



THE CITY OF HARTINGTON HIGHLIGHTS



Issue 003

September 2024

Who's building the New City Shop?



The City Council reviewed bids for the construction of the new shop at its Monday September 9th meeting. Three contractors entered bids for the project. Green Gables of Fort Calhoun, NE, James Steel of Yankton, SD and RaDec Construction of Hartington. With the acceptance of RaDec's \$1,047,699 bid, construction of the city shop building will begin in a few weeks at 301 N. Madison. The bid states RaDec would be working with all local subcontractors on the project.

Two dirt work contractors entered bids as well, Plumbing & Electric Service, Inc. and Detlefsen Construction LLC. The acceptance of Plumbing and Electric \$65,702 bid, dirt work has begun at the new city shop site. Between the RaDec's bid and Plumbing & Electric's bid on the project, the project should cost about \$1.1 million. The city will bond for \$1.2 million, though, so there is money available for any unplanned incidents that may arise during the construction.

Bringing you up to date on Skylon Community Event Center

The Council approved a building permit for the Skylon Community Event Center building, the permit shows the construction of a 120x70 foot building and there will be space for a 107 vehicles in the parking lot. The Skylon will be moved and placed on a new foundation just west of Bomgaars in the new industrial park. A special meeting was held September 17th that approved the purchase agreement between the City and Roger Wortmann. The Council also answered questions and concerns from the public.



DON'T FORGET!

**CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED
OCTOBER 14TH, RESIDENTAL
GARBAGE ROUTES WILL BE ONE
DAY LATE. PLEASE PLAN
ACCORDINGLY. THANK YOU**

CITY DUMP RULES

As a reminder, please ONLY drop off sticks, limbs, branches, grass, leaves, and garden items on there designated side. PLEASE keep these items separate, do not scatter. NO PLASTIC BAGS AND GARBAGE

ORDINANCE REMINDER

ATVs & Golf Cart Vehicles

It has come to the City's attention that some all-terrain and golf cart vehicles have not been being operated correctly within city limits.

Ordinance §9-801 through §9-904 states a person must have a Class O operator's license (16+) in order to operate an all-terrain vehicle and golf cart.

To read full ordinances please go to <https://ci.hartington.ne.us/>



HOMECOMING SUCCESS

Shout out to both Hartington schools on their Homecoming victories on Friday September 13 football games when Cedar Catholic won over Archbishop Bergan (34 to 6) and Hartington-Newcastle won over Lutheran High Northeast (82 - 0). HNPS also setting a new high score record for the school. **Congratulations!**

October

- OCT 9** - Chamber of Commerce Meeting 6pm
- OCT 14** - Columbus Day - CLOSED
- OCT 15** - Council Meeting 5pm
Utility Bill Due Date
- OCT 20** - Trunk or Treat (downtown) 4-5pm
- OCT 25** - Scarecrow Winners Announced
- OCT 28** - Council Meeting 5 pm
- OCT 31** - HAPPY HALLOWEEN

Food Pantry

1st and 3rd Saturday 10 am-12 pm



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<https://www.instagram.com/hartingtonnebraska/>

Trunk or Treat

October 20, 2024 4:00-5:00pm Location: Downtown Hartington (Broadway Ave)

Looking for individuals, businesses, groups, club, organizations to have a "trunk" in the event. Call/text Miranda at (402)360-3132

107 W State St / (402) 254-6353



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The Nebraska Arts Council announced inaugural CreDis Awards during this year's Creative District Assembly

The CreDis Award was presented to Miranda Becker (Economic Development Coordinator) for exhibiting leadership, innovation, or support for the Creative District Program. The award title combines the two words of the program, Creative District. Serendipitously, in Latin, CreDis can also mean "to believe in, rely on, entrust." Miranda has led the Hartington Creative District initiative and has been instrumental in demonstrating that the arts make a community more livable. Miranda understands that communities must continually look for every way possible to attract visitors and businesses to their town.



Transfer Station Hours

Tuesday - Friday
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Saturday
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Sunday and Monday
CLOSED

Aprons, Skirts, Hats, and Flirts
Women and their Range of Status during the Western Movement

When: **Mon. Sept 30th**
Time: **7:00pm**
Where: **Hartington Public Library**
Humanities Nebraska



Hartington's Creative District

Have you seen the newest addition to the Creative District?? These four panels were added downtown featuring three local artist. This art brings wonderful color to the block and updates some areas that were not so beautiful, as you can see from the photo.

We will periodically change these out with different artwork by local artist, so be sure to keep an eye out for the next call for artists!



The City Parks (Felber Park, East Side Park, and the Community Complex) shall be open daily to the public during the hours of five o'clock (5:00) A.M. to twelve o'clock (12:00) Midnight. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, other than City personnel conducting City business therein, to occupy or be present in the City Parks during any hours in which the City Parks are not open to the public, except persons driving through Felber Park or persons using the track at the Community Complex.

Ordinance §5-603 HOURS OF PUBLIC USE

Update on Nordby Addition



The Nordby Addition is moving ahead, they had a preconstruction meeting with JEO and the developer. The City would like to inform area residents of possible road closure, road detours, and possible disruption to water services due to dirt work and paving of the area. In the original plans there were to be 15 homes built, but have went down to 12 homes, the City has allowed them not to pave the winged streets at this time.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCARECROW CONTEST

All Families, schools, businesses, organizations, and individuals are invited to enter.
Help decorate the town!

All entries received & outdoor scarecrows in place by October 18th.

Photographs will be taken October 19th/20th.
Community Voting on Facebook October 21st-24th

Winners announced October 25th

1st Place - \$50.00 in Chamber Buck
2nd Place - \$30.00 in Chamber Bucks
3rd Place - \$20.00 in Chamber Buck

STOP BY THE CITY OFFICE TO GET A FORM
OR PRINT IT OFF FROM FACEBOOK



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October Library Events

Wed. Oct 2- StoryTime, 10 am, 2-5 years
Fri. Oct. 4- Friends of the Library "Book" Sale, 9am-5pm
Sat. Oct. 5- Friends of the Library "Book" Sale, 9am-1pm
Mon. Oct. 7- Music Monday, Birth-5 years
Wed. Oct. 9- StoryTime, 10 am, 2-5 years
Thurs. Oct. 10- UNL Extension program "Walking Water" 4pm, 1st grade and up, please register your child.
Wed. Oct. 16- StoryTime, 10 am, 2-5 years
Thurs. Oct. 17- Library Bingo, all ages, 4pm
Mon. Oct. 21- Music Monday, 10am, Birth-5 years
Wed. Oct. 23- StoryTime, 10 am, 2-5 years
Thurs. Oct. 24- New program "Jeopardy for Kids" 4pm, 3rd grade and up
Mon. Oct. 28- Halloween "Pig the Monster" Storywalk and Scavenger Hunt with Treats @ Felber Park 6-7pm
Sponsored by the Friends of Library

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