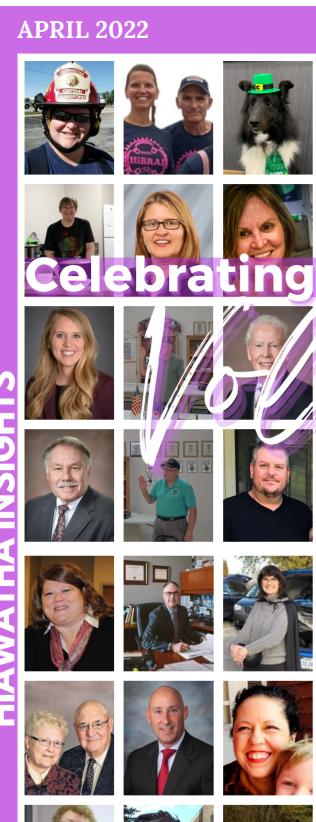
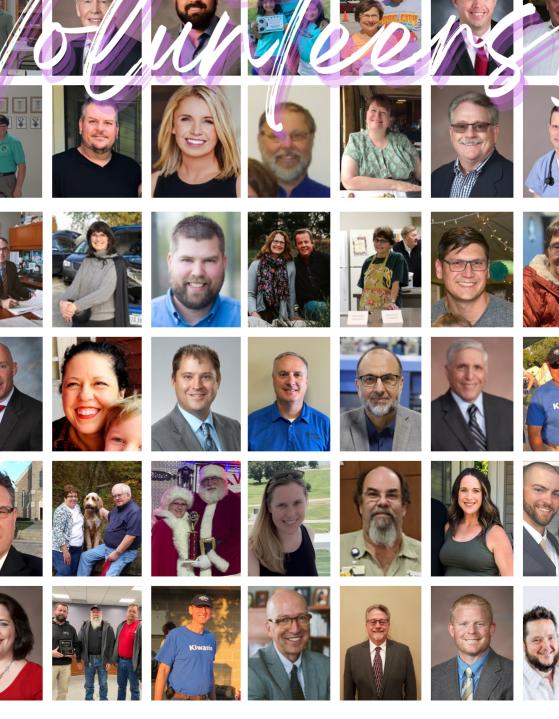
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- Tony Burton
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- **Gary Sundberg**
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- Gail Christiansen •

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- Kyla Pfeiler

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- **Dustin Merrill**
- Frank Tarasi
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- Jessy Mullin
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- Nick Gabriel
- Rachel McCrate
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- Brice AntonJensen
- **Ouinn Jensen**
- Ray Kratville
- Scott Haney
- Dan Hoffman
- Kraig Wilford **Terry Whaley**
- Chris Weininger
- Dave Wilson
- Travis Weininger
- Dave Maley
- Lee Garner
- Harold Ingels

# **Water Board**

- Troy Andersen
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- Ruth Hospodarsky
- Patrick White
- Carl Ransford



- Dick Olson
- **Storm Water Advisory**
- Luke Burt

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**Drew Digman** 

Mike Freeman

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  - Larry Throndson

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  - Troy Andersen
  - Tim Cunningham



# **VOLUNTEER AT THE HIAWATHA PUBLIC LIBRARY**

# **Purpose and Intent**

The Hiawatha Public Library uses volunteers to supplement the efforts of paid staff in providing quality public service. Volunteers are viewed as important liaisons between the library and the community. Through its volunteer services program, the library seeks to develop a group of citizens who can assist the library in interpreting its needs to the community. Volunteers also keep the library in touch with the community it serves. Volunteer workers do not substitute for paid staff but assist with programs or projects that supplement or complement staff duties.

# Definition

A "volunteer" is defined as a person who, of their own volition provides services to the Hiawatha Public Library without compensation.

# Eligibility

Participants who provide volunteer services to the Hiawatha Public Library must be at least 12 years of age. The National Sex Abuse Registry and Iowa Sex Abuse Registry will be checked for all applicants. Any applicant with a criminal history for sex or child abuse convictions, or who is serving community service to satisfy a conviction for theft, fraud, forgery or violence will automatically be denied volunteer placement.

# Supervision

Volunteers at the Hiawatha Public Library are considered to be under staff supervision. Supervision will be provided by all HPL staff on duty. All staff will be responsible for training and direct oversight of a volunteer's performance.

# Dismissal

Volunteers may be terminated for failure to perform assigned job duties, failure to meet minimum standards of performance, or for violations of library rules. The library staff reserves the right to dismiss a volunteer at any time.



Friends of the Hiawatha Public Library



The Friends of the Hiawatha Public Library is a volunteer organization dedicated to the support of our library.

Ask us about joining or attend a meeting!

# JOIN THE HIAWATHA FIRE DEPARTMENT

# What we expect of you:

- Minimum of 18 years old
- Have a valid Iowa Drivers License
- Have a clear criminal record and satisfactory background checks
- Attend monthly training sessions
- Be on a rotating on call schedule
- · Possess a desire to help your community

# What we offer you:

- A commitment to safety (yours and the public's)
- Some of the best firefighting equipment available
- County, state and regional fire and EMS training opportunities
- Worker's compensation coverage
- Employee health program including annual health checks, vaccinations, and fitness club reimbursement
- Excellent in-house fire and EMS training opportunities
- Participation in the National Registry of EMT's and the opportunity to become a nationally certified firefighter
- Participation in the Firefighter's Length of Service Award Program
- Membership in a well-trained, progressive organization with the opportunity to develop new friendships
- An opportunity to participate and help the community
- An annual awards banquet

If you are interested in becoming part of our team, contact Chief Powers at 319-393-4180 or fill out an application to apply.



Hiawatha City-Wide Garage Sales
is Saturday, May 7th.
Register your sale at
www.hiawatha-iowa.com
Maps will be available at Hiawatha
City Hall on Thursday, May 5th.
Deadline to have your address
included on the map is April 22.



# APRIL 2022 Did you know?

You can rent the Hiawatha Community Center one year in advance!









Friends of Hiawatha Parks and Recreation Foundation was formed in 2011 with the mission of supporting Hiawatha's public parks, open spaces, recreational programs and special events. In recent years they have supported the department by

- Purchasing a 20' Inflatable Movie Screen
- Replacing drinking fountains with bottle fillers
- Funding Adventure Camp Speakers & Sponsorships
- Donating warm clothes to local Elementary
- Purchasing Playground Equipment and new Picnic **Tables**

Plus they sponsor and support many Hiawatha events and projects! For more information contact Kelly Willadsen at kwilladsen@hiawatha-iowa.com



# Now accepting registrations for spring & summer recreational programs

www.hiawatha-iowa.com/departments/parks-recreation/programs/

- **Tennis**
- Soccer
- Blastball
- NFL Flag Football
- Pickleball League
- First Aid & CPR Certification
- **Rec United Soccer**







Tower Terrace Road will be closed from Edgewood Road east through the North Center Point Road intersection beginning Monday, April 4, 2022. The intersection of Tower Terrace Road and North Center Point Road will be closed through Friday, August 19, 2022 pending no significant delays. The detour around this intersection will take motorists from Stamy Road north to W Main Street in Robins.



# VOLUME 165 **April Calendar**

25 Yard Waste and Brush Collection

# May Calendar

07 Craft & Vendor Market 9:00 AM

Watch pre-recorded Council Meetings

Mediacom Channel 4 7:00 PM

Channel 4 6:00 PM

Are you awesome?



www.Hiawatha-Iowa.com job-opportunities/



We are excited yet sad that the city's lead Construction Observer, Rick Harbaugh, has retired from the City. Rick was with the city for 8 years observing all new construction as well as any work with the city right-of-way. He was the eyes and ears of the city to make sure work was being completed per the plans, specifications and codes. Rick is going to spend his time golfing, working in his shop and just relaxing. He will be missed. The city has an open position to find his replacement.

**DELIVER BY** MONDAY, 04/01/2022

# **Postal Customer** Hiawatha, Iowa 52233

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# THANK YOU FOR SERVING THE HIAWATHA COMMUNITY!

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- Sofia Bush
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- Divya Dhanabalan .
- Ella Dorman
- Gina Hanna
- Barb Hanson
- Julie Hawkins
- Laura Hubbs
- Sutra Iver

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- Sarah Moss
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- Michelle McIllece
- Charles Uthe Chris Klostermann
- Dan Wilkes

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# **Hiawatha Council Action**





PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY
1410 ROBINS RD
(ENTER FROM CLYMER RD)
SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2022
9:00AM - 10:30AM

# **ITEMS ACCEPTED AT EVENT:**

- DOCUMENTS TO SHRED
- FLAG DISPOSAL
- ELECTRONICS TO RECYCLE
- GLASSES & HEARING AIDS
- UNWANTED MEDICATION

MUST BE A HIAWATHA RESIDENT.

VERIFICATION OF RESIDENCY IS REQUIRED.

BRING YOUR WATER BILL OR DRIVER'S LICENSE AS PROOF OF RESIDENCY.

# **Medication Disposal by Blairs Ferry Family Pharmacy**

Unneeded or expired prescriptions left in homes can lead to accidental poisonings and can be an easy source for those seeking to misuse or abuse prescription medications. Blairs Ferry Family Pharmacy has partnered with City of Hiawatha to protect your families and take back your unneeded or expired medications and properly dispose of them. Prescription medications, patches, ointments, medication for pets, and over-the-counter drugs will be accepted. Items like syringes, inhalers and aerosols will not be accepted.

Glasses & Hearing Aid Disposal by Hiawatha Lions Club Everyday, recycled eyeglasses help children read, adults succeed and seniors maintain their independence. Recycled hearing aids are refurbished to meet the needs of those hard of hearing locally, sent with hearing care professionals on mission trips to developing nations or credited for parts which in turn is applied towards the purchase of new hearing aids for persons who have limited abilities to pay. Please donate your unwanted eyeglasses and hearing aids to help those in need.

# **Electronic Recovery – Midwest Electronic Recovery**

Midwest Electronic Recovery has partnered with the City of Hiawatha to collect your unwanted, outdated, broken or simply unused electronic equipment.

Items accepted at this event: Personal computers/laptops, monitors, keyboards & mice, printers, copiers, networking hardware, disc drives, servers & mainframes, computer manuals, software, televisions, VCR's & DVD's, audio/visual equipment, stereos, telephones, fax machines, circuit boards, cable & satellite equipment, computer cables & wires & other electronic equipment.

Electronic equipment from businesses is <u>not</u> accepted at this event. Businesses should contact Midwest Electronic Recovery for more information at 319-845-2001.

# LEAVES. BRUSH & YARD WASTE COLLECTION

Leaves and yard waste must be put in paper bags and placed curbside by 7:00 AM on Monday, April 25, 2022. Crews will not collect brush or branches larger than 12" in diameter and will not collect tree demolition. All other branches should be spread along the curb to facilitate easier pickup. Do not stack them.

# **Document Shredding by Heartland Shredding, Inc.**

The City of Hiawatha, in conjunction with Heartland Shredding, wants to help protect you from identity theft by providing you with an opportunity to shred unwanted documents. There will be a limit of 5 grocery bags per person and documents will be shredded on site. Vehicles will need to remain until their documents have been shredded. Documents for shredding need NOT be free of staples, paper clips or binder clips. You may also include a limited quantity of floppy diskettes and CD's.

# Flag Disposal by Hiawatha Legion Post #735

Because we all know that flying or displaying a flag with damages or tears is considered a sign of disrespect, the Hiawatha Legion Post #735 has kindly offered their assistance in flag disposal. Hiawatha Legion Post #735 will accept all flags; Federal, State and POW. Bring your unserviceable flags for proper disposal. Hiawatha Legion Post #735 may also be offering new flags for purchase.

# AMNESTY COLLECTION - MAY 9, 2022 Please have items placed by the curb before 7:00 AM ALLOWED: NOT ALLOWED:

- Broken glass placed in a plastic bucket or other suitable container.
   Windows and doors with broken glass will not be collected.
- Small items placed in trash cans or plastic bags. Mark trash cans with a red "X" if they are to be discarded
- Large items other than doors or furniture, nothing longer than 4' will be collected. Please cut railroad ties, plastic, lumber, carpet and drywall in no larger than 4' lengths and tie in bundles. No large demolition project debris. Please remove nails, screws and all hardware from lumber, trim pieces, drywall, etc.
- Metal and appliances need to be placed curbside separate from other items as they will be collected by a different crew.

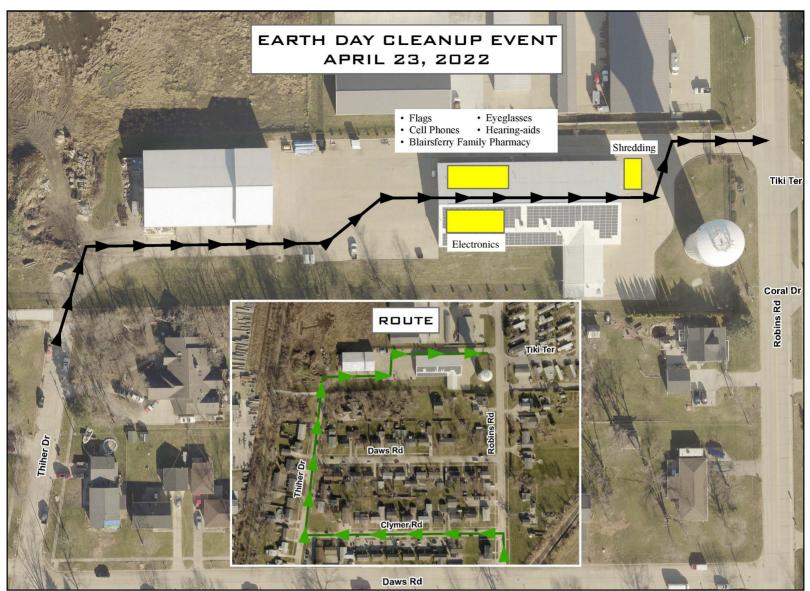
- Waste oil & solvents
- Batteries
- Deposit beverage containers
- Pressurized tanks
- · Cans with undried paint
- Cardboard
- Florescent bulbs
- TV's and Computer monitors (take these to Earth Day on April 23rd!)

Contact Linn County Solid Waste Agency for proper disposal instructions at 319-377-5290

April 23 Earth Day
April 25 Yard Waste & Brush Collection

May 7 Garage Sales
May 9 Amnesty Pick Up







We need your help rebuilding our urban canopy! Hiawatha lost nearly 600 right-of-way trees. As part of the Derecho recovery efforts, Hiawatha has made replanting trees a priority over the next several years.

Simple acts of stewardship go a long way! Help Hiawatha replant so we can enjoy the numerous benefits that a lush urban canopy provides!

We invite you to plant a FREE street tree in the <u>right-of-way</u> of your residence. These trees are provided through Alliant Energy Branching Out grant and Local Option Sales Tax Dollars with limited quantity available. First come first served!

The primary goal of the Adopt a Street Tree program is to help plant new trees in the Hiawatha Community. Caring for the newly planted tree during its first four to five years increases the likelihood of its survival. Your assistance helps rebuild the city canopy while helping City Staff with tree maintenance needs. We have included a list of the essential do's and don'ts involved in the Adopt a Street Tree Program.

Do: Don't:

-Plant a Tree -Prune

-Water -Fertilize

-Mulch -Build a wall or raised bed around the tree

Any Hiawatha resident willing to plant, water, and provide some general care for a street tree at their residence is invited to participate in the Adopt a Street Tree program. Follow these easy steps to get signed up today!

- Complete the application form with the QR Code to the right or visit https://forms.gle/tt7VuTkjkjKq5cce6
- Wait for a confirmation email from City Staff with more information about how to get a FREE tree.
- 3. Plant, Care and Enjoy!

Questions? 319-393-1515 or rjasa@hiawatha-iowa.com