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# The Arlington Report

# March Recycling Dates: March 13th & 27th 8:00 am -11:00 am Downtown Parking Lot

#### **ELECTED OFFICIALS**

Rich Nagel—Mayor
Michelle Battcher—Council Member
Craig Buss—Council Member
Joe Morgan—Council Member
Matt Scharpe—Council Member
John Thomes—Council Member

# APPOINTED OFFICIALS Amy Newsom—City Administrator/EDA

Director /P&Z Administrator
Lisa Tesch—Deputy Clerk
Haile Tegegne—Admin Intern
Kirby Weckworth—Maint. Supervisor
Daniel Hughes—Maint. Worker
Worth—Petterson—Police Chief
James Noxon—Police Officer
Bailey Holasek—Police Officer
Vicki Pomplun—Police Admin. Asst

#### **CONTRACTED SERVICES**

Ross Arneson—City Attorney
Darin Haslip—Building Inspector
PeopleService—Water/Wastewater
Jason Femrite (Bolton & Menk)—
City Enginee

#### **PHONE NUMBERS**

City Hall: 964-2378 Fax Line: 964-5973

#### After-Hours On-Call: 507-327-6601

Fire Garage: 964-2279
Police Dept.: 964-5200
Library: 964-2490
Hospital: 964-2271
S.E. School: 964-2503
Post Office: 964-5503

#### **OTHER SERVICES**

Water/Sewer/Electric Services
City of Arlington (964-2378)
Gas Service
CenterPoint Energy (800-245-2377)
Cable Service
Mediacom (800-332-0245)
Internet/Phone Service
Frontier (800-435-1504)
Garbage Services
Waste Management (800-422-5785)
Renville-Sibley Sanitation (507-834-6188)

Gaylord Sanitation (507-237-2274)

The City of Arlington is now hiring! We have several open positions.

### **Full-Time Police Officer**

The position performs general police duties in the protection of life and property through the enforcement of Federal and State laws and the ordinances of the City of Arlington. The City is looking for a community-orientated officer.

Salary Range: \$22.00-\$28.00/hour and potential for on-call hourly pay. For job description, application and supplemental questions, go on-line at <a href="https://www.arlingtonmn.com">www.arlingtonmn.com</a> or contact Arlington City Offices, 204 Shamrock Drive, Arlington, MN 55307 – (507) 964-2378. Required application and supplemental questions are due to the City Administrator no later than 5:00 p.m. on March 19, 2021. The City of Arlington is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## On-Call EMT's

The City of Arlington is accepting applications for the Arlington Ambulance. Paid training to get your EMT certification with 2-year commitment. Must be 18 years or older.

Minimum hour requirement 72 hours/month.

Minimum of 8 trainings/meetings a year, which occur the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested please stop by the Arlington Community Center to pick up an application.

## Full-Time Planning and Zoning/ Administrative Coordinator

This person will be serving as the Planning and Zoning Administrator for the City of Arlington and will also be managing the licensing functions for the City with attention to quality customer service. This position also performs general clerical duties which support the operations of the City Office and will be in charge of the Arlington Community Center. Bachelor's Degree in Public Administration, Urban Planning, Business Administration or related field. Salary range \$43,680-\$53,144. For more information contact City Administrator Amy Newsom at 507-964-2378 ext. 4. A complete job description and applications are available online at www.arlingtonmn.com. Position is open until filled.

## **Part-Time Paramedics**

The City of Arlington is hiring Part-Time Paramedics. \$28/hour with a maximum of 36 hours per week available. Under the supervision of the Ambulance Manager, the Paramedic is responsible for responding to routine and emergency requests to provide efficient and immediate assessment, treatment, and transport of the ill, critically ill, and injured in the pre-hospital setting and other settings.

\$28.00/hour. For full details, go online to www.arlingtonmn.com/careers or contact the Arlington City Offices at 507-964-2378. Position open until filled. The City of Arlington is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

### City of Arlington, Sibley County

Contact us at: 204 Shamrock Drive Arlington, MN 55307

Phone: 507-964-2378 Fax: 507-964-5973

E-mail: cityhall@arlingtonmn.com Website: www.arlingtonmn.com



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# ARLINGTON COMMUNITY CENTER HAS OPEN DATES!

The Arlington Community Center has availability for 2021 and is the perfect venue for ALL types of events— wedding receptions, baby showers, graduations, Quinceaneras, meetings, seminars, benefits, or family reunions. To take a tour or to book a date please call City Administrator Amy Newsom at 507-964-2378 for more information.



# Arlington EDA Offers \$1,000 Forgivable Loan for New Child Care Providers

The Arlington Child Care Loan Program provides an incentive to new child care providers to provide services in the City of Arlington.

The program provides a matching forgivable loan for actual expenses relating to the cost of opening a child care business in the City of Arlington, up to \$1,000 per child care provider. Qualifying expenses must be approved by the Sibley County Child Care Licensor and the Arlington EDA Director. Approved requests will be funded on a first-come/first-served basis until all funds are expended. In addition, the opportunity exists that the Arlington Economic Development Authority's revolving loan programs could be available to assist with the costs of opening a child care business.

# Only new child care providers located within the City of Arlington are eligible for the loan program.

All items for which the child care provider is requesting funds must be approved by the Sibley County Licensor & the Arlington EDA Director.

Items purchased prior to EDA approval will typically not be eligible for funding unless the EDA finds significant underlying purposes for work beginning prior to project approval (i.e. inability of quorum for a meeting, and the like).

Funds may be requested for the following items (up to):

Licensing fee (\$100)

Background study fee (\$100)

Pre Licensing training (\$175/per person)

Ongoing training (\$250/per person)

Fire Marshal visit, if needed (\$50)

Smoke Detectors (\$10/each)

Fire extinguishers (\$35)

Outlet plugs (\$4)

Stationary baby gate (\$60)

First aid kits (\$15)

Utensils/plates/cups (\$30)

Pack n Play (\$120)

Pack n Play sheet (\$10)

Cots (\$120)

High chair/booster seat (\$40)

Fluid Cleanup kit (\$15)

Potty seat/chair (\$20)

Monitor (\$40)

Toys for each age group (\$200)

Craft supplies (\$200)

Strollers (\$100)





#### PET LICENSES ARE DUE BY MARCH 31

PET LICENSING WILL NOW BE PROCESSED AT THE ARLINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT LOCATED AT 108 4TH AVE NW. PROOF OF CURRENT RABIES VACCINATIONS REQUIRED AT TIME OF PURCHASE. \$5.00 PER PET.