALUMINUM CANS)
- ***as of 8 January 2019 we no longer accept aluminum foil, aluminum cat food cans/dip cans/sardine cans, aluminum baking pans or food containers.)
- Tin cans
- #1 Pete plastic (clear)
- #2 HDPE (milk jugs)
- #2 & #5 Colored Plastic
- Cardboard (NO Pizza Boxes or other cardboard that is greasy or has a wax coating)

Please Rinse Milk Jugs and Tin Cans

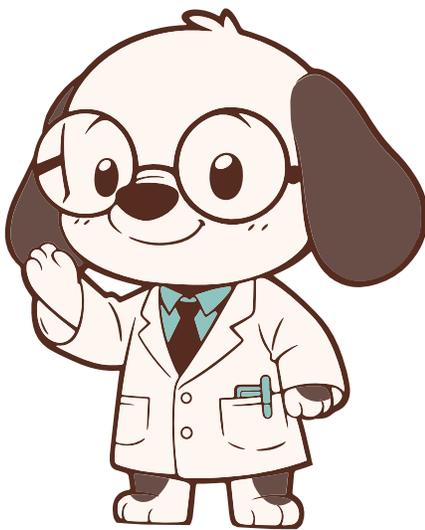
BURN SITE-FRONT STREET

The City of Dwight holds a permit to burn trees and brush at the burn site at 4th and Front Street. The permit allows only trees and brush to be burned. KDHE conducts random inspections at the burn site. If a violation has occurred, they can take the City burn site away. This affects every one in the City. Please keep an eye out for any violations that might occur. No other waste such as garbage, tires, shingles, or construction materials may be placed at the burn pile. Access to the burn pile is open to any City resident who has limbs or brush to dispose of. All you need to do is take it to the burn site and the City will take care of properly burning it.



CITY TO HOST CIVILIAN MEDICAL EMERGENCY CLASS

The City is planning to host a Civilian Medical Emergency Class at The Event Center. This training will be free of charge and taught by Jackie Pritchett. The class will cover basic emergency preparedness; signs and symptoms that may tell us someone is having a medical emergency and what kind of things we can do as civilians to assist the patient while we wait for EMS arrival. Teens and Highschool students are welcome! Please follow the City Facebook page for further announcements for date and time! Please note, no CPR certification will be provided. This is an informational class only. Contact the City Office with any further questions



ANNUAL CITY DOG CLINIC

The annual dog clinic is scheduled for April 11th, 9am-10am at the fire station. Dog tags expire on April 30th. If you have not registered your dog(s) please contact the City Office to get them registered. Pursuant to Ordinance No. 200D: Any dog over six months of age owned and kept within the city must be annually registered with the City Clerk. A current completed certificate of immunization against rabies is required for registration. A \$25 fine will be assessed if dogs are not registered within 30 days of the dog clinic.

ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT

Dwight's Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held April 4th, 2026 at 10:00AM at the Dwight City Park. Christy Andersen is graciously hosting this event and looks forward to all the littles participating in a fun morning!

If anyone would like to provide monetary donations, bags of candy, plastic eggs, prizes, or your time, please reach out to Christy at (785)482-6060. She would be glad to answer any questions in regards to the event. Donations can also be dropped off at the City office during business hours.



SAVE THE DATE

WHAT: EASTER EGG HUNT
WHEN: APRIL 4TH, 2026 10AM
WHERE: DWIGHT CITY PARK

DWIGHT CITY LIBRARY

Library Happenings

Card Party Wednesdays

1:00 - 3:00 PM

Card party Wednesday is about to begin!! Every second Wednesday afternoon, come join us at the library for playing card games.

Free Donuts!

Join us on Valentines Day, February 14th, for free donuts. We will serve until we run out!



Library Hours

Monday: 8:00 - 10:00

Tuesday: Closed

Wednesday: 10-12 & 1-3

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Book Club

Leaving Time - Jodi Picoult

Grab your copy at the library and mark your calendar for the discussion on February 28th, at 10 a.m.

Contact Info

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