CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 3rd - Mike Rickner Memorial Fireworks Display—Events begin at 6:30 - Fireworks display at dusk

July 4th—City Offices Closed—Independence Day

July 6th—City Planning Commission Meeting—7 PM—City Hall Community Room

July 11th—City Council Meeting—7 PM—City Hall Community Room

August 1st—City Budget Workshop—7 PM—City Hall Community Room

August 3rd—City Planning Commission Meeting—7 PM—City Hall Community Room

August 8th—City Council Meeting—7 PM—City Hall Community Room

September 5th—Pool Closes

September 5th—City Offices closed—Labor Day

September 7th—City Planning Commission Meeting—7 PM—City Hall Community Room

September 12th—City Council Meeting—7 PM—City Hall Community Room

CONSTRUCTION BEGINS ON SENIOR HOUSING

Excel Development Group will begin construction of 12 senior housing units this summer. To be built on land adjacent to the Arrowood Assisted Living Center, plans call for six duplexes to be rented to income qualifying seniors starting next year. For more information, please contact City Hall.

NEW STORM SIREN FOR CITY

The City has received a grant from the Kansas Department of Emergency Management to purchase a new storm siren to expand its warning coverage across Humboldt. Designed to warn citizens of fire and storm alerts up to one mile away, the siren will be placed in Cannon Park. The siren in City Square Park will be relocated near the swimming pool to provide better warning for the south end of town. Plans call for the sirens to be operating this summer.

UTILITY EMERGENCIES

For utility emergencies during regular business hours, please call 473-3232. For emergencies after 5 pm or on weekends, call 911.
MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT
SUMMER HOURS
The City of Humboldt Maintenance Department began working summer hours on June 1. The department will work 7:00 am to 4 pm. Regular hours will resume September 1.

BUILDING PERMITS
The City requires building permits for all new construction including small structures, sidewalks, fences, electrical and plumbing improvements. The City also requires a minimum fee for all construction under $1,000. For more information contact City Hall at 473-3232

Swimming Pool to Close September 5th
The Humboldt pool is now open seven days a week from 1 to 9 pm except on Wednesday evenings for swim meets and Monday and Wednesdays, 5:30 to 6:30 pm for adult recreation programs. Daily admission this year is $1.50 for children and seniors and $1.75 for adults. Pool parties can be scheduled for $80 for 20 individuals or less and $90 for over 20 individuals. The daily pool season ends August 21st, but will be open on the weekends through Labor Day. So beat the heat and go swimming!

CITY TO IMPROVE STREETS
The Kansas Department of Transportation is working on east Bridge Street to 13th Street and north to Central Street and east to the City Limits. Improvements include curb, guttering, widening of 13th Street, new asphalt overlay and the smoothing of the railroad tracks on east Central. Killough Construction of Ottawa, Kansas is planning to have the work done before school starts in August. Please drive carefully around construction workers and equipment.

WATER PROJECT ENTERS FINAL PHASE
The long awaited water line improvement project is almost complete. The old lines have been replaced and the City’s water is being delivered to meters through several miles of new water lines. Valves and new fire hydrants are in place to make the system more efficient to maintain and improve fire safety. The contractor plans to return in late summer to finish grass seeding and make any final repairs to finish the project.

"If you don’t know where you are going, you will probably end up somewhere else." Laurence J. Peter