

Upcoming Events

January 1st
New Year's Day
City Offices Closed

January 4th
Council Meeting
7:00 p.m. – City Hall

January 18th
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.
Day
Offices Closed

January 19th
Council Meeting
7:00 p.m. – City Hall

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goddardlibrary.com



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Mayor's Message



Hello Friends and Neighbors:

Happy 2016! Thanks to the hard work of our community volunteers, City Council members, and dedicated staff, the past year has been a true success for the City of Goddard. Goddard has enjoyed great participation for community events such as the Easter Egg Hunt, Fourth of July Celebration, National Night Out, the Fall Festival, and the Christmas Tree Lighting and Evening with Santa. We look forward to seeing you at these events in 2016!

Looking forward to 2016, the Park Board plans on hosting open houses related to the Parks and Pathways Plan, the STAR Bond Project will begin breaking ground during the first quarter of 2016, and residents will enjoy a reduction of 1.5 mills in lower property taxes. As always, the City of Goddard will continue working on behalf of our residents to create an active, fun-filled, family-oriented community. If you have questions or concerns, please get in touch with me or any of the City Council members.

Warmest wishes, Marcey

Christmas Tree Recycling

As the New Year begins and our holiday decorations come down there is one question that many of us have, "what should I do with my Christmas tree?" Instead of hiding it in your back yard or trying to stuff it into the trash, you should recycle it. Sedgwick County has a few Christmas tree recycling sites that you can take advantage of, and as an added benefit, they provide free mulch at the recycle sites.

Christmas tree recycling sites are open until January 24th

115 N 3rd Street, Colwich, Kansas
7001 W 21st St., Wichita, Kansas
Garden Plain Water Tower



Contact Information

In the Event of an
Emergency
Dial 911

City of Goddard
Hours 8am-4:30pm
118 North Main
316-794-2441

Police Non-
Emergency
316-794-2051

Goddard Public
Library
316-794-8771

Goddard City Pool
316-794-2644

Chamber of
Commerce
316-833-8385

Government Websites

City of Goddard
www.goddardks.gov

USD 265
www.goddardusd.com

Sedgwick County
sedgwickcounty.org

State of Kansas
www.state.ks.us



Water Payments

Paying your water bill on time can save you a lot of money.

Remembering to pay your bills can be difficult, especially when life gets busy during the holiday season. If you don't pay your bill before the 20th a late fee of 10% is added to the bill. Late fees can really add up if you

frequently forget to make your payments on-time. To save yourself the trouble of writing a check each month, you can sign up for automatic payments from your checking account (ACH). Signing up for ACH doesn't take long and forms for automated payments can be found online or by visiting City Hall. ACH is a free service, and can save you from any late fees.

City Staff does not like to charge late payments or shut off water services, and it ends up costing you a lot of money when it happens. Please remember to pay on time!

* If you would like to pay with your debit or credit card there is a 2.5% fee (\$2.00 Minimum) if you make that payment at City Hall, or there is a 2.5% fee (\$3.95 minimum) with online payments.

Winter Travel Kit

It is important to be prepared when you travel this time of year. Here are 10 things you should have with you in your car

1. Windshield Scraper
2. Water/Snacks/Energy Bars
3. A Flashlight with batteries
4. First Aid Kit- with medications, bandages, cleansing pads, etc.
5. Small Shovel
6. Tow Rope or Chain
7. Road Salt and Kitty Litter
8. Booster Cables
9. Hats/Mittens/Blankets/Coats
10. Common Sense



The City is committed to make winter driving as safe as possible, but it is up to you to do your part. Make sure to stay safe and watch out for others. If you ever think that driving conditions are unsafe please stay at home, never go out if you don't feel comfortable