



CITY OF LEXINGTON

General Election Day is November 6th

Lexington residents can vote at Lexington City Hall from 7:00 AM till 8:00 PM on Tuesday November 6th



Use the Voter Registration Lookup program at the Secretary of State's website to confirm that you are registered to vote under your current name and residence. The online address is

<https://mnvotes.sos.state.mn.us/VoterStatus.aspx>

Bill Petracek
City Administrator

Chris Galiov
Finance Director

Mary Vinzant
Deputy Clerk

Peggy McNamara
Admin Assist/ Permit Tech

Building Inspector
Scott Jensen

763-784-2792

UPDATING CONTACT INFORMATION

Lexington Water and Sewer customers are asked to provide any updated contact information (land line - cell phone - e-mail) on the payment receipt when returning payments.

It is illegal ...

Punishable by fine

to blow, plow or shovel snow from your private property on the street.



City of Lexington
Office will be
Closed
Nov. 9th
Nov. 22nd & 23rd
Dec. 24th & 25th
Dec. 31st -1/2 day
January 1st

Mavor

Mark Kurth

Council Members

John Hughes
Kim DeVries
Diane Harris

Liquor Store

Jack Borgen
Karen Larson
Andrew Lyons
763-786-0198

Public Works

Jim Fischer
Travis Schmid
Bob Hunt
763-784-6849



Mark your calendars now !!!!!!

Santa Claus is coming..... to Lexington.

The Lexington Fire Department
will be touring the City on
Saturday December 22nd

(late afternoon/early evening)

handing out candy to all who are young at heart.

They will also be accepting food
donations benefiting the local food shelf.



Daylight Saving Time ends soon.

Remember to set your clocks

BACK one hour on

Sunday, November 4th



dreamstime.com

Reminder to pay utilities and permit fees on line at www.ci.lexington.mn.us

Centennial Lakes Police Department

The CLPD is responding to an increasing number of calls for theft from unlocked vehicles and wants to remind everyone the importance of locking your car and home to avoid becoming a victim of theft.

For more information on what you can do to live safer visit

Centenniallakespd.govoffice2.com

OCTOBER IS FIRE

PREVENTION MONTH

Remember to change the batteries in your smoke and CO detectors.

Dispose of Your Unused Medications at the Centennial Lakes Police Department

What is Accepted?

Prescription medication, OTC drugs, or pet medication in any form including:
Pills and Capsules Blister Packs
Creams and Gels Inhalers
Liquids Patches
Powders Sprays
Vials

What will **not** be accepted?

Needles
Syringes
Lancets
Thermometers



Contact us at 763-784-2501 with any questions.

Winter Parking Restrictions

With summer gone, fall upon us, and winter just around the corner it's time to start thinking of the other changes that affect us this time of year, namely parking restrictions and snow removal.

Parking restrictions will begin November 1st.

***No Parking allowed on City streets between the hours of 2 AM and 6 AM

without an emergency parking permit issued by staff at City Hall.

*****No Parking** on any street after a snowfall with accumulation of 2 inches or more until all snow, ice and similar debris has been removed from the paved portion of the street.

*** **It is illegal** to remove snow from private property and place it on the road or sidewalk.

***Approximately **200 accidents** occur each year involving snow moving equipment, so be extra cautious and always **give** the

plow truck the benefit of the doubt. It weighs in excess of 50,000 lbs., your car weighs about 3,000 lbs.

- Stay safe -

Assume

snowplow drivers **do not** see you.





Halloween Safety

If you set jack-o-lanterns on your porch with candles in them, make sure that they are far enough out of the way so that kids costumes won't accidentally be set on fire.

Make sure your child carries a flashlight, glow stick or has reflective tape on their costume to make them more visible to cars.

Dogs can have lethal tails, wagging all over the place. Don't leave any lighted candles or Jack-O-Lanterns where they could be knocked over by a swinging tail or by a curious cat. Not only could your pet start a fire but they could severely burn themselves in the process.

Happy Halloween....



Information Regarding Animal Bites

We have experienced an increase in the number of reported animal bites in our cities recently. Should you and/or your animal be involved in such an incident, here is some basic information you should know.

First, it is the owner's responsibility to restrain their animal at all times and keep them on their own property.

Second, animals are required to be kept up-to-date with their rabies vaccinations. Maintain proof of such vaccinations in the event you are asked for it following a biting incident.

Third, if your animal bites someone or another animal it may be labeled as a potentially dangerous animal or as a dangerous animal. As the owner, you will likely be cited for allowing the biting incident to occur. For example, if your dog bites someone by running off your property you may be cited for allowing it to run at large. If you don't have proof it was vaccinated, you may be cited for that as well. Plus, your animal will likely be placed on home quarantine or, if no proof of rabies vaccination is available, impounded for a ten-day observation period at a shelter at your expense. You will also be potentially liable for the other person's/animal's medical expenses.

Centennial Lakes Police Department considers all animal bite incidents to be serious. If you have further questions, please contact Community Service Officers Larson or Carlson at 763-784-2501. Additional information may be obtained from your respective city's code of ordinances.

The Annual Holiday Lighting Contest will be judged by the Lexington Park Board the week of

December 10-13

**No need to register,
the entire City qualifies.**

***1st Place \$100**

*** 2nd Place \$50**

***3rd Place \$25**



Prize money generously donated by Lexington Fire Relief Association

LEXINGTON MUNICIPAL LIQUOR STORE

For good deals on beer, wine, liquor, mixes and pop remember.....

Lexington Liquors

9271 Lake Drive

Lexington, MN 55014

763-786-0198

Lake Drive & Lexington

****Reminder****

Wednesday is Wine Day

10% off



"Experience Counts" discount every Monday

Lexington Liquors offers our 50 + clientele a special discount all your own...

*** All day on Mondays***

5% off Beer

10% off Spirits

10% off Wine

Stop in for more

Details

Discounts DO NOT apply to sale items

Lexington's Public Works Department would like to offer the residents on corner lots or curved streets free curb markers that you can place directly at the curb to help the plow drivers save some sod on the first few snow falls. Once the snow banks get build up and they are wing plowed further back the markers will get broken off and will not be needed any more. The markers will be available at city hall.

You could also mark utility boxes (cable, phone, etc)

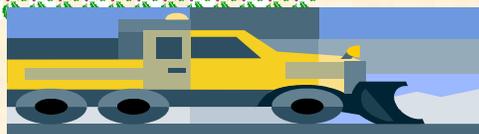
Just a Reminder

It isn't the plow, but rather the snow thrown from the plow blade that wreaks havoc.

When setting your garbage at the curb, leave adequate room for the snowplows to do their job.



This is also a good time to check your mailbox post for wood rot.



Ever wonder where you can recycle something?

Anoka County now has an app you can download on your smart phone. It's easy—just type what you need to recycle and the app will tell you where you can take it .

Just search Anoka County Recycle on your app store and download



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Cold Weather Rule

The State of Minnesota set up the Cold Weather Rule to help customers who cannot pay their gas bill in full. It does not completely stop winter disconnections but provides customers extra protection from October 15 through April 15. The rule defines:

What you can do if you receive a Notice of Proposed Disconnect—
What you can do if you have been disconnected and want reconnection of gas service.

If you receive a Notice of Proposed Disconnect, CenterPoint Energy also will send you the following materials to help you manage your gas bill:

1. Information about your rights and responsibilities
2. Information about how to reduce energy use
3. A list of agencies that help pay fuel bills
4. A list of weatherization providers

In order to avoid disconnection or to have service reconnected, you must either pay your bill in full or call CenterPoint Energy at **612-372-4680 or 1-800-729-6164 (toll-free)** and enter into a Payment Plan. You must keep current with the Payment Plan during the Cold Weather Rule months in order to continue to receive protection