



Box Elder City Newsletter

April 2015

From the Mayors Desk,

The City of Box Elder is holding local City elections for Mayor and City Council Tuesday, April 14. It is important that you, our citizens, understand that your vote really does count! Please exercise your right to vote Tuesday, April 14. The polls will be located in the Box Elder Event Center at 420 Villa Dr. – poll hours are 7:00 am to 7:00 pm. Please review the sample ballot attached.

Parents – please be sure to stop by City Hall and pick up coloring sheets for our Arbor Day coloring contest. All coloring pages must be turned in by April 15 at 5:00 pm. Join us April 25 at 2:00 pm in Boykin Park to plant a tree and take part in the festivities.

I encourage all residents to take part in our annual City Wide Clean-up from April 20-25. Further details are on the following pages.

I would like to wish you all a safe and Happy Easter!

Respectfully,


William Griffiths Sr.

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Box Elder Communities & Neighborhoods

Antelope Ridge: 791-3181 • Cardinal Heights: 923-6007 • Foothills East: 923-3258
Creekside Estates: www.creeksideestatesboxelder.com

To include your community or neighborhood in this section email: racheal@boxelder.us

City Council Members

Ward 1: Scott Allen, President • Carolyn Haddenham

Ward 2: Jeff Hollinshead • Doug Curry

Ward 3: Steve Cowley, Vice Pres. • Mark Coatney

April: Important City Dates

City Council Meetings: April 7, 21
Planning & Zoning Meetings: April 13, 27
Local Elections: April 15
Clean up week: April 20 – 25
Arbor Day Celebration: April 25

B-Y-O Brown Bag

Lunch Session



Join
Mayor Griffiths
and City Department Heads for a
B-Y-O Brown Bag Lunch Session!

2nd Wednesday of the Month, Noon-1:00pm
in the Box Elder City Hall, 420 Villa Dr.

2015 Lunch Session Dates

April 8 ~ May 13



Your valued ideas & opinions help us work together with the
vision of a better quality of life for Box Elder residents.



Friday Night Movie Madness

at the

Box Elder Community Theater

420 Villa Dr: Box Elder Event Center

Join us at 7:00pm for a **FREE** movie
the 1st & 3rd Friday of each Month!

We will post the next movie on
our board inside

&

our marquee outside

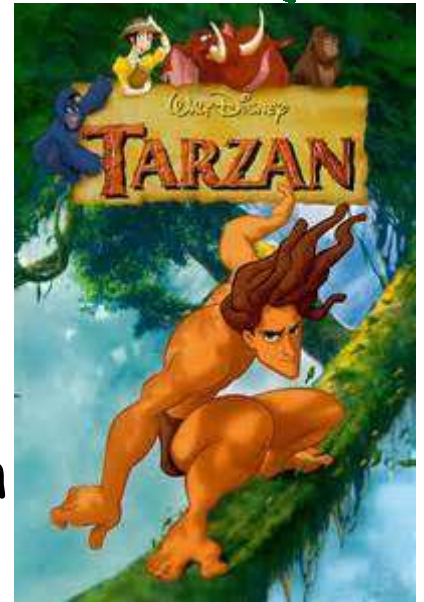
Vote for April Movies at City Hall!

Popcorn, other snacks and drinks are available for purchase. Families are
welcome to bring their own mats/chairs, blankets, soda, water, and snacks. Call
923-1404 with questions or to sponsor a movie night.

Popcorn/Snack \$0.50 Drinks \$0.25 Soda Machines Available



2015 Arbor Day Coloring Contest



Celebrate Arbor Day
& the environment with us at
Boykin Park in Stealth Subdivision on
April 25, 2015 at 2:00pm

Participants are invited to plant a tree with the Mayor.

Coloring Contest ~ Coloring with Tarzan

Contest Dates: February 23 - April 15

*Pick up your coloring page and contest
rules at City Hall 420 Villa Dr.*

Age Groups: 0-3, 4-6, 7-9, 10-13

*Prizes will be awarded at the tree
planting on April 25, 2015.*



WHEN IS MY UTILITY BILL DUE?

***Please note changes in our late fee and reconnect fee.**

- Payments are due by the 1st of each month
 - After the 15th, a **\$10.00** late fee will be charged
- After the 27th, services are delinquent and subject to disconnection. If water is turned off, a **\$100.00** reconnect fee will be applied. The past due balance and reconnect fee must be paid in order to get turned back on. Payment must be made by 3:30 pm in order to guarantee water turned on by 5:00 pm that day.

Remember to Vote!

Tuesday, April 14, 2015

At the Box Elder Event Center

Polls open 7:00 am to 7:00 pm



Community Happenings

Local City Elections – Tuesday, April 14, 2015. Voting will be at the City Hall Event Center, 420 Villa Drive. Polls open 7:00 am to 7:00 pm.

2015 Arbor Day Coloring Contest-now until April 15. Be sure to stop by City Hall and pick up coloring sheets for your kids ages 0-13. Meet at Boykin Park in the Stealth Subdivision April 25 at 2:00 pm to plant a tree with the Mayor and celebrate Arbor Day.

City Wide Clean-up April 20-25 – details on the following pages.

The Black Hills Coin & Stamp Club (a non-profit group) is holding a coin & stamp show at LaQuinta Inn, downstairs conference room, Saturday April 18th 8am-5pm.

CLEAN-UP WEEK

This year's annual Box Elder Clean-Up Week will take place April 20th to 25th

Community Access Dumpsters
Will Be Placed At

Community Park

In The South Parking Area

**Acceptable Material Restrictions Apply:
NO TIRES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

Free Disposal of trash and recyclables for small load non-commercial vehicles will also occur at the Landfill on S. Hwy 79 during this time. The Landfill's hours of operation are 7:00 am – 4:45 pm. All loads must be secured. Vehicles with blowing trash will be denied access. **No Freon bearing appliances and No Hazardous Wastes or Liquids accepted. Per tire charge apply. Businesses are not permitted at this event, they will be turned away.** Visit www.rapidcityrecycles.org for more information and exceptions.

Pick-up service of certain items for Box Elder Residents with verifiable need will be available for Saturday, April 25, 2015
Call Box Elder City Hall at (605) 923-1404 from 8 am to 5 pm
April 20-24, 2015.

April 20 - 25

SAMPLE BALLOT

OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION BALLOT
BOX ELDER, SOUTH DAKOTA
APRIL 14, 2015

WARD 1

For Mayor, you may vote for one or leave it blank.

- Larry Larson
- Mark R. Coatney
- Michael Hanson
- William F. Griffiths Sr.

For City Commission, three (3) year term, you may vote for one or leave it blank.

- Carolyn Haddenham
- Bruce Hegel

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- Jeff Hollinshead (Unopposed)

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- Josh Kelly

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