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Dates to Remember:

- April 8th: Total Solar Eclipse
- April 16th: Drive Thru Food Pantry
- April 27th: Heavy Trash Pick-Up
- May 7th: Primary Election Office

Closed

• May 12th: Mother's Day

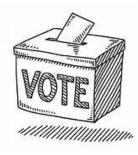
OFFICE HOURS

Monday 8:00AM - 3:30PM Tuesday 8:00AM - 4:30PM Wednesday - CLOSED Thursday 8:00AM - 4:30PM Friday 8:00AM - 4:30 PM

We are closed daily from 12:00PM to 1:00PM for lunch

Occasionally the office will be closed due to meter reads, meetings, trainings., and such. Notices will be posted on the window at the office, in the Post Office and at the Fire Station. Electronic notices will be made on the Chatter pages, Town's website, and on REACHALERT

There are times due to meetings/trainings/meter reading/illness/vacations, and the normal course of business, only one person may be working in the office at any given time, and cannot get to the phone immediately. If we do not answer the phone, please leave a message. We WILL return your call as soon as we are free to do so.



Utility Emergency Line: 765-978-1007

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Town of Advance

Town Business

Town Council Meetings: Location:

Advance Fire Station Time: 7:00 pm

- April 9 (changed from April 8)
- May 13
- June 10
- July 8
- August 12
- September 9 (Budget Hearing)

If you are unable to attend the Town Council Meetings, all meeting minutes can be found online at

www.townofadvance.com

Notices will be made electronically on the Chatters, website and/or REACHALERT, and in the Lebanon Reporter if any changes are made to the meeting schedule; or additional meeting dates are added.

Daylight Saving Time:

Daylight Saving Time begins on Sunday, March 10th(Spring Forward one hour) This is also a good time to test your smoke detectors and change the batteries if need-

Food Pantries:

We have a calendar at the Town Hall that shows the schedule of all the food pantries available in Boone County. There is also a link to the complete list of resources available to Boone County Residents. It is located at www.townofadvance.com on the community resources page.

Golf Cart Tags:

We will let everyone know when the 2024 Golf Cart Stickers arrive. The cost for these remain \$30/year.

Cash Payments:

If you are placing cash in the utility payment drop-box, please make sure to secure it in some fashion. You can use an envelope (even if its homemade), a paperclip, staples, or any other variety ways. If we get more than one loose cash payment, I have to use my best guess to make sure that

I apply the correct amount to the correct account.

Advance Volunteer Fire Dept

The Advance Volunteer Fire Department is still looking for new members!!! If you are interested, visit their Facebook page (Advance Indiana Volunteer Fire Department) for contact information.



Heavy Trash Pick-Up:

The 2024 heavy trash pick-up will be on Saturday April 27th. This coincides with the Boone County ToxDrop Collection Event. Details of both can be found on the reverse side of this newsletter.

Clerk-Treasurer's Desk

Upcoming Closings:

The office will be closed on the following days:

April 8 - Eclipse Event May 7 - Primary Election Day May 27 - Memorial Day

July 4 - Independence Day

Pet Tags:

Pet Tags are in!!! The cost remains the same. \$5/pet for up to three pets, no charge for any additional pets.

Website:

Over the course of the next few months, we will be transitioning to an IN.gov website. We are going to strive to make it as seamless as possible, but as you know with technology, it does not always go 100% as planned. If you notice any issues please send an email to

ckellog@townofadvance.com so it can be addressed

Did you know?

Payments can be made by cash, check, or money order and placed in the drop-box on the door to the

Town Hall. Payment can also be made by credit/debit card at the window, over the phone during office hours, or online at www.townofadvance.com by clicking the "pay now" button on the home page. (The credit card processor adds a 3% processing fee to the amount charged to the card) While you are on the website, check out the calendar for scheduled office closings, meeting dates, and more!

HEAVY TRASH DAY PICK UP DO'S AND DON'TS

NO PAINT NO BATTERIES NO LOOSE BRUSH PILES NO CEMENT

NO HEAVY APPLIANCES SUCH AS WASHING MACHINES, DRYERS, REFRIGERATORS,
HOT WATER HEATERS
NO CARCASES
NO LARGE PIECES OF METAL

ITEMS THAT CAN BE PICKED: MATTRESSES, BROKEN DOWN SATELLITE DISHES, TVs, COMPUTERS AND RECLINERS.

HEAVY TRASH DAY IS AN ADDITIONAL TRASH DAY DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR. PICK UP WILL RUN FROM 8AM-10AM, SATURDAY APRIL 27, 2024. ITEMS, SUCH AS BRUSH, NEED TO BE BAGGED. IN ADDITION, ANYTHING THAT HAS A LOT OF LOOSE PIECES NEEDS TO BE BAGGED. THE TRUCKS WILL NOT GO DOWN ALLIES. ALL TRASH NEEDS TO BE CURBSIDE, JUST LIKE A NORMAL TRASH PICK-UP DAY. THE TRUCK WILL NOT CIRCLE BACK IF YOU FORGET TO PLACE YOUR ITEMS BY THE CURB, AND THEY WILL NOT COME UP TO YOUR DOOR TO GET ITEMS.

ANY ITEMS LEFT BEHIND, THE TRASH SERVICE WAS UNABLE TO TAKE.

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, FEEL FREE TO CONTACT SMITH'S TRASH AT 765-436-2399

TOXDROP COLLECTION (SPRING)

Accepted Items:

- " Antifreeze
- " Brake Fluid
- " Motor Oil
- " Small Propane Tanks
- "Glues & Adhesive
- " Fire Extinguishers
- "Fluorescent Tube Lights/CFL Bulbs
- Oil Based Paint/Thinner/Stain
- " Pesticides/Herbicides/Insecticides
- " Gasoline
- " Household Cleaners
- " Aerosols
- " Pool Chemicals
- " Thermometers & Thermostats
- "Batteries (Automobile & Rechargeable)
- "Tires (See Limits) ***Tires will only be collected at the spring event***
- "Electronics (Free, with the exception of a \$20 CASH fee per unit for ALL televisions & computer monitors)

List of Electronics banned for being disposed of in an Indiana landfill: Televisions, Computer monitors, Computers (including desktops, laptops, and tablets), E-readers, Fax machines, Peripherals (including keyboards, mice, external hard drives, printers, all-in-one printer/scanner/copiers, projectors, and any other devices that are sold exclusively for external use with a computer and provide input into or output from a computer), DVD players (including gaming systems that are able to play DVDs), Digital photo frames, Digital media players, iPods/MP3 players, Camcorders/cameras, DVR/TiVo devices (including cable boxes and satellite boxes, but not satellite dishes), Portable GPS navigation systems. Small appliances are NOT considered electronics.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AT THE TOWN HALL