

SIoux CENTER CONNECTIONS

Heritage Village

September 2025

Holiday trash pickup

Garbage will not be collected Monday, Sept. 1. This route will be collected Wednesday, Sept. 3. Please keep trash and recycling containers 3 feet apart.

Leaf & grass site

The city's FREE grass/leaf/branch disposal site is just north of B&B Salvage, 298 7th St. NW. Please use the correct piles for each type of waste. No garbage or construction material.

Bad sidewalks?

The City can help with some replacement costs. Call Kris at the City Office (712) 722-0761 or visit www.siouxcenter.org/sidewalks.

On the Calendar

Sept. 1 Labor Day
City Office & Library closed
Sept. 11 Hazardous
Household Waste Drop-
Off, Fire Station No. 1
Sept. 12-13...Harvest
Festival, Heritage Village
Sept. 15 City Council,
4 p.m., City Office

City of Sioux Center

335 1st Ave. NW
Tel: (712) 722-0761
Mon-Thurs: 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Fri: 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m.
www.siouxcenter.org



Don't let
your \$
leak
away with
a water leak!



Did you know you have to pay for water leakage if you have a water plumbing leak in your house? Sioux Center Municipal Utilities offers a way to help you catch leaks early.

Create an online account for your utilities and sign up for leak alerts at siouxcenter.org/account. Learn how at siouxcenter.org/leak or call Darryl or Maggie at the City Office at (712) 722-0761.

After the Storms of July 2025

A heartfelt thank you to all who stepped up in the recovery efforts after the storms July 28-29.

Across Sioux Center, property owners, friends, family, and neighbors worked side by side to tackle felled trees and branches as well as damaged buildings and vehicles. Businesses helped with side-dumps, payloaders, tree removal equipment, and more, all working together with City crews in a swift and effective cleanup effort. A special thanks to those who led the charge in this well-run storm response.

We saw the character of this community on display, and we couldn't be more grateful or proud to call this our home.



Thank you

Play at the ASB Sports Complex

Weekly Open Turf and Family Fun Night at the American State Bank Sports Complex! Follow @ASBDome on social media for the schedule and more!



FREE!

Harvest Festival

Fri., Sept. 12, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. | Sat., Sept. 13, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Heritage Village • 701 2nd Ave. SW

See threshing, sawmill, schoolhouse, cider press, antique machinery, blacksmith shop, and more! For info, find Heritage Village on Facebook or visit www.siouxcenter.org/harvestfest

Yard waste reminder:

City code requires property owners to prevent yard waste from being scattered around neighboring yards and streets.

Time to check your furnace

Is your furnace ready for winter? Turn it on and make sure your pilot light is lit and the furnace is working. Our Sioux Center Natural Gas Department will re-light your pilot light if it is needed.

LOCAL NEWS AND EVENTS

Author visits, budget-friendly food tips, & more at library

Author visits: **Joseph LeValley** "Thrill(er Ride) - Lessons Learned on the Road to Becoming a Novelist" Mon., Sept. 8, 7 p.m. **Brad Wilkening** "Lessons from the Holocaust" Tues., Sept. 23, 6:30 p.m. **Sara de Waal** new book *The Biggest Smallest Thing* Weds., Sept. 24 at 3:30 p.m.

Korissa Lassen, **Good Nutrition on a Budget.** Free. Tues., Sept. 9, 7 p.m.

Stop in during **Tech Tuesdays** on Sept. 2 and 16, 1-3 p.m. for free tech help.

NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness) Support Group meets the first Tuesday each month for a presentation

and support group time. Sept. 2 at 7 p.m.

Sioux Stitches meets Tues., Sept. 16, 1:30-3: p.m. Visitors welcome.

Dyslexia Support Group meets Thurs., Sept. 18 at 7 p.m.

For all programs or to sign up, visit: www.siouxcenterlibrary.org.

Skate and swim at the All Seasons Center

• **Public skate begins Sun., Sept. 7.** Hours: Flexible Fridays – call the All Seasons Center at (712) 722-4386 for hours., Saturdays 7-9 p.m., Sundays 2-4 p.m.

• **Stick & Helmet begins Sun., Sept. 7** and will be Wednesdays 2:30–4:15 p.m. and Sundays 4:15–5:15 p.m. for 14 and under, 5-5:45 p.m. for 15 and older.

• **Seahawk Swim Team registration** Sept. 3 & 9, 6-8 p.m. at the All Seasons Center. Ages 6-18. More information at www.siouxcenter.org/seahawks

Do not plant new trees in the right of way

Trees may not be planted in road right of way (ROW). ROW is generally land between your property line and the street. If new trees are planted in the ROW,

they will need to be removed. Questions, call Kris at the City Office, (712) 722-0761. Map showing ROW and property lines: siouxcenter.org/propertymap

Safety reminder for your natural gas delivery system

Sioux Center Municipal Utilities delivers natural gas via underground piping to each meter. Piping beyond the meter is customer's responsibility. If you have buried piping beyond the meter, have it checked periodically to ensure continued safe, reliable operation.

It is extremely unlikely that a gas leak will occur, but customers should always be prepared, as natural gas is flammable.

SCMU natural gas pipelines are monitored to maintain service and safety. You can be prepared to recognize a leak by smell ("skunk" smell added to natural gas), sight (ground frosting, dead vegetation), or sound (hissing).

Planning to dig for a project? **Call 811** to locate pipelines. To learn more, call the City Office at (712) 722-0761. After hours emergency: (712) 441-1106.



Only recycle these items:

Plastics #1-7: with recycle symbol number 1-7, rinsed/clean
Plastic milk jugs, detergent bottles, soap bottles, etc., clean
Paper: office paper, envelopes, newspaper, magazines, mail
Cardboard: corrugated, food boxes, packaging, etc., clean
Aluminum: Cans, trays, foil, etc. rinsed/clean
Tin cans: rinsed/clean
Metal lids: rinsed/clean

These items are NOT recyclable:

- Styrofoam
- Tarps
- Vinyl
- Clothing
- Appliances
- Hoses
- Pools
- Glass (any kind)
- Wood/construction
- Plastic bags (plastic grocery bags can be taken to Goodwill)
- Medical waste
- Hard plastics (toys, laundry baskets, storage totes, car seats, etc.)
- Yard waste

Recycling Questions?
Call:
(712) 722-0631



Seasonal park spraying

To help keep our parks beautiful, we will be spraying for weeds in early September. If you see white flags in the parks, we ask that you wait a day or two to use the park. Thanks for your patience!

Try Hockey registration

Registration for Try Hockey is open at siouxcenterhockey.com. Event is Sept. 6, 8:45 a.m. and Sept. 9, 5 p.m.

FREE Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off

Thursday, Sept. 11, 3 p.m.-5:30 p.m.
Fire Station #1 (south parking lot)

Accepted items: batteries (rechargeable and other), CFL bulbs, solvents, household cleaners, lacquers, thinners, pesticides, herbicides, oil-based paint, latex paint and more. (Latex paint will have a \$1/ gallon fee.) Residential items only!

More info: www.nwialandfill.com
712-324-4026