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Lancaster County
Deputy Sheriff

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Deputy Clerk - Utility Billing

City Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

24 Hour Drop Box

EMERGENCIES - 911

Police & Fire Dispatch
Center - 402.441.6500

City of Hickman
115 Locust Street
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402.792.2212

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City Council Members

Mayor Jim Hrouda
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City Newsletter: January 2014

Special Mail-In Election

In 2011 the residents and stakeholders of Hickman identified a new Community Center/City Hall as the top priority. Through additional community-wide surveys and focus groups over the past year, it was determined the new structure should include a Multipurpose Space for Community Events, Receptions, Youth Activities and Sporting Events; Public Meeting Room Space; New Reading Center; Adequate Kitchen and Drink Area; and, Adequate City Offices.

NEXT STEP: Hickman residents will vote on a 1.5% sales tax to fund the new Community Center and future public infrastructure projects.

Special Mail-In Election Calendar Highlights

February 18, 2014: Ballots mailed to all registered voters of the City of Hickman by Lancaster County Election Commissioner.

February 19, 2014 - March 11, 2014: Ballots can be returned to the Lancaster County Election Commissioner by mail or in person.

February 28, 2014: Last day for in-person voter registration at Lancaster County Election Commissioner Office to be able to vote in special election (if not already registered to vote).

March 11, 2014: Ballots must be received by Lancaster County Election Commissioner's Office by mail or in person no later than 5:00 p.m. on March 11, 2014.

(Lancaster County Election Commissioner's Office is located at 601 N. 46th Street, Lincoln, NE 68503 and can be mailed to this location. If ballots are returned personally to the Lancaster County Election Commissioner's Office it may be done during regular business hours (8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.).

The ballots may also be dropped off at the Election Commissioner's Official Drop Box on the north side of the Election Commission's Building.

The drop box is available twenty-four hours a day).

Stop by the Hickman City Office to view the preliminary design of the Community Center and to ask any questions.

ACH Utility Bill Payment Option

If you would like the City to automatically withdraw your utility payment from your checking or savings account on the 20th of the month (*No Late Fees!*), please contact the City Office at 402.792.2212.

Other Payment Options Include: Personal Check or Money Order by mail or City Drop Box, Visa or MasterCard Credit and Debit cards by phone or in person, or pay with cash at the City Office during regular business hours.

Funny Filler

What's the difference between a guitar and a fish?



(You can't tuna fish!)

How do you make a tissue dance?
(Put a little boogey in it!)

What does a nosey pepper do?
(Gets jalapeno business!)



City Office Holiday Hours

The City Office will be closed the following days:
Wednesday, January 1st, 2014
Monday, January 20th, 2014



31st Annual 2014 Voice News Animal Run

**5 Mile Run, 2 Mile Run, 2 Mile Fun Walk
Saturday, February 1, 2014**

Downtown Hickman, NE

Registration at 9:00 am/

Run at 10:00 am

A benefit for the Nebraska Game & Parks -
Wagontrain State Park

Check the Voice News website for more
information: www.voicenewsnebraska.com

Hickman Area Community Foundation Annual Banquet Sunday, January 26th, 2014

American Legion Hall - 106 Locust Street

- Advanced tickets: \$30 per person
- 5:30 p.m. social hour / 6:30 p.m. dinner
- Fred Gustin will be the recipient of the Kiwanis Humanitarian Award
- Entertainment will be provided by Cast Members from Stage Theater
- Tickets can be purchased from any board member: Nancy Noren, Delores Egger, Lynn Buel, Dale Harlan, Lori Borer, Tom Oerter, Linda Bryant, Dawn Bice, or Steve Noren.