CITY OF JORDAN

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City Hall Hours
Monday-Friday
8:30 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

www.jordanmn.gov

City Council Meetings- 116 E. 1st Street
1st Monday—6:30 P.M.
3rd Monday—6:30 P.M.

City Council Members:
Mayor Tanya Velishek
Jeremy Goebel
Terry Stier
Jeff Will
Brenda Lieske
Mike Franklin
Dale Oldenburg

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Calendar of Events

Visioning Session	October 11
Fall Cleanup Day	October 15
Yard Waste Pickup	October 22, and November 5
9th Annual Chamber Halloween	October 31
General Election	November 8
Jordan Dazzle Parade	December 3

Chamber Halloween

The 9th Annual Chamber Halloween will be held on Monday, October 31, 2016 from 3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. Bring your child trick or treating to a safe, daylight event at area businesses. Children must be accompanied by adults. Please contact the Chamber at 492-2355 or www.jordanchamber.org for a map and listing of all participating businesses.

Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce
3rd Annual

JordanDazzle Parade

Enjoy the JordanDazzle festivities or join this dazzling community event by entering a business/organization/neighborhood parade float!

Saturday, December 3rd
Parade begins at 6:00 pm
Downtown Jordan

Immediately following the Parade in Perkarna Park:
Tree Lighting, Caroling by JHS Chamber Singers, and Santa!

SANTA WILL MAKE AN APPEARANCE!

No Public Parking will be available at the Mini-Met

JORDAN
CITY NEWS

Mission Statement

The foundation of Jordan is built on a small town historic presence that supports quality services, collaboration, leadership, and a well-planned future.

October 2016

Council Filings

Nine candidates have filed for the current openings on the Jordan City Council. Terms for Councilmembers Jeff Will, Terry Stier, and Dale Oldenburg will expire on December 31, 2016 along with Mayor Tanya Velishek.

The following candidates have filed for Mayor: Tanya Velishek, Dan Elke, and Andrew Bertils

The following have filed for Councilmember: Terry Stier, Jesse Masloski, Jeff Will, Luke Hessing, Robert Whipps, and Thom Boncher

The election will take place on Tuesday, November 8th from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Community Education Recreation Center (CERC) located at 500 Sunset Drive.

APPLICATIONS: If you need to register, Voter Registration Applications can be found at the following locations:

- Scott County
  Customer Service
  200 4th Avenue W
  Shakopee, MN 55379
- All Scott County Libraries
- Jordan City Hall
- You may also register to vote online on the Minnesota Secretary of State website at:

https://mnvotes.sos.state.mn.us/VoterRegistration

RE-REGISTRATION: If you are currently registered to vote, you do not need to register again unless you have:

- Moved to a different address (if you submit a permanent forwarding order with the U.S. Postal Service, your voter registration may automatically be updated to your new address. You will receive a postcard notification).
- Changed your name
- Not voted at least once within the last four years

Absentee Voting

Applications are available on the MN Secretary of State's website or at the Scott County Elections Office, 200 Fourth Avenue W. during regular business hours September 23– November 7. **Absentee voting in not available at Jordan City Hall.**

Voting Location

If you live within Jordan City limits, you vote at the Community Education Recreation Center (CERC) located at 500 Sunset Drive. Precinct 1 is the area south of TH 282 and Precinct 2 is the area north of TH 282.

The General Election is Tuesday, November 8th and voting hours are 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!

Inside this issue:

- Council Candidate Filings
- Where Do I Vote
- Visioning Session on Tuesday, October 11th at 6:30 p.m. at the Jordan Fire Hall located 501 Varner Street—Provide input on what you would like the City to look like in 2040
- Chamber of Commerce—Trick or Treat

Special Points of Interest

- **Police Station Groundbreaking**
- **Fall Cleanup**
- **Yard Waste Dates**

VISIONING FOR JORDAN 2040

The City of Jordan and its Planning Commission invite you to a Visioning Session to provide input on the 2040 Comprehensive Plan. This plan will guide the growth and (re) development of the City over the next 20+ years. We want your input on future land uses, parks, trails, etc.! Take part in small group discussions to help the City shape the growth and redevelopment of the City!

Join us on Tuesday, October 11, 2016 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 pm at the Jordan Fire Hall, 501 Varner Street North, Jordan.

This is your opportunity to share what you would like Jordan to look like in 2040! For more information contact the City of Jordan, City Planners Laura Holey or Andrew Barbes at: 952-492-2535.

BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS
OLD TOWN COFFEE SALOON

Check out the new coffee shop at 231 Broadway Street. Their menu includes a variety of coffee, whole grain breads, made from scratch cakes, and churned ice cream. Visit their website at: oldtowncoffeesaloon.com for more information or call 952-492-5553.

SNOW REGULATIONS/CODE RED

It is unlawful for any person to park a vehicle on any street after a continuous or intermittent snowfall during which there has been an accumulation of one (1) inch or more of snow, or when a Snow Emergency is declared, until all snow, ice and similar debris has been plowed or removed from the paved portion of the street. Except that on First Street and Water Street, from Mill Street to Varner Street, parking shall be allowed on even-numbered days for vehicles parked on the even-numbered side of the street and, on odd-numbered days for vehicles parked on the odd-numbered side of the street until the street is plowed curb to curb.

Snow Emergencies will be declared by the City solely by text message and email through the Code Red Notification System provided by Scott County. City of Jordan residents can register free of charge for the Code Red Notifications System to receive alerts for various notification types including Emergencies, General, and Severe Weather. The geographical alert area is based on the home address you provide, thus you will only receive alerts that may directly affect you. To receive snow emergency declarations from the City of Jordan, it is very important to register for the Code Red Notification System by visiting https://public.coderedweb.com/CNE/EA5343CC0ED6 or by visiting Scott County's main website and selecting the CODE RED icon. Please be sure to check GENERAL NOTIFICATIONS in the alert types section to ensure you receive snow emergency alerts from our City.

****If you reside within the ODD / EVEN PARKING AREA please park on the odd or even side of the street corresponding to what the date will change to after midnight as our public works department generally begins curb to curb snow removal between 4 a.m. and 6 a.m. Example – It's 6 p.m. on Dec. 1 and you park your vehicle for the night, the correct side of the street to park on is the EVEN side as at midnight the date will change to Dec. 2.****

NEW POLICE STATION GROUNDBREAKING

Remodeling of the MnDOT building on Syndicate Street into a new police facility began September 26, 2016 with a ground breaking ceremony attended by city council members and city staff. The new police facility has an anticipated completion date in early April of 2017. Some of the features of the new police facility will include a sizeable public lobby, records staff offices, a patrol officers office, a sergeants/supervisors office, administrative and detectives offices, three private interview rooms, a DWI/alcohol testing room, a training/meeting room, locker rooms, and adequate evidence storage and evidence processing areas. We are excited to be able to provide this modern facility for our police department and in doing so without having to raise taxes or bonds for any of the financing. The new police facility should provide the police department with adequate space for years to come.

Things You Should Know

DO YOU NEED CAR TABS!

Minnesota law requires all owners to **provide insurance information** when registering, re-registering or transferring ownership of a vehicle. Information required: insurance company's name, policy number, and policy expiration date. Tabs cannot be issued unless the insurance information is available.

SCOTT COUNTY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

The Scott County Household Hazardous Waste facility will be closed September 1 through late January 2017 for construction. This project will include:

- An expanded drop-off area
- A turn-around lane for better traffic flow
- Additional storage space for operation

TREE TRIMMING

The City of Jordan Public Works Department will be pruning boulevard and right-of-way trees this fall. All limbs overhanging the sidewalk and roads will be trimmed back to the trunk of the tree. This will allow for better sight lines and clearance for vehicles.

YARD WASTE DATES

Elite Waste Disposal will provide yard waste and brush pick up on the following Saturdays: October 22nd, and November 5th. **You must use compostable bags**. Elite Waste Disposal will pick up bags of yard waste and bundles of brush curbside or in the alley. (Please ensure that all bags or bundles are out by 7:00 a.m.) Yard waste consists of grass clippings and leaves. Brush consists of limbs 6" or less in diameter and the bundles of brush can be up to five feet long and one foot wide. Valley Green yard waste is handled by a private contractor.

GRANT PROGRAMS FOR DOWNTOWN JORDAN

Looking to update the façade of your downtown business now that the snow is gone? Did you know there's a grant for that? Call City Hall 952-492-2535 and Staff will help you with the Facade Matching Grant Program!

NEW GARBAGE CONTRACT

Dick's Sanitation Inc. (DSI) will be the City of Jordan's new garbage hauler starting in January of 2017. DSI will be sending out a letter shortly to residents requesting what size garbage carts they would like. Cart exchange will take place the last week in December.

STREET SWEEPING!

Street sweeping is occurring this fall! Please keep your curb clear and don't rake your leaves into the streets. Please watch for our public works team out and about.

FALL CLEANUP DATE
October 15th

Residents of Jordan and Sand Creek Township have an opportunity to dispose of unwanted items at the Jordan Clean Up Days. Items need to be dropped off at Elite Waste Disposal at 845 Corporate Drive in the Timberline Industrial Park off of County Road 9. Hours for the clean up are 7:00 a.m.– noon. Listed below are the costs to Jordan and Sand Creek residents. This list is not all inclusive.

Appliances: Includes dehumidifiers, dishwashers, dryers, freezers, furnaces, garbage disposals, humidifiers, microwaves, refrigerators, stoves, trash compactors, washers, and water heaters $22.00
Air conditioners and water softeners $39.00
Household Refuse: TBD at time of drop off
Furniture: Twin mattress $24.00
Full/Queen/King mattress $39.00
Couch $37.00
Recliners $37.00

Batteries:
Car $14.00
Truck $18.00
Cell Phone $5.00

Tires:
Cars $12.00
Light truck $18.00

Electronics:
CD player $18.00
Lap Top $7.00
Typewriter $18.00
Fax machine $22.00
Monitor $34.00
Printer (small) $18.00
Printer (large/laser) $39.00
TV 13-19" $35.00
TV 20-27" $39.00
TV 28" - larger $50.00
Treadmill $44.00

Lawn and Garden:
Grill: Gas or charcoal $23.00
Propane tank: $34.00
Lawn mower: push $23.00
Riding lawn mower: $56.00
Roto tiller/snowblower $23.00

Free: Scrap metal, glass, plastic, cardboard, paper and aluminum. Used oil, oil filters, and antifreeze will also be collected at no charge.