

# SPRINGVILLE NEWS

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## UPCOMING MEETINGS

### **American Legion Auxiliary**

November 5-6:00 PM  
Springville Legion

### **Legion Dinner/Mtg**

November 12-6:30 PM  
Springville Legion

### **Library Board**

November 11- 6:30 PM  
Springville library

### **P & Z Meeting**

TBA  
City Hall

### **School Board**

November 18- 7:00 PM  
Springville high school

### **Council Meeting**

November 2- 6:00 PM  
November 16- 6:00 PM  
City Hall

### **SAHS**

Not Meeting  
SAHS Building

### **Parks**

TBA  
City Hall

## **CITY HALL HOURS**

Monday—Friday

7:30AM -12:00 PM

12:30 PM - 4:00 PM

City Hall Phone: 854-6428

City Hall Fax: 854-6443

Email:

[cityofsp@netins.net](mailto:cityofsp@netins.net)

Keep current by visiting our website:

[www.ci.springville.ia.us](http://www.ci.springville.ia.us)





### Mayor

Roger Shebetka - 854-7771

### City Council

Jeff Grimley - 854-7596

Brad Merritt - 854-6996

Lyle Andersen - 854-7435

Karla Blakely - 854-7860

Bart Barner - 854-7769

### City Hall - 854-6428

Dee Wagaman-City Clerk

Michele Weinschenk-  
Deputy Clerk

### Maintenance Department

Todd Wyman-PW Director

Brandon French-PW

### Fire Department

PJ Hoyt-Fire Chief

Kevin Hulett-Asst. Fire Chief

Jeremy Ketelsen - Asst. Fire Chief

### Library Board of Trustees

Deb Vaughn-President

Tina Allsup-Secretary

Treva Davis, James Porter,

Daryl McCall, Marla Carnahan  
& Susan Cooper

### SANSI - 854-6100

(Springville Area Neighborhood Services &  
Information)

Janet Lentz-Coordinator

### Parks Board

Teresa Pilipovic,

Laura Barner, John Lemon &  
Ryan Sweet

### Board of Adjustment

Mike Hanshaw, Iris Trampe,

Nick Besler & Andy Hoge

### Planning & Zoning

Michelle Stone,

Edward Ware, Dan Weber, &  
Jason Hosek

### Historical Society

Rick Heeren-President

Wes Bender-V. President

Bev Franks-Secretary

James Crow-Treasurer

Karen Taylor-Historian

### Township Trustees

Kevin Hulett-Chairman

Tom Donaldson & Steve Lam

### SAHC

(Springville Area Housing Corporation)

Gordan Trampe-President

-V. President

-Secretary

Janet Lentz, Jean Schmidt  
& Jake Hiner

## Dee's Desk

*"Be kind, be thoughtful, be genuine, but most of all be thankful."*

*~Unknown*

I can't believe it is November already. I think we have all been saying that 2020 could end anytime now, but wow, we are almost through the year. Thank goodness. There is a lot to be thinking about with the end of the year coming. I don't know about your families, but mine has been getting their Christmas lists going. Yes, I said the word. Only 8 weeks until the big day.

I am not sure what Old Man Winter has in store for us, but our guys have been getting the equipment ready. Hopefully since we are ready for the winter it will be a mild one.

COVID-19, what more can I say about Covid? The numbers are up everywhere and there is no escaping it. I believe that we all have to learn to live with the new normal. We need to be careful at the situations that we put ourselves in and when we do find ourselves in those questionable situations, then we need to help protect others by wearing our masks. Wearing a mask is not saying that you fear Covid, it is a sign that you are being conscious of others. This could be a rough cold and flu season with the additional threat of Covid. So please do your part to take care of each other.

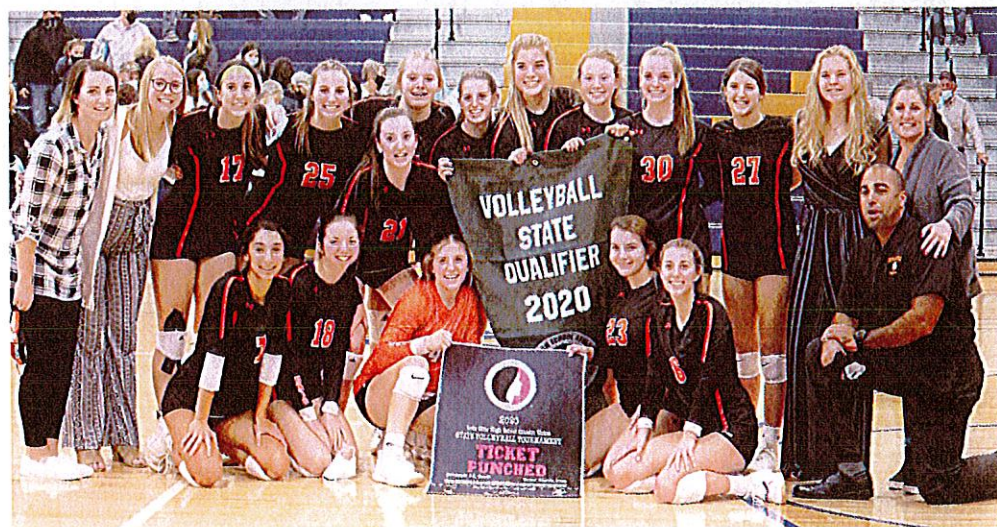
We have closed the City offices again. The biggest reason for this is that we do not have a lobby that allows for social distancing for our residents. We have had multiple times where we had 2 or 3 people and sometimes kids, no masks and no social distancing. If we feel that we can better serve you we will allow you to come in.

I hope you all enjoy a Happy Thanksgiving with your family.

*Dee Wagaman*



## STATE BOUND AGAIN!



The Orioles defeated Belle Plaine to earn a place at the State Volleyball Tournament. This is the second straight year making it to State and the fifth time in the last six years. The O's will face Gladbrook-Reinbeck in the quarterfinals on November 3 at 8:00 PM at the Alliant Energy Powerhouse Arena. Good luck ladies, we will be cheering you on.



# November 2020

| Sun   | Mon   | Tue  | Wed  | Thu  | Fri  | Sat  |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1<br> | 2<br>City Council<br>6:00 PM City Hall<br>Deviled Egg Day | 3<br>Sandwich Day<br>ELECTION DAY<br> | 4<br>Candy Day   | 5<br>Legion Auxiliary<br>6:00 PM<br>Love your red hair day                                 | 6<br>Nachos Day<br> | 7  |
| 8<br>Parents as Teachers Day  | 9   | 10<br>Vanilla cupcake day<br>        | 11<br>CITY OFFICE CLOSED<br>Library Board 6:30 PM<br>Buresh Room<br>Veterans Day   | 12<br>Legion Dinner/<br>Mtg 6:30 PM<br>French Dip Day                                      | 13<br>World Kindness Day   | 14<br>Pickle Day<br> |
| 15<br>Water Bills due<br>Raisin Bran Cereal Day                                       | 16<br>City Council<br>6:00 PM City Hall<br>Button Day     | 17<br>Take a Hike day<br>           | 18<br>School Board Meeting 7:00P<br>Mickey Mouse Birthday<br> | 19<br>Play Monopoly Day  | 20<br>Child's Day  | 21<br>Gingerbread cookie day   |
| 22  | 23<br>Espresso Day  | 24<br>Sardines Day<br>              | 25<br>Jukebox Day<br>   | 26<br> | 27<br>Day of Listening   | 28<br>French Toast Day   |
| 29<br>Electronic Greetings Day  | 30<br>Personal Space Day                                  |  |  |  |  |  |



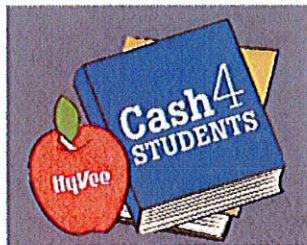
## BUTLER PARK CLEAN-UP

The Parks Board is having a clean-up of Butler Park on November 14 from 9:00 AM-12:00 PM. Grab the gloves, your favorite rake and a group of friends and come help with this project. Any amount of time you can give will be appreciated. Thank you.

IT'S  
MY  
PARK!  
DAY

## WINTER FESTIVAL

There will be changes to the Winter Festival on December 5. Due to Covid, this year's festival will be scaled back. The Light Parade will happen at 6:30 PM with line up at 6:00 PM at the High School. Following the parade, in Butler Park, there will be a tree lighting, with Santa making a visit to the Gazebo.



Collect Hy-Vee receipts for your school of choice  
June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020 through April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021

## IOWA STATE DANCE & DRILL TEAM COMPETITION

The ISTDA will be live streaming the 2020 state dance competition.

Iowa State Dance & Drill Team Competition  
**Tuesday, November 17th**  
Wells Fargo Arena - Des Moines, IA  
**State Hip Hop - 3:03 p.m.**  
**State Jazz - 4:27 p.m.**

More details and links will be posted to the Springville Danceteam Facebook page in the upcoming weeks.

## SANSI CHRISTMAS BENEFIT

Due to Covid there will be no SANSI Christmas benefit this year. However, there will be Christmas for the children. Parents need to get the names of their children to Janet by Monday, **November 9** to receive gifts. If you have questions call SANSI at 854-6100.



## VETERANS DAY OBSERVANCE

As with everything in 2020, things won't be as usual. Veterans' Day will be observed on November 11, but with no assembly and all activities outside. Usually, the school has an assembly and speeches are given, music is played, etc. This year, high school senior Megan Pearson will tape the choir, band, the speech from Commander Andersen, and the 12 gun volley, put it all together and then the video will be played in the classroom. The important thing is that we honor and recognize the veterans and their service to our country community. Thank you to all the veterans for your service.



## Linn County Public Health Reminder to Get Your Annual Flu Vaccine

LINN COUNTY, IA – Influenza is a contagious disease that can be serious. Every year, influenza causes illness, hospitalizations, and deaths. Linn County Public Health urges everyone to take steps now to protect yourself and those around you from influenza, or flu.

The first and most important step to protect yourself and others against flu is to get a flu vaccine every year. The CDC recommends everyone 6 months and older get a flu vaccine. This year, getting a flu vaccine will be more important than ever, as flu viruses and the virus that causes COVID-19 will likely both be spreading. Seasonal influenza viruses have begun spreading in Iowa, with sporadic activity.

Flu vaccine is currently available at many local clinics and pharmacies. If you need help finding a flu vaccine, visit [vaccinefinder.org](https://www.vaccinefinder.org).

In addition to getting a flu vaccine, there are other important steps to take to prevent flu and other viruses from spreading. To prevent the spread of influenza and the virus that causes COVID-19:

- Maintain a physical distance of at least 6 feet between yourself and others.
- Wear a mask when in public settings.
- Contain germs by staying home when sick and avoid close contact with sick people.
- Clean hands by washing often with soap and water or use hand sanitizer when soap and water is not available.
- Cover coughs and sneezes.

For more information about the 2020-2021 flu season, visit the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention [website](https://www.cdc.gov).

## RECYCLING RATE INCREASE



Wapsi Waste Management has been hauling solid waste for the City of Springville since 2018.

Due to increased recycling costs, it is necessary to raise the cost of hauling \$3.50 per month.

This increase will be reflected on the December 2020 utility bill.



# A STROLL THROUGH THE HIS

## Grimleys have a link to respected Springville physician

Jeff and Lee Ann Grimley never met Dr. John Smith Love; he died 82 years before they came to Springville in 1989. But they've lived in his former home for over 31 years – about twice as long as the doctor himself occupied it. Their daughter and son, now adults, grew up there.

The Queen Anne-style residence was built in the 1890s, long after Dr. Love arrived in Springville from his native Pennsylvania in December 1858. The construction date was probably between 1891 and 1896. Dr. Love's cousin, Miss Leila Smith, lived with him as housekeeper and social hostess.

The home was designed by a famous architect, George Franklin Barber. He sold his house plans worldwide through a series of mail order catalogs. Grimleys' house is Design No. 14 from Barber's first widely circulated catalog, "Cottage Souvenir No. 2," which was published in 1890.

The catalog refers to this very large house as a "cottage." Obviously the word was used differently then! People who bought the plans could request any changes they wanted in the design.

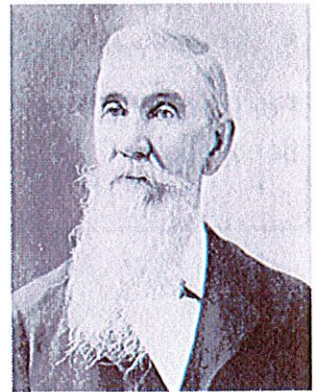
Barber was born in Illinois and lived in Kansas as a child and young man. He was self-taught in architecture, learning it from mail-order books and technical publications. After returning to DeKalb, Ill., he moved to Knoxville, Tenn., for his health in 1888. He died at 61 in 1915.

**IN SPRINGVILLE**, Dr. Love lived with the Lyman and Sarah Marshall family initially. Maybe he delivered the son they named John Love Marshall, born in 1859. Eventually the doctor had his own home (before the 1890s one), but its location is unknown.

Dr. Love became a substantial property owner, both in Springville and rural Brown Township. In 1864, he acquired nearly five acres in town from John P. Hoffman, who had moved to California in 1860. Hoffman was one of the four men who had Springville platted in 1856. His brother-in-law, Robert W. Kirkwood, had power of attorney and handled the sale.



*Dr. John Smith Love (1831-1907) practiced medicine in Springville for over 48 years. In the 1890s, he had a large Queen Anne-style house constructed on the north side of First Avenue (then called Main Street). The architect was George Franklin Barber of Knoxville, Tenn., who was internationally famous. Jeff and Lee Ann Grimley are current owners, and provided the house photo.*



Even earlier, the land that became Dr. Love's was owned by Charles Pinckney and his wife Lydia Amanda, daughter of Revolutionary War veteran Nathan Brown. (She was called by her middle name.)

Dr. Love owned the entire block on which his big house was built, plus other town property including the land that became Butler Park in 1909. (The name commemorates Joseph S. Butler, founder of the Exchange State Bank, who was acquainted with Dr. Love.)

The doctor was a professional success, but tragedy marred his personal life. An infant son was born and died in 1866 (dates unknown). The doctor's wife, Alice Stone Love, was 24 when she succumbed to "consumption" (tuberculosis) in 1872. Dr. Love and

*(Dr. Love, continued on page 7)*



# TORY OF SPRINGVILLE, IOWA

## Bob Hunte of Springville has Colonial ancestor

Roger Williams, a Puritan theologian who founded Providence, Rhode Island, was a 17th-century ancestor of Springville's Bob Hunte. Williams arrived in Boston, Mass., from England in 1631, when he was about 28.

He was a minister at churches in Plymouth and Salem before tangling with civil authorities and being banished from Massachusetts Bay Colony in 1635. Two of his "radical" ideas: a person's conscience couldn't be controlled by the state, and the English king had no legal right to Indians' land.

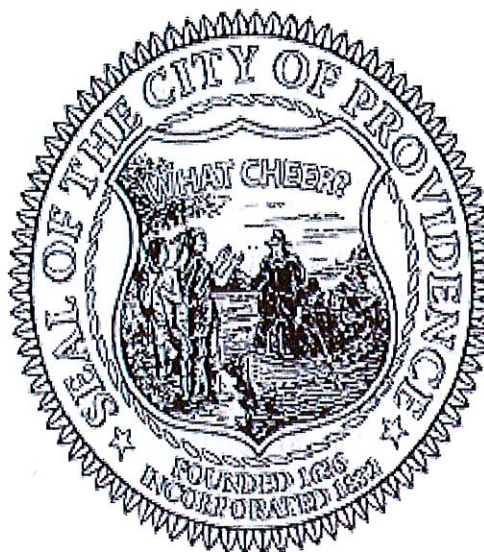
Williams bought land from the Naragansett Indians for his new settlement, Providence. It was established on principles of absolute religious toleration.

Hunte's link to Williams comes through his paternal grandmother, Amelia Justine Sophia Brenker Hunte (1868 -1941). Born in Illinois, she came to Springville in 1912 with her husband Fred Hunte, who had bought a furniture and undertaking business on Broadway.

Amelia (called Millie) and Fred had a daughter, Grace, who married Elmer Wellner, and a son Ralph "Slats," who joined his father in the business. Ralph and his wife Ina were Bob Hunte's parents.

*Postscript: Congratulations to Bob and Reta Hunte, who celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary October 25!*

*By Karen Taylor*



*This is the seal of Providence, Rhode Island, which was founded by Roger Williams. He was an ancestor of Bob Hunte of Springville. The man standing in the boat is meant to represent Williams.*

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### *(Dr. Love, continued)*

Alice had no other children, and the doctor never remarried.

The same year the Love baby died, Dr. Love's widowed father, also named John, was visiting and died in Springville in September 1866. His body was returned to Pennsylvania for burial in Manor Hill Presbyterian Cemetery, Barree Township, Huntingdon County.

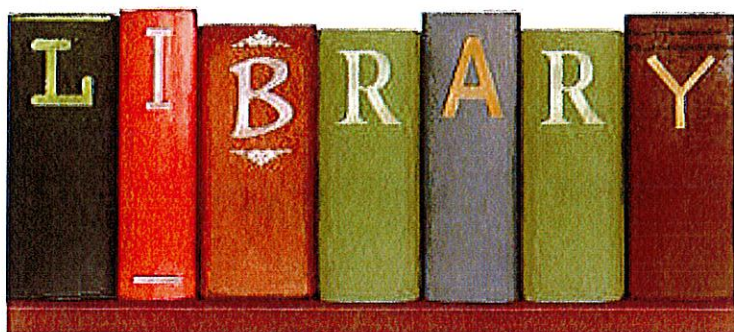
About 1904, Dr. Love had a visit from his brother Thomas, a retired farmer living in Huntingdon County, Pa. It was the last time they would see each other; Thomas died November 20, 1906. Dr. Love's death

occurred about three months later, at 6:40 p.m. February 22, 1907. He was 75, and had been ill about three weeks.

An obituary in the Cedar Rapids Gazette stated that Springville and Linn County "have lost one of (their) most honored citizens . . . He built up a magnificent practice and was known all over the state . . . He enjoyed the confidence and respect of all those with whom he associated, in his profession, his business affairs, and in his daily life as an upright citizen."

*By Karen Taylor, with research help by Jeff and Lee Ann Grimley, Bill Herren, and the Genealogical Society of Linn County.*





## Library is still in Phase Three of the re-opening plan

### What's new:

- Library open hours are now **Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday, from 11-5.**
- No more appointments. You may come in for computer usage or to browse at your convenience.
- Restrooms are now open.
- The Buresh Room is available for rental.
- A limit of 15 patrons at any time.

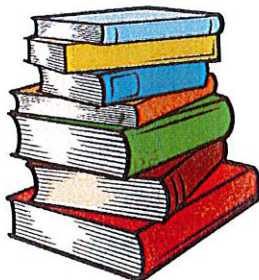
### What's the same:

- Computer usage is limited to those 16 or older.
- All children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times.
- Masks and hand sanitizer upon entry are required.
- Public furniture is unavailable.
- Curbside checkout is still available.

## Don't Forget about the E-Books

Don't forget you can get E-books for your devices by going to our website [www.springville.lib.ia.us](http://www.springville.lib.ia.us). While you are there check out the library's new and improved webpage, we think you will find it easier to use.

Also you can go to our catalog <https://springville.biblionix.com/catalog/> type in the book you are searching for and it will tell you if can get it through Bridges. All you need is your library card number and you can select your next book with ease. Don't know your number, no program call 854-6444 to get that information.



## NEW MATERIAL

### Fiction

- Fortune and Glory by Janet Evanovich
- The Searcher by Tana French
- Miss Benson's Beetle by Rachel Joyce
- Things in Jars by Jess Kidd
- A Song for the Dark Times by Ian Rankin

### Non-Fiction

- Killing Crazy Horse by Bill O'Reilly

## BURESHER ROOM RENTALS

Are you ready to get back to normal (or as normal as it can be) and have a family gathering, shower, or just to get together with friends? The Buresh Room is now available for rent. We ask that you follow the current government guidelines while using the room. For more information contact the library.

## A Note About Election Day

On Tuesday, November 3, the library will be open for polling purposes only. There will be no in-house library services, this is to ensure voter, election worker, and general public safety. Thank you for helping us give the community a safe place to make their voices heard.



## Make and Take

Make and Take Kits are available at the library. These kits include all the supplies and instructions to make a fun craft. It's a great way to pass the time. Stop by for yours today.



## Looking for ways to help your community?

### Board of Adjustment



We are looking for one person to fill a vacancy on the Board of Adjustment Commission. The Commission consists of five members appointed by Council. The applicants shall be residents of the City. This is a volunteer position. If interested, applications are available at the City Clerk's Office. Please submit completed applications to the City Clerk's Office.

### Planning & Zoning Commission



We are looking for one person to fill a vacancies on the Planning & Zoning Commission. The Commission consists of five members appointed by Council. The applicants shall be residents of the City. This is a volunteer position. If interested, applications are available at the City Clerk's Office. Please submit completed applications to the City Clerk's Office.

Please do not rake your leaves into the street. They get very slick when wet and they will clog the storm sewers. Thank you for your cooperation.



**REMINDER**—Until further notice please **DO NOT** plant any trees in the City's right of way. Thank you for your cooperation.



## ATTENTION

After November 15  
the City will no longer accept  
Derecho debris larger  
than 2 inches in  
diameter at the Yard Waste Site.

Thank you for  
your cooperation.

The snow has started to fall. When the City needs to declare a snow emergency, we will post it on KCRG & KGAN. We will also get the information out on our Facebook page. When the City declares a snow emergency you will need to get your car off the street, this makes it possible for the public works to get the City streets cleared off quickly. As always, thank you for your cooperation.

## Snow Emergency



### Sign Up for our Email List

City Hall would like to start an Email list. When we have announcements, we currently use our Facebook to get the information out quickly. Since the phone company no longer requires a phone, we do not have phone numbers to contact our customers. We would love to get a mass email list so we can notify our residents of important information. Please shoot us an email with your name, address and current phone number to [cityofsp@netins.net](mailto:cityofsp@netins.net). Thank you in advance for your cooperation.



## Regular City Council Meeting

October 5, 2020

The Springville City Council met in regular session October 5, 2020. In order to help stop the spread of the COVID-19 virus, this meeting of the Springville City Council was held electronically. Chapter 21.8 of the Iowa Code does permit an electronic meeting where all members participate remotely when an in-person meeting is impossible or impractical, which is certainly true during this crisis. On March 19, 2020, Governor Reynolds issued a Proclamation of Disaster Emergency, which included a suspension of Iowa laws that would prevent the use of electronic meetings or the limitation on the number of people present at an in-person meeting site. The agenda had this message posted more than 24 hours in advance to give instructions on how others could participate in the meeting: *Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the City of Springville will be holding this City Council meeting electronically via a conference call. If you would like to participate in the meeting, please call (425)-436-6369 and enter this access code: 331423. Only City staff are allowed in City hall.*

The pledge of allegiance recited to begin the meeting.

Mayor Shebetka called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Council members present: Brad Merritt, Jeff Grimley, Bart Barner, Lyle Andersen, and Karla Blakely. City staff present: Public Works Director Todd Wyman, City Clerk Dee Wagaman, Asst. Fire Chief Jeremy Ketelsen, and City Attorney Mark Parmenter. Guests present: Sheila Diekman, Pat and Dennis Crane, and Daryl Pearson.

Andersen made a motion to approve the agenda, second from Barner. All ayes. Motion carried.

Barner made a motion to approve the following consent agenda items: Approval of September 21, 2020 minutes and approval of bills, second from Merritt. All ayes. Motion carried.

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

Dennis Crane updated council. The family will have all personal belongings out of the home by the end of December 2020 and the home will be demolished in January 2021. Council approved. Parmenter will draft a letter to outline the decision that all parties will sign for clarity.

Sheila Diekman talked with council about the 6 1/2' of property between her and her neighbor's property. Council explained that the City engineers had looked at the abstracts and based on their research it appears that when the two properties were platted there was an unintentional gap. The City denies ownership and has no vested interest in the tree. The owners can do what they chose.

Daryl Pearson has contacted the City to see what the possibility of subdividing his property into four additional lots. Discussion was held on the possibility to get sewer to his lot or if septic systems would be needed. City will research what it will take to run sewer to his property.

Daryl Pearson is asking the City to remove his storm debris from his property. The council discussed that they did not remove anyone's yard debris after the storm. Pearson questioned the idea that it is going to cost the City whether he hauls it to the yard waste site, or they pick it up from his yard. Council did not think they could show preferential treatment to one resident over another. Topic died due to lack of motion.

The Clerk is asking for permission to go to the annual conference in Des Moines on October 22-23. They are holding it in person this year, but there is a waiting list. Andersen made a motion to allow clerk to attend the IMFOA annual conference if she gets called from the waiting list, second from Barner. All ayes. Motion carried.

Topic 6 through 9 were tabled. There were no bids to discuss.

Andersen made a motion to approve Resolution #188-2020, a resolution to have Besler Construction repair three squares of sidewalk and bill the residents, second from Merritt. RCV: AYES: Barner, Merritt, Andersen, Grimley, and Blakely. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #188-2020 adopted.**

Topic 11 was tabled. It will be on the next agenda.

Wagaman explained that the office received a donation to help residents after the Derecho. This check was deposited into our bank. She feels that this check needs to be returned to the donor and possi-

bly donated to SANSI. The City needs to be able to help the entire community, not just a select few. Barner made a motion to return the donated funds, second from Blakely. All ayes. Motion carried.

Wagaman updated council on the upcoming Poker Run sponsored by the Junior Class Post Prom Parents. The event will be held on Oct 24 from 12-4.

Council discussed the need to change Chapter 165.03 and 165.23 to allow for larger sheds. Current code allows for a shed to be no larger than 120 sq. ft. It was discussed to allow for a shed to be up to 400 sq. ft. but would require a building permit to check for setbacks. Clerk will bring back changes and if everything looks good, council will set a public hearing at the next council meeting.

There was no Linn County Sheriff's report presented.

Wyman gave Public Works report.

Ketelsen gave Fire Department report.

Wagaman gave Clerk's report and presented treasurer's report.

The next regular council meeting will be October 19, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

There being no further discussion, Barner moved to adjourn at 8:10 p.m., second from Andersen. All ayes. Motion carried.

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The pledge of allegiance recited to begin the meeting.

Mayor Pro tem Grimley called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Council members present: Brad Merritt, Jeff Grimley, Bart Barner, Lyle Andersen, and Karla Blakely. City staff present: Public Works Director Todd Wyman, City Clerk Dee Wagaman. Guests present: Zach and Brittney Armstrong, Dave Stone of Wapsi Waste, and Ryan Hosch and Jim Holz of MSA.

Andersen made a motion to approve the agenda, second from Merritt. All ayes. Motion carried.

Andersen made a motion to approve the following consent agenda items: Approval of October 5, 2020 minutes and approval of bills, second from Barner. All ayes. Motion carried.

Mayor Pro tem Grimley invited citizens with input to speak. Zach and Brittney asked about the annexation request from Wendling. They are concerned about the easements that were granted to Wendling two years ago as it is adjacent to their property where they live. They are looking for some answers to timelines and they do not seem to get any. Wagaman will follow up with them. There being no further comments, Mayor Pro tem Grimley moved to business.

Andersen made a motion to approve Resolution #189-2020, a resolution to approve the voluntary annexation request from Wendling Quarries, second from Merritt. RCV: AYES: Andersen, Grimley, Blakely, Merritt, and Barner. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #189-2020 adopted.**

Discussion was held on disposing yard waste from the yard waste site. Stone of Wapsi Waste recommended renting a couple of roll offs to load the waste into and having them haul it to the Solid Waste Agency in Cedar Rapids. The cost would be between \$4,000-\$6,000 for all of the current wood chips and two years' worth of waste. Andersen made a motion to rent roll offs from Wapsi Waste



o haul our yard waste to the Linn County Solid Waste Agency, second from Barner. All ayes. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on the rising cost of recycling for haulers. Wagaman gave council information from the Solid Waste Agency that showed the rates to haul recycling went from \$34.50 a ton in 2016 to \$90 a ton in 2020. Wapsi Waste needs to raise our hauling rates by \$3.50. Council debated about the cost of recycling versus not recycling. Andersen made a motion to approve Resolution #194-2020, a resolution to increase recycling \$3.50, second from Barner. RCV: AYES: Blakely, Barner, Grimley, Merritt, and Andersen. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #194-2020 adopted.**

Ryan Hosch from MSA let the council know that MSA will be back in November to do an inspection at the lift station in November before the 2-year warranty date.

Ryan and Jim presented a bid for a strategic plan & capital improvement plan. This is a small step towards developing an updated comprehensive plan. The scope of the project will include a survey to our citizens, meeting with the council, a meeting with the public and get cost estimates for up to ten projects. Blakely made a motion to approve Resolution #193-2020, a resolution to approve MSA to develop strategic plan & capital improvement plan for \$8,500, second from Andersen. RCV: AYES: Merritt, Grimley, Andersen, Blakely, and Barner. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #193-2020 adopted.**

Ryan also discussed with council the ability to connect sewer to the Carson property. It is possible with the elevations. He estimated the cost to be \$130,000-\$150,000.

Topic 7 was tabled.

Council discussed the desire of residents to have larger sheds. They have agreed to amend the zoning codes to accept 200 sq. ft accessory buildings instead of 120 sq. ft. Barner made a motion to approve Resolution #190-2020, a resolution to set a public hearing for November, 2020 at 6pm, second from Merritt. RCV: AYES: Blakely, Grimley, Barner, Merritt, and Andersen. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #190-2020 adopted.**

Steines presented bid to clean up the box culvert on the north side of 1st Ave by the Circle. Andersen made a motion to approve Resolution #184-2020, a resolution to accept bid for \$12,800, second from Merritt. RCV: AYES: Barner, Blakely, Merritt, Grimley, and Andersen. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #184-2020 adopted.**

Steines presented bid to remove damaged trees and debris from the luff at Butler Park. Merritt made a motion to approve Resolution #185-2020, a resolution to accept bid for \$19,200, second from Andersen. RCV: AYES: Andersen, Grimley, Blakely, Barner, and Merritt. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #185-2020 adopted.**

Steines presented bid to clear damaged trees from the sewer right of way from 1st Ave to Hwy 151. Andersen made a motion to approve Resolution #186-2020, a resolution to accept bid for \$51,900, second from Merritt. RCV: AYES: Barner, Merritt, Blakely, Grimley, and Andersen. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #186-2020 adopted.**

Steines presented bid to clear storm damaged trees from the sewer right of way from Hwy 151 to the City lagoon. Grimley made a motion to approve Resolution #187-2020, a resolution to accept bid for \$8,000, second from Blakely. RCV: AYES: Merritt, Grimley, Blakely, Barner, and Andersen. NAYS: None. **RESOLUTION #187-2020 adopted.**

Discussion was held on a personnel committee. Council agreed that they would prefer Mayor Shebetka approach each member that he feels would be good on the committee.

Topic 14 was tabled due to lack of information.

Topic 15 was tabled due to lack of information.

Council discussed how long to accept Derecho debris from residents own at the yard waste site. The City will no longer accept Derecho debris at the yard waste site. Wagaman is instructed to get this information out to the community via newsletter, website and Facebook.

Deputy Buhmeyer presented the Linn County Sheriff's report. There were 26 calls for service between 10/5/2020-10/19/2020.

Wyman presented written Public Works report.

Wagaman presented written Clerk's report.

Merritt would ask all council to continue to watch the accumulation of junk cars on 1st Ave.

The next regular council meeting will be November 2, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

There being no further discussion, Andersen moved to adjourn at 8:03 p.m., second from Barner. All ayes. Motion carried.

**FAITH CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**  
(meeting at Springville High School Auditorium/ Music Room)  
**Service Times**

Sunday 9:30; Wednesday 7:00 Home Bible Study at Pastor Jack Ray's home 604 4th Avenue

Pastor Jack Ray Phone 319-854-6858  
Email [jandbray04@netins.net](mailto:jandbray04@netins.net)  
Secretary: Judy Cummings  
Email [judynross@yahoo.com](mailto:judynross@yahoo.com)

**ST. ISIDORE the FARMER CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**Weekend Mass:** Saturday 6:00 p.m.

Daily Masses: Tuesdays & Thursdays @ 8:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation  
Saturday 5:15-5:45 p.m., or by appointment @ 854-6141

Rev. Andrew Awotwe-Mensah, Pastor  
Email [DBQ137@dbqarch.org](mailto:DBQ137@dbqarch.org) 319-895-6246 (St. John's)  
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**SPRINGVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (SUMC)**  
**Service Times**

Sunday 9:00 a.m.  
Fellowship 10:00 a.m.  
Praise Service: Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m.

Pastor Guillermo Bongolan Phone 319-521-1710  
Email: [bongolanguillermo26@gmail.com](mailto:bongolanguillermo26@gmail.com)  
Email: [springvilleumc@netins.net](mailto:springvilleumc@netins.net) P 319-854-7355  
Mareta Ralston~Secretary  
Office Hours: Mon - Thurs 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

**SPRINGVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**Service Times**

Sunday 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30-11:30 a.m. Ages 3 years (if potty trained) thru adult.

Pastor: Reverend David Snyder  
Email: [sprpresch@netins.net](mailto:sprpresch@netins.net)  
Phone: 854-6611  
Secretary: Chris Gutierrez





Tuesday, November 3, 2020  
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