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December 2023 Newsletter

City Hall Office Hours
 Monday-Friday
 8 am-4:30 pm

DECEMBER

- 3 — Christmas Open House & Wine Tasting 1-4 pm, The Painted Camel Art Gallery
- 3—Soup in Santa's Kitchen 11 am—1 pm, Freewill Offering Soup Meal & Desserts, DeWitt Community Center, Hosted by Macedonia Heart & Soul
- 3—Visit Santa, 11 am—1 pm, DeWitt Community Center
- 12—Council Meeting 7 pm, City Hall
- 17— "Light Up Macedonia" Christmas Lights Contest by MHDC
- 17—Christmas Cantata Performance 3 pm, Macedonia Methodist Church
- 17—Blue Christmas Service 5 pm, Oakland Sharon Presbyterian Church



JANUARY

- 10—Council Meeting 7 pm, City Hall

Care & Share Warmth Project

By Ruby Bentley

It's that time of year again when the weather turns cold and colder. There are people who need boots, coats, hats, scarves, gloves, sweatshirts, and sweaters-anything warm! Maybe you have an extra blanket!

There is a donation box in City Hall for those items you could donate. They will be delivered to CARE and SHARE. Care and Share gives what is needed to those in need.

Can you help? Take your "warm extras" to City Hall. Let's Care and Share!

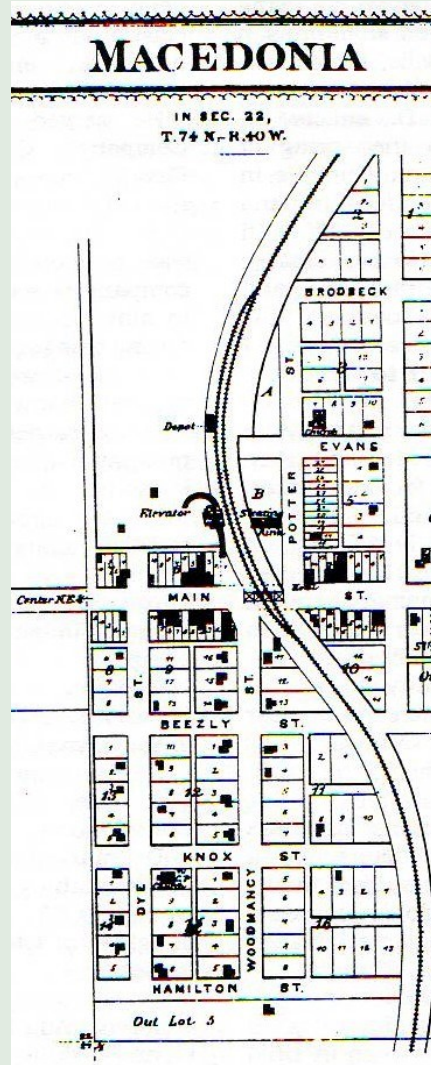


Trex Plastic Film Recycling Program

PLEASE BE SURE TO REMOVE ALL FOOD, MOISTURE, AND PAPER FROM PLASTICS BEFORE RECYCLING! Food & moisture create mold & cause plastics to be thrown away.

What can be recycled?

- Grocery bags
- Bread bags
- Bubble wrap
- Dry cleaning bags
- Newspaper sleeves
- Ice bags
- Produce bags
- Plastic shipping envelopes
- Ziploc & other re-closable food storage bags
- Cereal bags
- Case overwrap
- Salt bags
- Pallet wrap & stretch film
- Wood pellet bags



MAYOR OF MACEDONIA

- Melia Clark

CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

- James Croson
- Suzann Duede
- Patrick Emge
- Bradley Swope

CITY CLERK

- Moriah Mahan

TREASURER

- Makenna Kenyon

MOWING/SNOW REMOVAL

- Wong Antunez

Please have articles, event dates, and all happenings that include the community to City Hall by the 17th of each month.



Winter Is Here. Please Help Us Keep the Streets Nice and Clear.

Chapter 69.11 SNOW REMOVAL; STREET CLEANING. It is unlawful for any vehicle to be parked on or along any public street, avenue, alley or other public place in the City in such a manner as to interfere with street cleaning or the plowing or removal of snow and/or ice from the same.

*Chapter 135.12 DUMPING OF SNOW. It is unlawful for any person to throw, push, or place or cause to be thrown, pushed or placed, any ice or snow from private property, sidewalks, or driveways onto the traveled way of a street or alley so as to obstruct gutters, or impede the passage of vehicles upon the street or alley or to create a hazardous condition therein; except where, in the cleaning of large commercial drives in the business district it is absolutely necessary to move the snow onto the street or alley temporarily, such accumulation shall be removed promptly by the property owner or agent. Arrangements for the prompt removal of such accumulations shall be made prior to moving snow. (Code of Iowa, Sec. 364.12 [2]) Please contact City Hall if you have any questions.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

All City Ordinances can be found online at www.macedoniaiowa.com

Macedonia is currently under a Level 2 Water Warning. Please conserve water & refrain from watering lawns & filling pools/hot tubs. Visit www.macedoniaiowa.com for more details.

Pottawattamie County Recycling Trailer

Parked in Macedonia every 3rd week behind the Stempel Bird Museum

Friday, Dec 1– Friday, Dec 8 Friday, Dec 22– Friday, Dec 29

Items Accepted: Cardboard, (1-5) Plastic, Paper (NO PLASTIC BAGS)

Tin Can Recycling–Wednesday, Dec 20–Tuesday, Dec 26

Curbside Recycling & Yard Waste

Dec 7th & Dec 21st

Recycling bins should be at curb on Wednesday night.

Items Accepted: (1-5) Plastic & Paper

SERVICES AVAILABLE AT CITY HALL

Notary Public– Free

Copies– \$0.10 per copy

Color Copies– \$0.20 per copy

Fax- \$1.00 per fax

Lending Library

Free Wi-Fi Internet Access

Deposit Box in City Hall Door

Pottawattamie County Animal Control provides animal control services to Macedonia and is authorized to enforce the City's ordinances pertaining to animal control. 712-366-1143

animalcontrol@pottcounty.com

ANIMAL EMERGENCY

712-328-5737

Dewitt Community Building

Call City Hall at 486-2323 to reserve a date for your event. Cash or Check only.

NOW ACCEPTING CREDIT & DEBIT CARDS FOR CITY UTILITY PAYMENTS

Pay online at GovPayNow.com Pay Location Code: a00328

Or pay by phone (1-800-604-7888).



“Light Up Macedonia” Christmas Lights Contest

Get your holiday lights up for Macedonia's Christmas lighting contest and have them 'lit up' in December! The Macedonia Hamilton Development Corp encourages all Macedonia residents to decorate their homes and businesses for the Christmas holiday. Monetary prizes will be awarded.

This year, there will be three prizes awarded. Prizes will be awarded for First Place (\$75.00), Second Place (\$50.00), and Third Place (\$25.00).

Macedonia Hamilton Development Corporation will be judging the light displays on the evening of Sunday, December 17th, so be sure to have the lights turned on!



Invoices are mailed out on the 1st of each month, and payment is due on the 25th. A \$10 late fee will be applied if payment is not received by the due date.



Notice City of Macedonia—Council Vacancy

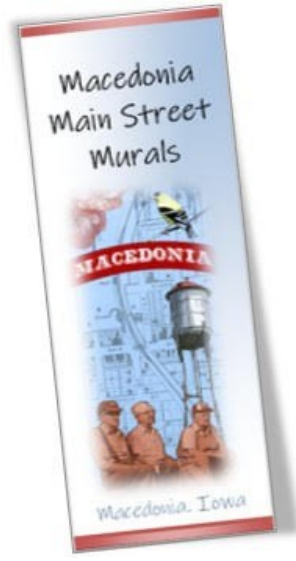
Notice is hereby given that the Macedonia Council intends to fill a Council vacancy by appointment during their next regular City Council Meeting that will be held at Macedonia City Hall at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, December 12, 2023. To be considered, please contact Macedonia City Hall at 712-486-2323 by 4:00 PM on Monday, December 11, 2023. The public reserves the right to petition for a special election for 14 days after the appointment has been made.



Macedonia Main Street Murals

By Marianne Pilling

Fundraising is in full swing for our Macedonia Murals Project, which will create permanent works of art covering three Main Street buildings with installation beginning next summer. With matching grants and contributions from the community, Macedonia will boast yet another unique attraction reflecting community pride and enhancing our local economy. We are inviting you to be a part of this vision...a unique, lasting way to support the Murals Project with a donation of any amount! Your contribution will advance our project and helps qualify for additional matched funding.



Gift levels – any amount is welcome and is tax deductible!

- \$1000 Legacy Panel Sponsor
- \$500 - \$999 Diamond
- \$250 - \$499 Gold
- \$100 - \$249 Silver
- < \$100 Bronze

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ *Optional:* In honor or memory of: _____

Make checks payable to:
Macedonia Hamilton Development Corp.
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