

City of Westfir Newsletter

December 2019



City Hall will be **CLOSED**
December 25th and January 1st
Happy and Safe Holidays!

City Hall Hours: Mon Wed Fri 9am – 2pm

City Council meetings are the first Monday of the month at Westfir City Hall, at 5:30pm.

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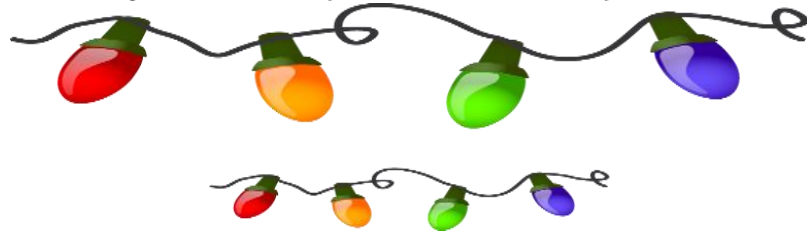
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Bridge Lighting takes place Saturday, December 7th

from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.



As always, volunteers will be serving cookies and hot beverages, but we always need more cookies! If you can donate any number of cookies, either store-bought or home-made, they will be very much appreciated.

Donations are accepted at Westfir City Hall, the Dead Mountain Echo (M-F, 12-4 p.m.) or Banner Bank (M-F, 9-5 p.m.) or bring them to the covered bridge the afternoon of December 7th. You can also call 541-515-8382 to arrange for pick-up.

There's no such thing as too many cookies ~ any leftovers will be re-donated to the Food Box.

This year we have live music, a live nativity scene, fireworks, fire dancers, a bonfire, photo opportunity with Santa and Mrs. Claus, goodie bags, free grilled cheese samples, and of course, cookies, hot cocoa and coffee!

Please join us!

Calling All Budding Photographers!

Share your best photos from the Bridge Lighting Festival to help promote Westfir. E-mail your photo gems to westfircity@gmail.com with your name and address. (Please attach no more than 10 MB per message). By sending your photos to the City of Westfir you are releasing them to the public domain.

Thank you!



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IT'S TIME TO LICENSE SPOT!

(or Fido, or Buddy, or...)

Every dog that resides within the Westfir City limits is required to have a license (see Westfir City Ord. #120). Licenses are valid January 1 to December 31 each year.

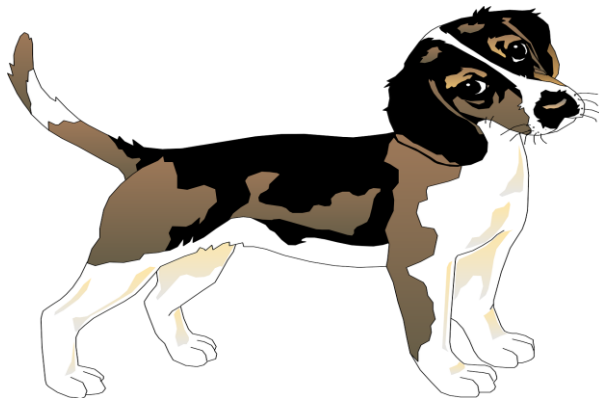
Those who are on our list as being dog owners will receive an application for 2020 with their December water bill. Please fill it out and return it to City Hall (with the appropriate fee) by January 31, 2020.

All dogs are required to have a current Rabies Vaccination Certificate on file with the City in order to be licensed. We will let you know if a new certificate is needed.

We are currently working on having a low-cost vaccination clinic again this year, and we will keep you posted about the date.

If you have a dog and don't get an application with your water bill, please stop by City Hall and pick one up or give us a call and we will mail/e-mail one to you.

It is very important that all dogs in our City have a license, are vaccinated, and have an ID tag. If you need a brass tag for your pet's collar, we have them available, just let us know.



Let it Snow! Let it Snow!

It's a great holiday song but, as we discovered last February, the reality is quite different. So...

ARE YOU READY IF IT HAPPENS AGAIN?

Do yourself a favor: have those things on hand that you will need during a prolonged period of self-reliance, especially food, fuel, and light.

We have included our "Emergencies Happen" brochure with your water bill this month. Please take time to look it over and discuss your emergency plan with your family and neighbors.

Make your plans, pack your "to go" bags, and make your home inventory list. (We have the forms at City Hall.)



Passage of Ordinance #140

Ordinance #140, regulating storage containers within community residential zones, was passed by the City Council on November 14. A copy is enclosed for your information. There was an addition to Section 2 from the earlier draft.