

CITY OF JORDAN
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 Jordan, MN 55352

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 City Hall Hours
 Mon-Fri. 8:30am- 5:00pm
www.jordanmn.gov

City Council Meetings-
 116 E. 1st Street
 2nd & 4th Monday—6:30 P.M.

City Council Members:
 Mayor Mike Franklin
 Jeremy Goebel
 Robert Whipps
 Dr. Amanda Schuh
 Sandra Johnson
 Jeremiah Monyok
 Dr. Scott Penney

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 U.S. POSTAGE PAID
 JORDAN MN
 PERMIT NO. 99

CURRENT RESIDENT
 JORDAN, MN 55352



2024 Burning Permit:
 \$20.00 Recreational
 \$25.00 Brush Piles- out of
 City limits



2024 Animal Permits:
 \$ 10.00 Dog/ Cat License- Annual
 (Need proof of rabies Vaccination)
 \$ 20.00 Chickens- Annual
 \$ 35.00 Bee Permit- Annual



Veteran Memorial Park Pavers
 Honor your Veteran by engraving their name
 on a granite paver to be installed at Veteran
 Memorial Park. Pavers are \$200 and forms are
 available online at jordanmn.gov or at City
 Hall. Veteran's do not need to be a Jordan
 Resident.

**FLAG RETIREMENT
 CEREMONY**

American Legion Post No. 3
 will be holding a Flag Retirement
 Ceremony on Thursday,
 August 15 at 6:00 p.m. at
 Veterans Park. Anyone want-
 ing to properly dispose of
 their American flag may bring
 it to Ace hardware or you can
 drop off your American flags
 at City Hall.



**CITY HALL
 CLOSED**
 Monday
 May 27, 2024
 Memorial
 Day

Street Sweeping

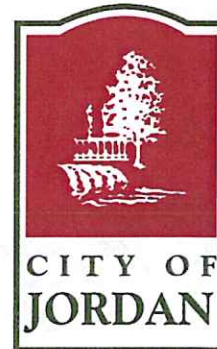
Street Sweeping
 will start the middle
 of April. Keep an
 eye out for signs in
 your neighborhood
 indicating dates to
 have vehicles not
 parked on the street

**Fire Hydrant
 Flushing**

Public Works will
 be flushing hy-
 drants in April
 through May.
 Watch for Signs in
 your neighborhood
 for specific dates
 when the flushing
 will occur. If you
 have rusty water,
 turn on the outside
 faucets first and
 then all inside fau-
 cets and flush your
 systems. The water
 should clear in



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| Community Wide Garage Sale | April 27 |
| Spring Clean up day | May 4 |
| Cinco de Mayo Event | May 4 |
| Memorial Day Parade | May 27 |
| Baseball Day/Food Truck | June 15 |
| Festival -Mini Met | July 21 |
| Fire Dept. Open House | July 24-July 28 |
| Scott County Fair | August 2-4 |
| Scott County Threshers | August 6 |
| Night to Unite | August 10 |
| Fire Dept. Golf Tournament | August 13 |
| Primary Elections- CERC | August 15 |
| Flag Retirement Ceremony | August 16-18 |
| Amateur State Baseball | August 23-25 |
| Tournament—Mini Met | August 30-
September 2nd |
| Car Cruise | September 4 |
| Heimatfest | September 7 |
| St. Johns Fall Festival | September 15 |
| Trick or Treat—Businesses | October 31 |
| General Election Day- CERC | November 5 |
| Jordan Dazzle Parade& | December 7 |
| Tree Lighting at Pekarna Park | |



JORDAN
 CITY NEWS - APRIL 2024

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.



**City of Jordan
 Spring Clean-up
 Day**

May 4, 2024

Buckingham Companies will be con-
 ducting the City-Wide Cleanup Day at
 the Police Station at 705 Syndicate
 Street near Valley Green Mobile Home
 Park. Hours for the cleanup are 8:00
 am—12:00 p.m., **Saturday, May 4th.**
 Dropoff is only for **City of Jordan**
residents, including Valley Green
Park, and is free of charge.

Items accepted: Electronics, Appli-
 cances, Scrap Metal, Mattresses, Furni-
 ture, Tires, Household Batteries, Vehi-
 cle Batteries. List is not all inclusive.

Items not accepted: household liq-
 uids (paints, thinners, cleaners, stains,
 varnishes), light bulbs, gas, or diesel

Yard & household hazardous waste
 will not be accepted. Please take
 Household hazardous waste to Scott
 County Hazardous Waste Facility lo-
 cated at 588 Country Trail E. For days
 and times of operation visit
www.scottcountymn.gov or call
 952-496-8787.

**Community Wide
 Garage Sale
 April 27, 2024**



**Sale times/dates may vary
 from house to house.**

THE JORDAN AREA FOOD SHELF PRESENTS:

CINCO DE MAYO CELEBRATION **SAVE THE DATE**

- ▶ FOOD TRUCKS
- ▶ LIVE MUSIC
- ▶ TRADITIONAL DANCERS

..AND MORE!!

PRIOR LAKE 2 DAY EVENT **JORDAN**

FRIDAY, MAY 3RD SATURDAY, MAY 4TH

5PM-11PM 5PM-11PM

DOWNTOWN PRIOR LAKE (MAIN AVE) JORDAN MINI MET PARKING LOT

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HOME OWNERSHIP EDUCATION & WORKSHOPS

Are you considering purchasing your first home in 2024? Wherever you are on the path to homeownership, the Scott County Community Development Agency (CDA) can help. The CDA provides both one-on-one counseling and first-time homebuyer workshops that help prepare interested first-time homebuyers. Topics can include:

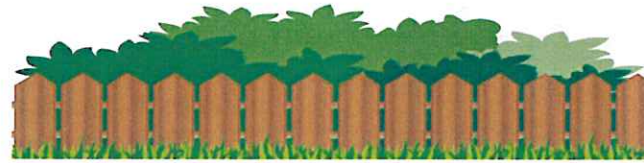
- Budgeting
- Credit score and how it impacts loans
- Mortgage loans and what to expect at closing
- Real estate overview and finding the right agent
- What to expect from a home inspection
- Home maintenance

In addition to one-on-one counseling, and in-person workshops, the CDA also offers online homebuyer education. If you have completed the CDA's counseling and education courses and are close to purchasing a home, you may qualify for an \$8000.00 grant to apply towards your down payment and closing costs.



Information regarding all these programs can be found at <https://scottcda.org/resource/first-time-homebuyers>. Or by contacting Rochon at rbergevinsmith@scottcda.org or by calling 952-395-5123.

PLANNERS CORNER



It's Deck, Fence, and Shed Season! Summer is just around the corner and so is the building season! Many common improvements require a permit prior to beginning work. Permit applications are available at City Hall or online, under the "For Residents" tab under "Permits, Applications, and Forms." If you have any questions or require assistance in applying, please give us a call at 952-492-2535. Applications can be submitted via mail, email, or in-person at City Hall. Please allow ample time to get your permit issued by our City Building official.

Emerald Ash Borer Boulevard Tree Replacement Reimbursement policy



The city has determined that the health trees of the genus *Fraxinus* (commonly known as Ash) are threatened by fatal infections known as emerald ash borer. It has further determined that the loss of trees located on public boulevards (trees located within the City's right-of-way) would substantially depreciate the value of property and impair the safety, general welfare, and convenience of the public. It is declared to be the intention of the Council to control and prevent the spread of these infections and provide for the removal of dead, infected, or diseased trees on property that is a residential use.

The City offers up to 50% or \$500.00, whichever is less, of the cost of the removal and replacement of the tree. Proof of costs must be submitted to the City upon the completion of work must be detailed in such a way to identify costs for individual trees. If a property owner removes an infected tree themselves, proof of proper disposal that meets the requirements of the Minnesota Department of Agriculture must be submitted. The City has full discretion to accept or deny proof of costs.

Reimbursements will be prioritized for applicant's that have not received a reimbursement in the past, but otherwise are on a first come, first served basis and are limited to the annual amount the City Council sets aside for the program. Reimbursement is limited for a single property to two trees per year. When an applicant applies for the reimbursement for the first time, the total number of boulevard ash trees must be provided and the total number of infected trees. An applicant can reapply for further reimbursement in future years, until reimbursement has been made for all infected trees. Properties that have more than two trees that qualify for removal may remove all infected trees at one time and receive reimbursement for two trees per year up to the point that landowner has received reimbursement for the total number of qualifying removals and replacements. If funds remain in the annual amount after October 1st, previous applicants can reapply. The City will not automatically process reimbursements and the applicant must reapply every year in order to receive the reimbursement.

In order to qualify for this reimbursement, the tree planted must be from the Approved Tree Species for Front Yard Trees list and must meet the standards of § 154.324 Landscape Requirements Residential. Additionally, proof of costs must be submitted to the City upon the completion of work for the reimbursement to be granted. City staff will confirm replacement trees have been planted before a reimbursement can be issued.

Please go to the City of Jordan Website or call City Hall (952-) 492-2535 for a Emerald Ash Borer Boulevard Tree Replacement Reimbursement Application.

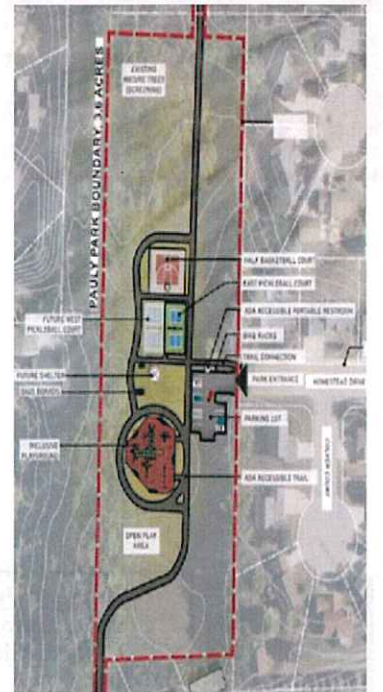
CONSTRUCTION TO BEGIN ON JORDAN'S PAULY PARK

Pauly Park:

Construction on the City of Jordan's Pauly Park will begin soon! A new park will be constructed this summer atop the bluffs between the Bluffs at Cedar Ridge and Heritage Hills developments. The park land is generally flat and surrounded by mature trees, making it an ideal location for a city park. The park was designed with an emphasis on ADA accessibility to meet the needs park users of all ages and abilities.

The 3.6-acre park will include:

- A half basketball court
- 1 pickle ball court
- Permanent bags boards
- Accessible playground equipment with accessible poured in place rubber surfacing
- Site furnishings including bike racks, garbage receptacles, benches, and a portable restroom
- Bituminous (asphalt) trails
- Bituminous parking lot
- Open Play area (grass)
- * A future park shelter/gazebo



The City was successful in securing a \$350k grant through the DNR's Outdoor Recreation Grant Program to pay for a portion of the park costs. The City also platted and developed six residential lots on the north and south ends of the park. The revenue from the sale of these lots will also be used to fund the park. The lots are currently for sale. If interested in purchasing one of the lots, please call Tom Nikunen at 952-492-2535 or email tnikunen@jordanmn.gov.

