

SPRINGVILLE NEWS

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Blue Moon Carriages (Jeff and Joann Carnahan) in the 2018 Springville St. Patrick's Day Parade.

~Photo by Karlie Nulle

UPCOMING MEETINGS

American Legion Auxiliary

March 7 – 6:00 PM
Springville Legion

Legion Dinner/Mtg

March 14 – 6:30 PM
Springville Legion

Library Board

March 13 – 6:30 PM
Springville library

P & Z Meeting

March 19 - 6:00 PM
City Hall

School Board

March 20 – 7:00 PM
Springville high school

Council Meeting

March 4– 6:00 PM
March 18 – 6:00 PM
City Hall

SAHS

March 12 - 6:30 PM
SAHS Building

Sports Boosters

March 6 - 6:00 PM
HS ICN Room

CITY HALL HOURS

Monday—Friday

7:30AM -12:00 PM

12:30 PM - 4:00 PM

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& Jake Hiner

Mayor's Minutes

"If we had no winter, the spring would not be so pleasant."

~Anne Bradstreet

Well February didn't treat us much better than January. With the polar vortex, the fog, the ice, and the many inches of snow it's no wonder we are all getting a little cranky.

At times it may not look like it, but the public works have been hard at work clearing and trying to find a home for all the snow that we received in such a short time. I know at times we get frustrated with the piles of snow that seem to block intersections or just seem to pile up, thank you for your patience. It has been a strange winter. Dare I say, hopefully March treats us better than February.

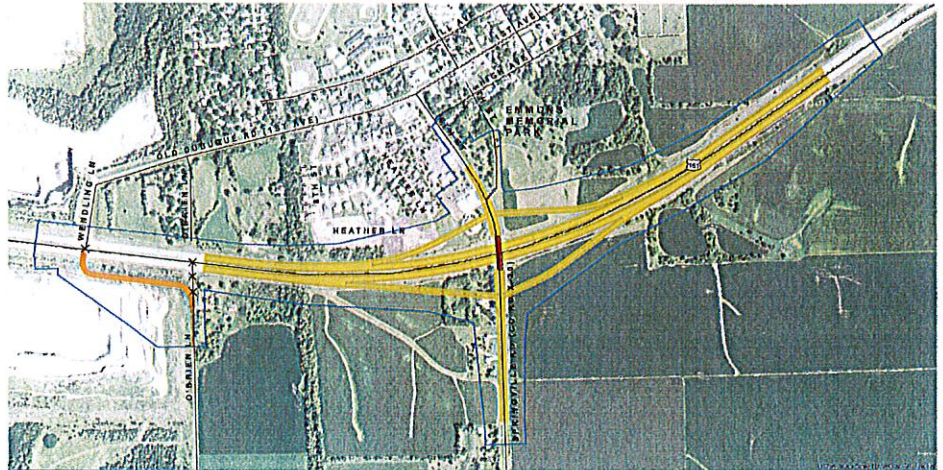
I would also like to congratulate all of our high school athletes for another great season. A big congratulations to our high school girls basketball team on making it to state again. We are proud of you.

Please come out to the public hearing being held at St. Isidore's Catholic Church on March 12th. There is more information below. Your opinion is valued.

Mayor Shebetka



US 151 and County Road X-20 Intersection



PUBLIC HEARING

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 2019

5 to 7 p.m. @ ST. ISIDORE CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Iowa Department of Transportation will hold a public hearing to discuss the proposed improvement of U.S. 151 and Linn County Road X-20 and to gather public feedback on the environmental documentation, preferred alternative, and potential impacts related to the planning highway improvements. The environmental assessment is now available to review at the Springville Memorial Library, City Hall, and will be available for review during the public hearing.

March 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4 Book Group 10:30 AM @ Library City Council Mtg @ 6PM @ City Hall	5  	6 Senior Dining @ Sally's 11:30-12:30 Library Activity Day @ 2PM	7 Story Time 10:30AM @ Library Knitters 1PM @ Library Adult Coloring 5:30 PM @ Library American Legion Auxiliary Mtg 6PM @ Legion	8	9
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BLOOD DRIVE

Date: Wednesday March 6, 2019

Time: 2:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Where: Springville High School Cafeteria

To donate contact Tiel Howard

at: tiellucille@gmail.com

or visit: Bloodcenterimpact.org



SALLY'S SENIOR MEALS

1st & 3rd Wednesdays at Sally's
Serving from 11:30AM to 12:30 PM
\$3.50 Charge for Meal & Beverage
Bring a Friend!

SANSI SENIOR MEALS & BINGO

2nd & 4th Wednesdays at Sansi
Serving from 11:30AM to 12:00PM
Activities from 12:00PM to 2:00PM
\$3.50 charge for Meal &
Beverage
Bring a Friend!

3rd Annual Springville

SHAMROCK PARADE

SATURDAY, MARCH 16 • 5 P.M.

Everyone is invited to participate!



No registration fee.

Contact City Hall at (319) 854-6428 or
cityofsp@netins.net

Line up at 602 Mill Ave. (old elementary)

MORE FUN AFTER THE PARADE



SALLY'S ON BROADWAY

Serving a traditional Irish dinner of Corn Beef and
Cabbage and special Green O'Ritas.

THE AMERICAN LEGION

Serving green beer.



Daylight Saving Time



Don't forget to turn
your clocks forward
one hour on Sunday
March 10th at 2:00
a.m. for Daylight
Saving Time.

Springville Events Team (S.E.T.)



The Springville Beautification Committee is
now the Springville Events Team. They are
looking for volunteers to help plan and organ-
ize events in our community.

If interested, please contact: City Hall at 319-
854-6428 to complete a form or Heidi Besler
at 319-240-1441 if you would like more infor-
mation about the committee.



Working SMOKE ALARMS SAVE LIVES

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Planning & Zoning Commission Vacancy

We are looking for someone to fill a vacancy on the Planning & Zoning Commission. The P&Z Commission consists of five members appointed by the Council. The Commission members shall be residents of the City and shall not hold any elective office in the City government. This is a volunteer position for a five year term. If interested, applications are available at the City Clerk's Office or you can get on the City's website: www.ci.springville.ia.us. Please submit completed applications to the City Clerk's Office.



Springville City Wide Sales

Saturday, June 8th

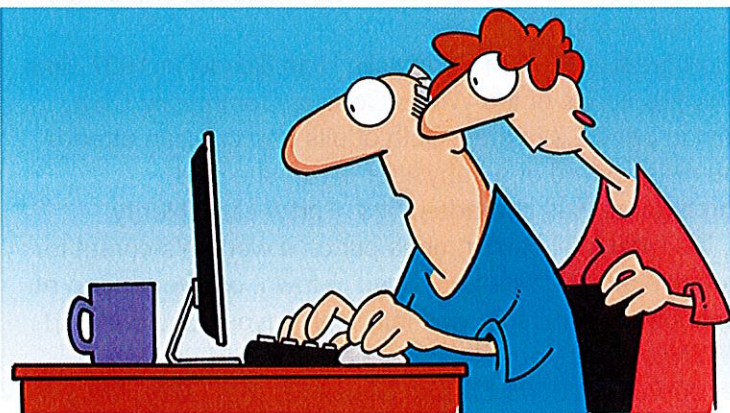
8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sign up will be April 24 to May 22

Registration Fee is \$6.00

**GARAGE
SALE**

The Clerk's office is getting new software in April and May. This will be a big adjustment and getting all our information converted to the new system will take some time. We might have shortened office hours during those months for training. We are also asking for your patience if you notice any errors on your billing. We will get it all worked through, but it will be an adjustment. Thank you in advance for your patience.



"The computer says I need to upgrade my brain to be compatible with the new software."

Wild Game Feed

April 27, 2019

5:30 p.m.



Spring projects

Are you planning any remodeling projects or just doing some much needed home repairs? Maybe you are planning on adding a deck or fence to your property. Please



make sure you stop by City Hall before starting and get your building permit. You also need a permit to demolish buildings. If you are unsure, please contact us here at City Hall.

It's golf cart season again in Springville! Be sure to keep your eyes open for golf carts around town. Golf carts are energy efficient, cheaper to buy and maintain than regular cars, and a whole bunch of fun to drive.

Springville licenses the use of golf carts, UTVs, and ATVs on city streets. These vehicles must have a slow moving vehicle sign and a safety flag at least 5 feet high. To get or renew your license, stop by City Hall or give us a call at 854-6428.



Help Preserve Our Heritage



Springville is proud to have a Revolutionary War soldier buried in our cemetery. However, his monument (photo) is in very poor condition. Donations to help restore it may be left at the Exchange State Bank. Thank you for preserving our heritage.

A STROLL THROUGH THE H

99 years later, Arthur Storrs mystery still unsolved

Andrew Storrs and his wife Elizabeth moved to Springville in 1849 from Cortland County, N. Y. In their early 30s, they had two children, James, 3, and Hannah, 1. Their firstborn, Mary, was 16 months old when she died in New York.

Two more babies were born at Springville: Frances, called Fanny, in September 1853, and Andrew Dana, January 1857. Sadly, three Storrs children are interred in the Springville Cemetery. Hannah died at age 3 in 1852; Fanny, 8, in 1862; and James, 26, in 1872. Only Andrew Dana survived.

In 1878, Andrew Sr. was farming about two miles east of Springville. He owned 238 acres of land, "finely improved, worth \$10,000," stated the Linn County History. Andrew D. Storrs, 21, was studying law in Iowa City.

Before the 1880 census, Andrew and Elizabeth moved to Hawarden in Sioux County. Andrew D. received his law degree and began practicing in Des Moines. He and Blanche Knapp were married there in 1881, later moving to Hawarden. They had seven children.

Their oldest, Arthur Storrs, married Iva L. Patrick. The couple's eighth child, Grace, died soon after birth in February 1920. Her mother, 36, died of pneumonia March 5, 1920, in a Council Bluffs hospital.

The widowed Arthur was left with Gilbert, Virgil, Ora Arthur, Jesse, Margaret, Martha, and Richard, ages 17 through 4. Apparently overwhelmed, he simply disappeared. His parents died without learning his whereabouts – Andrew Dana in 1929, Blanche in 1938.

They are buried in Grace Hill Cemetery, Hawarden. So are the elder Andrew and his wife Elizabeth, formerly of Springville. Iva Storrs' grave is at Ute, Monona County. The final resting place of Arthur Storrs is unknown.

Possibly the missing man moved to Washington state, remarried, and had another son, John L. Storrs, about 1926. Proof of this is not conclusive, however. Nearly a century later, Arthur Storrs remains a mystery.

(Thanks to the Rev. Anna Mae Peck for research help.)

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ANDREW STORRS DIED Jan. 15, 1899, at 82. A few months before his death, he was asked, "Why do you read so much at your age?" He replied, "It is not only a pleasure to me, but I consider it my duty to acquire all useful knowledge I can, as I expect to continue right on in an afterworld."

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NOTED ANCESTOR: Andrew Storrs, once of Springville, was a descendant of William Bradford, first governor of Plymouth Colony, Mass. Bradford came from England in 1620 on the ship Mayflower.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY—The Springville Area Historical Society (SAHS) will meet Tuesday, March 12, at 6:30 p.m. in the SAHS building, next door to City Hall. It's okay to arrive late, if you wish also to attend the IDOT hearing from 5 to 7 p.m. about plans for the 151-Springville Road intersection. The February SAHS meeting was canceled due to inclement weather.

A place called Wire's Corners

Wire's Corners was a rural neighborhood east of Springville. In 1859 or earlier, a one-room school by that name opened. **Milo P. Smith** (1835-1926), later a District Court judge, taught there as a young man.

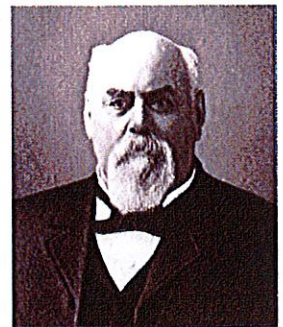
Apparently Wire's Corners School consolidated with Springville, date unknown.

Olive Wetzel Port of Marion, who will be 99 March 23, moved to the area in 1935, but she doesn't remember a school, even an unused one.

Mrs. Port graduated from Springville High School in 1937. She has happy memories of the Wire's Corners Community Club, which met in people's homes. Both adults and children attended. "You never heard of a babysitter then," she said.

A favorite game was charades, Mrs. Port recalls. Henry Cooper, the rural mail carrier, once put on a woman's corset for a charade. He and his wife Lucy lived in town, but were often at club meetings. Membership was informal; anyone could attend.

99th BIRTHDAY: *If you'd like to send Olive Port a birthday card, her address is 3505 English Glen Ave. (Apt. 326), Marion, IA 52302 . . . If you have information about Wire's Corners School or neighborhood, please call Karen Taylor, 854-7422.*



Milo P. Smith

STORY OF SPRINGVILLE, IOWA

Springville students were kept on tight rein in 1880s

On Aug. 14, 1884, the Springville school board adopted a list of 10 rules for students. The past 135 years have brought vast changes to schools. Those 1884 rules might seem downright medieval to students of today!

Rule 1 concerned non-resident tuition. Country schools had their own districts, and any student living outside town had to pay tuition to attend Springville School. Rule 2 forbade students to enter the school or even "to assemble on the school ground" before the first bell, without a teacher's permission.

"Pupils on entering the (school) . . . shall walk in a quiet and orderly manner, and without conversation," commanded Rule 3. "Scuffling, boisterous play, or any other kind of rudeness shall in no case be allowed in the school building."

Rule 4 declared, "No pupil shall leave the schoolroom during school hours, or the yard at recess, without permission. For absence or tardiness, pupils needed a written excuse from their parent or guardian.

Parents who objected to writing excuses were reminded they would be "much more likely to be watchful that their children are on time when they know inattendance and tardiness will be the occasion of some trouble to themselves."

Rule 9 stated that any pupil "guilty of cutting, marking, or in any way injuring school property shall make good the damage immediately, or be suspended from school." Offenders would be readmitted only by school board action, after "complete repair and payment of the damage."

Rule 10 was a catchall: "*Things forbidden*: All improper conduct or language, bringing fire arms, fire crackers, or weapons of any kind, using tobacco . . . *or doing anything which interferes with the progress of the school.*"

In conclusion, the rules stated, "Any pupil willfully violating any of the above, or any other rules or regulations governing the school, shall be liable to suspension or expulsion." Tough love, 1884 style?

1884 SPRINGVILLE SCHOOL board members were president Horace N. Brown, secretary A. F. N. Hambleton, treasurer Joseph S. Butler, journalist Fred Chamberlain, creamery owner Adelbert D. Hill, and storekeeper Byron M. Hopper.

Pupils' dream: 18-day Christmas vacation!

In 1884-1885, the Springville School year was Sept. 8 through June 12, with an 18-day Christmas vacation. The high school's only teacher, **F. J. Sessions**, was also the principal. He earned \$700 a year.

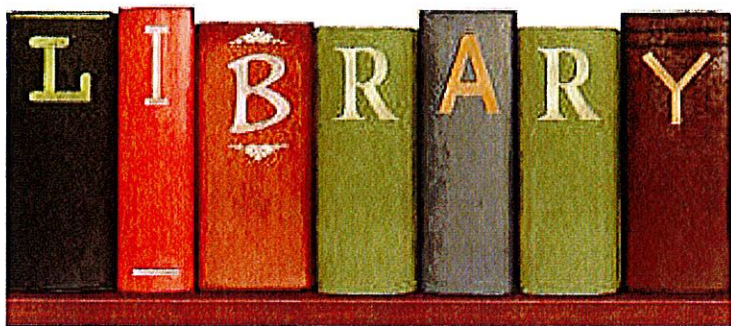
The grammar department (7th and 8th grades) was taught by Miss **Amanda A. Whittington**, who was paid \$40 a month. Intermediate (4th through 6th) teacher was Miss **Mary Magee**, and primary (1st through 3rd), Mrs. **Anna Marshall**. Each earned \$35 a month.

Miss **Belle Flagg** taught music; her pay is unknown. **Pierson M. Jones** earned \$10 a month for cleaning the school rooms, plus 50 cents a night for the large assembly hall. Outside groups could rent the assembly hall at charges ranging from \$1 to \$5 per event.



Uniform was middy blouse, culottes

Springville's 1922-1923 girls basketball team, *front row, from left*: Frieda Johnston Taylor, Helen Daniels White, Pearl Thompson Begley, Sybil Ozburn Brebner Castle; *middle row*: Grace Yeisley Davis, Arlene Pirie Johnston, Leona Campbell Dunlap; *back row*: Mary Pollock Young, Coach Bernice Daniels (SHS 1913), and Martha Port Raff. The season record was nine wins, one tie. There was no state tournament then.



Sometime last year, we set up our system to automatically send e-mails to patrons with overdue items. We are really pleased with the results. If you'd like to get notices that your items are overdue,

please email us at sprlibry@netins.net. Let's cut down the late fees.

NEW READS

New Adult Fiction

The Readers of Broken Wheel
Recommend by Katarina Bivald

Wolf Pack by C.J. Box

Run Away by Harlan Coben

The Big Kahuna by Janet Evanovich

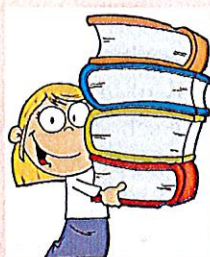
Cemetery Road by Greg Isles

Finding Dorothy by Elizabeth Letts

The Cornwalls Are Gone by James Patterson

The Island of Sea Women by Lisa See

Silent Night by Danielle Steel



Young Adult Fiction

Pretend She's Here by Luanne Rice

New Children's Fiction

Babar and His Family by Laurent de Brunhoff

Babar and the New Baby by Laurent de Brunhoff

New Juvenile Fiction

Bramble the Hedgehog by Jane Clarke

Ginger the Kitten by Jane Clarke

Logan the Puppy by Jane Clarke

Peanut the Mouse by Jane Clarke

Pumpkin the Hamster by Jane Clarke

Willow the Duckling by Jane Clarke

Alcatraz vs the Evil Librarians by Brandon Sanderson

The Knights of Crystallia by Brandon Sanderson

The Scrivener's Bones by Brandon Sanderson

The Shattered Lens by Brandon Sanderson

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday, March 6- Early Out Wed @ 2:00 pm

Thursday, March 7- Story Time @ 10:30 am, Knitters @ 1:00 pm, Adult Coloring @ 5:30 pm

Monday, March 11- Book Group @ 10:30 am

Wednesday, March 13- Early Out Wed @ 2:00 pm, Library Board Meeting @ 6:30 pm

Thursday, March 14- Story Time @ 10:30 am, Knitters @ 1:00 pm, Friends of the Library Meeting @ 6:30 pm

Wednesday, March 20- Early Out Wed @ 2:00 pm

Thursday, March 21- Story Time @ 10:30 am, Knitters @ 1:00 pm

Saturday, March 23- Free Movie Matinee @ 2:00 pm

Wednesday, March 27- Early Out Wed @ 2:00 pm

Thursday, March 28- Story Time @ 10:30 am, Knitters @ 1:00 pm

***Note, there is no Crafternoon this month. Be sure to join us in April for a "Super Sized Sunday Crafternoon".

Free Movie Matinee

Saturday, March 23rd is our movie matinee. We will be showing Rio 2, the sequel to Rio. Come join us for an adventure in the Amazon rainforest.



It's on the way....

The summer reading program, that is. In the next few months, look for the announcement and calendar for our summer of fun. (Is it here yet?)



We want to give a big thanks to all those who participated in the Friends Book and Bake Sale last month. Whether you donated your time, your books, your handmade items, or your baked goods, your help was so appreciated. Of course, if you purchased a book, a knitted hot pad, a baked good, or all three, we want to thank you too. Every penny spent on a Friends of the Library fundraiser comes right back to us. These funds help us with the programs you love, the books you can't stop reading, and many things behind the scenes that keep our library up and running. So we are always grateful for the support of our Friends and patrons. Keep an eye out for the next Friends event, and be sure to follow them on Facebook. You can find them by searching for "Friends of the Springville Memorial Library".





ORIOLE NEWS

Congratulations Springville 2018-2019 Girls Basketball Team



Back row, from left: Ashlynn Zaruba, Christina Zaruba, Beau Zaruba, Megan Pearson, Rylee Chapman, Mel Nulle, Nichole Kane, Kali Spicer, Kailee Jacobs, Nia Howard, Anna Hennings, Tyler Husak, Sarah Matus; *front row:* Savannah Nealman, Kelsie Clothier, Caydenze Schultz, Kelly Kirchmann, Morgan Nachazel, Lauren Wilson, Grace Matus, Liz Blakely and Abby Christiansen.

The annual flu season is upon us. Some students and community members have confirmed cases of influenza, other respiratory infections, and positive cases of strep throat.

Strep throat is a bacteria and **MUST** be treated with antibiotics. Strep throat will not go away on its own and will cause heart damage if not treated.

Influenza is a virus therefore antibiotics are ineffective in treating it.

The best protection against influenza is the annual flu vaccine.

Tips to help prevent illnesses to yourself and others:

- **MOST IMPORTANTLY:** Practicing good personal hygiene and washing hands thoroughly and frequently or using hand sanitizer are your best defense mechanisms. Perform hand hygiene after coughing or sneezing, before eating, after being in public places, and after using the bathroom.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth
- Avoid close contact with people who are ill
- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. Throw the tissue in the trash after you use it.
- If no tissue is available cough or sneeze into your arm or sleeve.
- If you have a fever stay home from work or school and limit contact with others to keep from infecting them.
- Stay home for 24 hours after antibiotics are started, this is especially important during illness involving strep throat.
- If you are vomiting or have diarrhea, stay home until symptoms have been resolved for 24 hours.
- Keep your immune system strong by practicing good health habits which include getting plenty of sleep, being physically active, managing your stress, drinking plenty of fluids and eating nutritious foods.

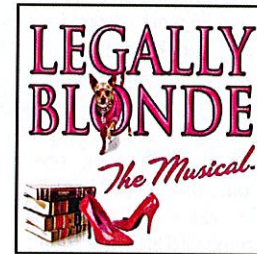


Speech Showcase

There will be a Speech Showcase in the Springville High School auditorium, Friday, March 1st at 7 PM. Come watch Springville's speech team perform group improv, a skit, a radio broadcast, and monologues.



Night on Broadway presents
Legally Blonde
Springville HS Auditorium
April 6th & 7th



Pictures Wanted

We are looking for pictures of Springville or the surrounding area to feature on the cover of the monthly newsletter. Pictures can be submitted by dropping them off at the City Clerk's Office or they can be emailed to cityofsp@netins.net.



The pledge of allegiance was recited to begin the meeting.

The Springville City Council met in regular session in the Springville Council Chambers on February 4, 2019. Mayor Shebetka called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Council members present: Dennis Thies, Brad Merritt, Lyle Andersen, Jeff Grimley, and Mareta Ralston. City Staff present: Public Works Director Todd Wyman, Deputy Clerk Michele Weinschenk, and City Clerk/Treasurer Dee Wagaman.

Andersen made a motion to approve the agenda as written, second from Thies. All ayes. M/C.

Andersen made a motion to approve the following consent agenda items: Approval of January 21, 2019 minutes, Approval of bills with the exception of Friends of Fire Department, second from Grimley. All ayes. M/C.

Mayor Shebetka invited Citizens with input to speak. There being no comments from citizens, Mayor Shebetka moved to business.

Mayor Shebetka invited the IDOT to speak. Neal Fobian from the IDOT presented the proposed intersection change to US 151 and X20. There will be a public hearing on March 12, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. at the Springville Library. All comments must be submitted by April 1, 2019.

The Linn County Sheriff presented his report. There were 17 calls for service from 1/21/19-2/4/19.

Mayor Shebetka opened the Public Hearing at 6:33 p.m. This public hearing was to consider amending Chapter 105 of the code of ordinances. There were no comments for or against the proposed changes. Thies made a motion to close the Public Hearing at 6:35 p.m., second from Merritt. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. M/C.

Andersen presented the first reading of ORDINANCE #9-2019, an ordinance to amend Chapter 105 of the code of ordinances, second from Thies. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None.

Merritt made a motion to waive the second and third reading of ORDINANCE #9-2019, second from Ralston. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. M/C.

Andersen presented ORDINANCE #9-2019, an ordinance to amend Chapter 105 of the Springville Code of Ordinances pertaining to the yard waste site, second from Grimley. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. **ORDINANCE #9-2019 adopted.**

Mayor Shebetka opened the Public Hearing at 6:37 p.m. This public hearing was to consider the re-zoning application from Wendling Quarries. Karmin McShane addressed the council with a written letter to be filed. She had several questions about the regulations and plans for the quarry. Gordon Trampe also had some questions. John Tuthill from Wendling was there to address some of these questions. Being no other comments Andersen made a motion to close the Public Hearing at 6:55 p.m., second from Ralston. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. M/C.

Andersen presented the first reading of ORDINANCE #10-2019, an ordinance to amend the zoning map, second from Thies. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None.

Ryan Hosch of MSA gave a project update on the Sanitary Sewer Project. He pointed out to council that their estimated fees have gone up due to the project taking longer than anticipated. Hosch also stated that the public hearing would have to be set for February 18 due to incorrect dates on the previous one. Clerk will provide minutes for clarification. Andersen presented RESOLUTION #84-2019, a resolution to set a public hearing on February 18, 2019 at 6 p.m. for CDBG funding, second from Grimley. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. **RESOLUTION #84-2019 adopted.**

Andersen made a motion to approve SRF loan draw #7 in the amount of \$9,813.66 for MSA invoices, second from Merritt. All ayes. Motion carried. Ralston made a motion to approve CDBG draw #7 in the amount of \$10,520.00 for MSA invoices, second from Andersen. All Ayes. M/C.

Council discussed holding a joint council/planning and zoning meeting to discuss expectations. Meeting will be held Tuesday, March 19, 2019. The city attorney will be present.

Discussion was held about the presented intersection at US 151. Security State Bank is not interested in moving. Attorney suggested that there is not much that can be done if the IDOT decides to move forward. He recommended having as many people at the meeting as possible on March 12, 2019.

Public Works presented report.

Treasurer's report will be presented at next meeting. Busy finishing up budget.

Ralston suggested additional security at Cox Lake.

The next regular council meeting will be February 18, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

There will be a budget workshop on February 5 & February 6, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

There being no further discussion, Ralston moved to adjourn at 7:47 p.m., second from Merritt. All ayes. M/C.

City Council Regular Meeting

February 18, 2019

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The Springville City Council met in regular session in the Springville Council Chambers on February 18, 2019. Mayor Shebetka called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Council members present: Dennis Thies, Brad Merritt, Lyle Andersen, Jeff Grimley, and Mareta Ralston. City Staff present: Public Works Director Todd Wyman, and City Clerk/Treasurer Dee Wagaman.

Andersen made a motion to approve the agenda as written, second from Ralston. All ayes. M/C.

Thies made a motion to approve the following consent agenda items: Approval of February 4, 2019 minutes, Approval of February 9, 2019 budget workshop minutes, Approval of February 11, 2019 budget workshop minutes, and Approval of bills, second from Andersen. All ayes. M/C.

Mayor Shebetka invited Citizens with input to speak. Chris Williams of Springville spoke about concern he has with regards to declining relationship between Council and Fire Department. He explained that it isn't good for our community. Mayor Shebetka expressed his gratitude for all of the Fire Department's volunteer service. Being no more comments, Mayor Shebetka moved to business.

The Linn County Sheriff Tindal presented his report. There were 17 calls for service from 2/4/19-2/18/19.

Mayor Shebetka opened the Public Hearing at 6:07 p.m. This public hearing was to give an update for the CDBG funding. Mayor Shebetka read the following narrative:

SPRINGVILLE SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS 17-WS-025

CDBG STATUS OF FUNDS

PUBLIC HEARING NARRATIVE

NARRATIVE FOR THE PUBLIC HEARING ON THE STATUS OF FUNDED ACTIVITIES FOR THE CITY OF SPRINGVILLE SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS
The project is funded through a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) provided by the Iowa Economic Development Authority and State Revolving Fund (SRF) Construction Loan for Clean Water improvements. As of February 13, 2019 the status of funds is:

CDBG Funding Awarded:	up to	\$ 500,000
Requested to Date:		\$ 421,084
Remaining:		\$ 78,916

SRF Construction Loan Funds Expended: \$715,533.13

Please contact City Hall and/or Christopher Janson with MSA at 515-635-3401 with any questions.

Andersen made a motion to close the Public Hearing at 6:10 p.m., second from Grimley. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. M/C.

Andersen presented the second reading of ORDINANCE #10-2019, an ordinance to amend the zoning map, second from Thies. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None.

Andersen made a motion to waive the third reading of ORDINANCE #10-2019, second from Ralston. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. Motion passed.

Andersen presented ORDINANCE #10-2019, an ordinance to amend the zoning map by rezoning Wendling Quarries from Ag to M-2, second from Thies. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. **ORDINANCE #10-2019 adopted.**

City Clerk Wagaman apologized to the City Council and to the citizens for the mistakes she made to cause negative publicity in the community. It was explained that the initial emailed claim of \$1,800 was accidentally left off the January 21, 2019 claims list. It was then put on the February 4, 2019 claims list. At that meeting there were questions of how many firefighters were on the roster and what Brown Township's role in this donation was. Wagaman pulled the invoice and did not bring it to the business part of the agenda to discuss. A process she was unaware of. She then followed up with the Fire Chief to get the needed information and it was communicated in an email dated Tuesday, February 5, 2019 to the Fire Chief,

this \$1,800 donation would be brought back to the council at the February 18, 2019 council meeting. She had no idea that the fire department did not have that communicated to them when KCRG reached out to the City.

Clerk gave council requested information for the \$1,800 Friends of the Fire donation. Brown Township shares the cost of the donation and clerk only received a partial roster. Fire Chief assured council he will get an updated roster. Andersen made a motion to approve the \$1,800 donation to the Friends of the Fire Department, second from Merritt. All ayes. M/C. Clerk went through a quick review of each department's budget so council could get any final questions answered. Council questioned the defibrillator that Fire Department recently purchased. The purchase was not in this year's budget, council has added it to FY20 budget to make the \$10,000 city payment. Clerk presented some options for water/sewer rates. An option that is being considered in lieu of increasing rates is to add a debt service fee to every household. Grimley presented RESOLUTION #85-2019, a resolution setting a public hearing date (March 4, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m.) to present and approve the FY20 budget, second from Merritt. RCV: AYES: Thies, Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, and Ralston. NAYES: None. **RESOLUTION #85-2019 adopted.**

Public Works presented report. Most of work being done has been snow plowing and trying to find places for all the snow. Wyman has been trying to locate sand. Ice has been bad this year. They will be preparing for the next storm.

Treasurer's report was not presented due to current software showing errors. Busy finishing up budget.

Merritt complimented Clerk on her work on the budget. He was happy to see that the tax rate is going down.

The next regular council meeting will be March 4, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

There being no further discussion, Thies moved to adjourn at 6:40 p.m., second from Andersen. All ayes. M/C.

Friendly Reminder

All sump pumps need to be disconnected from the sanitary sewer system on or before April 15, 2019. If your sump pump is not disconnected by this date, the City may file a Municipal infraction. Please help us keep our sewers clear for the spring rains. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.



Please take a few minutes to help us make sure those fire hydrants are cleared of snow if they are in front of your home. Thanks!



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

BUDGET ESTIMATE

FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2019 - ENDING JUNE 30, 2020

City of **Springville**, Iowa

The City Council will conduct a public hearing on the proposed Budget at **Springville City Hall**
on **3/4/2019** at **6:00 P.M.**

The Budget Estimate Summary of proposed receipts and expenditures is shown below.

Copies of the the detailed proposed Budget may be obtained or viewed at the offices of the Mayor, City Clerk, and at the Library.

The estimated Total tax levy rate per \$1000 valuation on regular property . . . **14.47391**

The estimated tax levy rate per \$1000 valuation on Agricultural land is **3.00375**

At the public hearing, any resident or taxpayer may present objections to, or arguments in favor of,

any part of the proposed budget.

(319) 854-6428
phone number

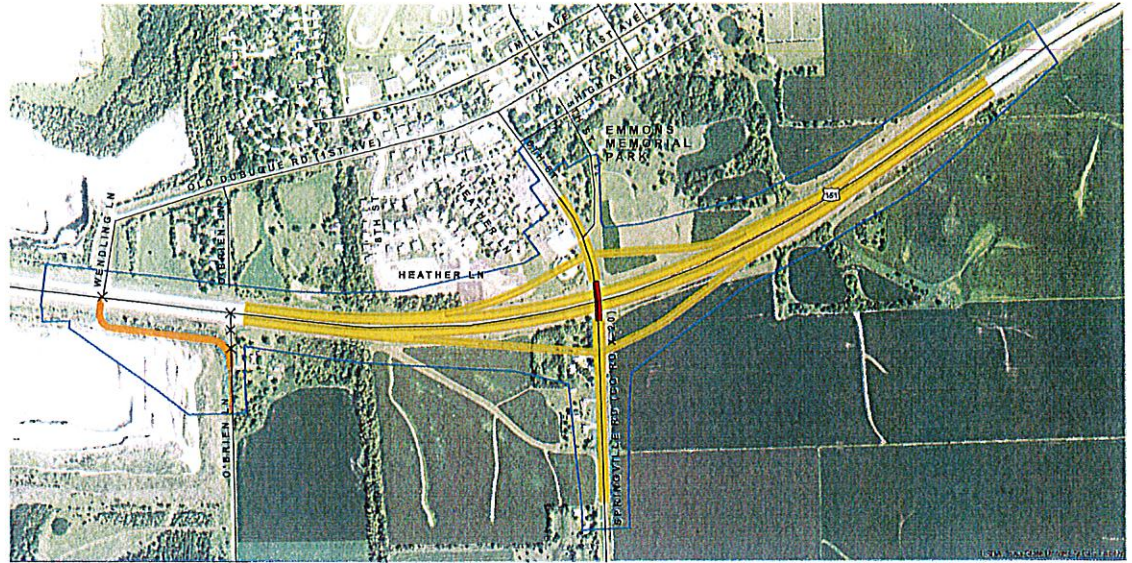
Dee Wagaman
City Clerk/Finance Officer's NAME

		Budget FY	Re-est. FY	Actual FY
		2020	2019	2018
		(a)	(b)	(c)
Revenues & Other Financing Sources				
Taxes Levied on Property	1	545,009	558,504	508,613
Less: Uncollected Property Taxes-Levy Year	2	0	0	0
Net Current Property Taxes	3	545,009	558,504	508,613
Delinquent Property Taxes	4	0	0	0
TIF Revenues	5	0	0	0
Other City Taxes	6	157,100	165,910	148,322
Licenses & Permits	7	5,550	6,171	10,306
Use of Money and Property	8	6,150	15,173	15,166
Intergovernmental	9	207,718	686,725	168,586
Charges for Services	10	535,578	497,000	425,528
Special Assessments	11	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	12	16,300	17,000	23,317
Other Financing Sources	13	0	740,000	1,722,026
Transfers In	14	101,267	204,957	139,371
Total Revenues and Other Sources	15	1,574,672	2,891,440	3,161,235
Expenditures & Other Financing Uses				
Public Safety	16	92,190	124,270	50,120
Public Works	17	319,895	241,086	134,285
Health and Social Services	18	0	0	0
Culture and Recreation	19	178,173	178,603	174,513
Community and Economic Develop-	20	13,000	10,764	15,521
General Government	21	140,780	176,009	134,511
Debt Service	22	183,053	176,720	115,800
Capital Projects	23	0	2,223,881	346,374
Total Government Activities Ex-	24	927,091	3,131,333	971,124
pensitures	25	461,814	410,441	317,153
Business Type / Enterprises	26	1,388,905	3,541,774	1,288,277
Total ALL Expenditures	27	101,267	204,957	139,371
Transfers Out	28	1,490,172	3,746,731	1,427,648
Total Expenditures/Transfers Out	29	84,500	-855,291	1,733,587
Excess Revenues & Other Sources	30	1,832,939	2,688,230	954,643
Over	31	1,917,439	1,832,939	2,688,230
(Under) Expenditures/Transfers Out				
Beginning Fund Balance July 1				
Ending Fund Balance June 30				

Public Hearing:

US 151 &
Springville Rd.
Intersection

Tuesday, March 12
5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
St. Isidore Catholic
Church



CITY NEWS BRIEFS

- Sign up to have your Springville water utility bill automatically withdrawn from your checking account. Don't pay another late fee. It is easy to sign up and free.
- Register your golf cart at City Hall.
- Please move all vehicles off the road during a snow emergency.
- Reminder of City Hall Hours; 7:30AM-12PM, 12:30PM-4PM, Monday-Friday.
- Moving? Contact City Hall as soon as possible.

City of Springville
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