LAKE CRYSTAL
CRYSTAL CLEAR NEWS

November 2019

CITY COMMISSION OPENINGS

As of January 1, 2020, the following City of Lake Crystal Commissions or Boards have positions open:

- Utilities Commission (1)  3 year term of office
- Planning Commission (2)  4 year term of office
- Economic Development Authority (2)  4 year term of office
- Parks and Recreation Commission (3)  2 year term of office
- Cemetery Advisory Committee (1)  3 year term of office

Interested individuals must be residents of the City of Lake Crystal and at least 18 years of age.

If interested contact City Hall or go on-line to https://www.lakecrystalmn.org/news for more details.

Dates to Remember

November 25
Past Due Accts Disconnected
November 28-29
Thanksgiving
City Offices Closed
November 30
Utility Bills Due

City Information:
Phone: 507-726-2538
Website: www.lakecrystalmn.org
Hours: M-F 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
After Hours Emergency:
507-726-2260 wait for the answering service to pick up

Distributed Energy Resource (DER) Annual Notification

In compliance with Lake Crystal Municipal Utility’s (LCMU) adopted rules relating to cogeneration and small power production, LCMU is obligated to interconnect with and purchase electricity from cogenerators and small power producers, whom satisfy the conditions as a qualifying facility. LCMU is obligated to provide information free of charge to all interested customers upon request regarding rates and interconnection requirements. All interconnections require an application and approval to become a qualifying facility. Any dispute over interconnections, sales, and purchases are subject to resolution by the Lake Crystal Public Utilities Commission. Interested customers should contact City Administrator, Taylor Gronau at 507-726-2538 or lccity@hickorytech.net. Information can also be found online at lakecrystalmn.org.

PLEASE UPDATE PHONE NUMBERS

LCMU is updating accounts and is requesting customers provide us with their current phone number. Having updated phone numbers is important when we need to contact you about your account.

Please contact Office Assistant, Lisa Jacoby at 507-726-2538 or ljcoff@hickorytech.net to update your account.

LED Christmas Light Rebates Available!!

$3.00/string of 50 lights or more.
Forms available at City Hall or on-line.
Receipt and UPC code required!
Winter Parking Rules & Regulations

CHAPTER 71 - USE OF HIGHWAYS, STREETS AND THE LIKE

SECTION 12: WINTER PARKING.

Subdivision 1. No person shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle or permit it to stand on any street between November 1 and April 15 of each year so as to obstruct the removal of snow from streets during snow removal operations.

Any police officer may remove a vehicle from a street or parking lot to a garage or other place of impound when the vehicle constitutes an obstruction to traffic or hinders snow removal or other maintenance operations. Such vehicle shall not be released until the towing fees are paid. In addition, parking tickets will need to be paid as indicated below.

FEES:

Towing Fee: $125.00, $25 per day over one day of storage.
Towing fee payable to “Maloney Enterprises” before your vehicle will be released. To retrieve your vehicle call 507-642-3543.

Parking Ticket: $127.00
Please allow 10 days from the date the citation was issued before making payment (online, phone, or regular mail).

Fine Info Only: 507-304-4666 (back of citation)
Courthouse Office: 507-304-4650 (back of citation)
Other options (Online, phone or regular mail):
  www.mncourts.gov  1-800-657-3611  651-281-3219 (Metro)

Mail and make checks payable to:
MN Court Payment Center
PO Box 898
Willmar, MN 56201

APPROVED CITY LOTS TO PARK IN DURING SNOW REMOVAL
  1. Parking lot at the corner of Humphrey St. & Murphy St.
  2. Robinson Park Boat Landing

The City Street & Maintenance Department in cooperation with the Lake Crystal Police Department asks for Lake Crystal residents to please park vehicles off the streets when 2 inches or more snow is forecast.