

**August 2022 Utility Bill Insert**  
**ALMIRA TOWN HALL 639-2601**  
**OPEN MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY**  
**8-4. CLOSED ON FRIDAYS!!!!**

**RECYCLING: CORRUGATED BOXES ONLY, NO  
CEREAL BOXES!! BOXES MUST BE BROKE DOWN.  
PLASTIC MUST BE CLEAN – NO CONTAINERS WITH  
OIL OR OTHER PRODUCT.**

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**NO DOGS ALLOWED IN EITHER PARK!!**  
Do not let your dog poop in the parks or other's yards. Dogs are to  
be on a leash when out and about.  
**PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE OF OTHERS!!**

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**Air Medical Services / Medivac Helicopter**

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We will call for Air Medical Services when our patient's clinical condition indicates the need for advanced life support capabilities.

The intent of calling air support is to deliver our patient to the hospital as rapidly as possible.

Our county is now supported by two Medivac Helicopter services.

Airlift Northwest,

<https://www.uwmedicine.org/airliftnw/membership>

Life Flight,

<https://member.lifeflight.org/>

Having these Air Medical Insurances can save you thousands of dollars if you ever need their services.

We encourage you to purchase both insurances.

\*Having insurance with one does not cover you for both\*

Annual membership costs are low and can provide peace of mind in a medical emergency.

Pamphlets for both companies are available at Almira Town Hall.

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**AUGUST COUNCIL MEETING:**

**NUISANCE REPORT:** Levi has sent out a couple letters and one yard has improved. More letters will go out soon.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Chickens: Mr. Moffett was in attendance to support chickens; Mr. Larson expressed his feelings against allowing them. Josh Grant had told Jeanette that we could just amend our current animal ordinance to allow chickens. Council voted; CP, Hannah and Tim voted for chickens and Levi and Jimmy voted against.

CP volunteered to be the animal/chicken nuisance officer. Rules were discussed – Preliminary rules are five chickens maximum, not allowed to roam free, keep pen 25 feet from neighbors (property line), \$10 annual permit required, hens only and no roosters. Pens must be 30 square foot minimum and 150 square foot maximum, six foot tall maximum and fencing over the top.

The ordinance will formally be adopted at the September meeting.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Sunrise Disposal is raising their rates for the first time since 2017; they are requesting an 8% increase. New pricing will start with the September bill.

A request was made for someone to have a copy of the dump key full time, the request was denied.

**STATUS OF UTILITY ACCOUNTS:** 23 water off notices were sent. One account was turned off until payment made.

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The next Council Meeting is September 13th, 2022 at 7 pm  
Please attend and have an input in our community.  
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**ADJUSTED HOURS:**  
**CLOSED ALL FRIDAYS**

**September 5<sup>th</sup> – HOLIDAY**

**September 15<sup>th</sup> – Open at 9:30 am**

**September 24<sup>th</sup> – closing at 3:30 pm**

**September 28<sup>th</sup> – Open at 10 am**

**Other closures will be posted**

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Bills are due on the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month and late after the 25<sup>th</sup>. They are due the 25<sup>th</sup> even if I am not in the office. You can pay by debit or credit card online through the website; OR drop a check or money order off in the payment box. Please do not use my absence as a reason not to pay your bill.

The Wilbur Food Pantry is open the third Wednesday of every month from 11 a.m. – 12:30 pm and 5 – 6 p.m. It is located at the Wilbur Community Church Campus The Food Pantry is for Almira, Wilbur and Creston. If you need more information or want to donate call Lori Rettkowski at 647-5402.

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**IF YOU SEE OR HEAR ANY ALARMS AT THE SEWER PLANT, RESERVOIR OR WELLS PLEASE CALL ONE OF THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS TO REPORT IT!**

**977-1218 – Brent Robertson**

**1-509-770-5604 – Mayor Jason Evers**

**1-509-237-5320 – Dave Phillips**

**METERS WILL BE READ THE LAST WEEK OF SEPTEMBER.**