Dick’s Sanitation (DSI) has been working in the City of Jordan since January 1, 2017. If you have any questions regarding your service or bill, please contact them at 952-469-2239. The following is a list of services DSI offers:

- Free cardboard disposal at the Mini-Met.
- Annual fall leaf collection day to be serviced at no charge. Date to be determined.
- Upgrades on 64 gallon recycle carts to 96 gallon recycle carts for anyone who needs more volume.
- Compost carts will be delivered in April to those residents who signed up for that service.
- Organic carts are available also—contact DSI if you are interested in that option.
- Cleanup day is free of charge with date to be determined.
- Snowbird options available for residents.
- Call DSI at 952-469-5161 to order bulk item pick up of construction debris, furniture, electronics, and appliances.
- Approved recycling items include: glass, cans, plastics # 1-7, paper and cardboard.
- Snowbird options available for residents.

New Service—“Cardboard Only” Dumpster

DSI is excited to work in the City of Jordan and are offering a service of free cardboard dropoff. This dumpster is located in the Mini-Met parking lot at 400 S. Rice Street. This “Cardboard Only” dumpster is available for use by Jordan residents. Cardboard has to be broken down and put in the slot. Please do not put boxes outside of the dumpster.
Things You Should Know

BURNING PERMITS
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. Tags cannot be issued unless the insurance information is available.

DOG TAGS
Dog licenses expire on December 31st. Dog tags are available at City Hall for $10 for the calendar year. Please bring your proof of rabies vaccination.

SNOWMOBILE REGULATIONS
Listed below are the snowmobile regulations for the 2016-2017 season:
- Operation prohibited within city limits from 11:00 p.m. until 7:00 a.m.
- Operation is prohibited on all sidewalks and boulevards.
- Operation on private property is prohibited unless permission has been given by the owner of the property.
- Operation on city streets is only allowed by residents who are traveling from their residence to the nearest designated trail. The operator must then take the most direct route from the city trail system to city limits, state trail or county trail.
- Persons 14 or 15 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.
- Operation by a person under the age of 13 is prohibited.
- Operators born after December 31, 1976 must have in their possession a valid safety certificate issued by the State of Minnesota.
- Operation is prohibited on any lands owned by a public body or on frozen waters, including, but not limited to: school grounds, park property, playgrounds, recreational areas, private roads, platted but unimproved roads, utility easements, public trails and golf courses.
- An operator may not operate a snowmobile in a manner so as to create a loud, unnecessary or unusual noise which disturbs, annoys or interferes with the peace and quiet of other persons.
- Operators must make a complete stop at all un-controlled intersections and yield the right-of-way to pedestrians and automobile traffic.

DO YOU NEED CAR TAGS?
All residential rental properties are now required to be registered with the City of Jordan. Rental registration forms are available at the City’s website located at: www.jordanmn.gov or you can stop at City Hall and pickup an application. It is free to register!

SKATING HOURS
The hockey rink and Lagoon Pool are open for skating. Hours are noon until 10:00 p.m.

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CITY HALL LOT-ODD/EVEN PARKING
The City of Jordan’s Municipal Parking Lot located at 210 E. First Street will now be enforcing odd/even parking during snow emergencies. Signs were installed recently informing residents. This change was necessary to allow public works the ability to plow the entire lot in a timely fashion.

NEW POLICE OFFICER—BRIAN DREWRY
Officer Brian Drewry began employment as a full-time officer for the City of Jordan on January 3, 2017. Officer Drewry has previous employment with County, State, and Federal law enforcement agencies. When you see Officer Drewry, please say hello and welcome him to the City.

DOWNTOWN BUSINESS GRANT OPPORTUNITIES
The City of Jordan offers 2 different grant opportunities for downtown businesses. The Façade Grant Program focuses on all outdoor façade upgrades. The City will participate in a 1:1 match up to $5,000 for all downtown commercial properties. This has been a very successful program for the City of Jordan, and has had 5 participants in 2015. The EDA and Jordan City Council also created a new grant program for downtown business this year.

The Internal Improvement Grant was created to help businesses upgrade the interior utilities to the current state building code and encourage ADA projects. This program offers a 2:1 match for interior utilities and a 1:1 match for ADA upgrades up to $5,000 grant.

Please contact Andrew Barbes at City Hall for more information. Applications are available on our City’s website.

Weather

Weather Watch

This will be your last storm of the season. Please be careful driving in the snow and ice. Stay home if you can, and drive carefully if you must.

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Take a tour of the Chambers and look at the displays the Jordan Area Historical Society has been working on. There is much work to be done yet to get the History Center open. Items need to be inventoried, organized and labeled. Once open, the collection of artifacts will be rotated periodically to keep the display fresh.

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Dedication/Open House of
Council Chambers/Jordan History Center

Effective October 1, 2015, an amendment to City of Jordan Code 73.09 governing snow removal and street parking during snowfall events takes effect. Amended City of Jordan Code 73.09 shall read: 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 Warner 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.

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