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NEWS RELEASE

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City of Haysville Updates Regarding COVID-19

Haysville, KS (June 19, 2020) – The City of Haysville remains committed to the safety, health and wellness of its citizens, visitors and staff. In the three weeks since our last update, city functions have again been evaluated and modified to align with currently recommended protective measures. Alterations to services and schedules remaining in effect for each department can be found below.

City Hall

The first floor at City Hall is open for walk-in traffic. Public access to the lower level of City Hall remains restricted, with visitors being required to check in at the first floor service counter. The City Clerk's office is open until 7:00 p.m. on Tuesdays.

In case of a tornado warning, the lower level of City Hall serves as a public tornado shelter, even when City Hall is closed. An elevator is available for use by those with mobility issues.

Water Utility Billing

As a courtesy to our residents, Haysville offers water bill payment extensions of up to two weeks upon request. Extensions are available three times each calendar year. Citizens who need help with utility bills should contact the Wichita Sedgwick County Community Action Partnership at (316) 462-3775 to apply for their Emergency Assistance Program.

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Haysville Senior Center

Beginning on June 22nd, the new game room will be available for use by Senior Center members. Additional small group activities, such as card games, are being slowly and safely added back to our schedule as appropriate. API Friendship Meals continue to be served grab-and-go style; no dining at the center is allowed. No monthly birthday dinners, breakfasts, or other large gatherings will be scheduled through the end of July. The facility is unavailable for event rentals until further notice.

Haysville Police Department & Municipal Court

The Haysville Police Department is open for walk-in traffic, but citizens should call 911 to file police reports or report emergencies. Pre-employment fingerprinting services have resumed.

Social distancing guidelines continue to be followed for Haysville Municipal Court. Bringing additional people to court is discouraged due to limited space. Anyone needing to pay on a fine is encouraged to do so online at HaysvilleTix.com or via telephone at (800) 701-8560. Questions should be directed to the court clerk at (316) 529-5920.

Haysville Public Works

Our Recycle Center is available for residents or contractors working on behalf of Haysville residents. Residents are required to contact Public Works before a contractor can recycle on their behalf. Only brush, metal, concrete and mulch are accepted.

Recreation/Haysville Activity Center

The Activity Center is open for members and non-members who purchase a day pass. Social distancing practices and good hygiene are strongly encouraged. Basketball is allowed in the gym for members who bring their own ball. Information about Summer Elements and other youth programs are available on our website. Follow Haysville Recreation Department on Facebook in order to stay up-to-date on programs, pool closings and other recreation news.

Haysville Public Pool and Splash Pad

The Haysville pool is open daily from 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Social distancing and good hygiene are encouraged. Passes can be purchased and pool party reservations can be made at the HAC during regular business hours. The free splash pad located near the pool is open from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., every day. Signage posted at the splash pad contains guidance for safer water play.

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Haysville Community Library

The Haysville Community Library is open Monday to Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. On Saturdays, staff is present for pre-scheduled book pickups from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Capacity is limited and other protective measures are in place. Please visit www.HaysvilleCommunityLibrary.org or call 524-5242 for more information.

Rental Rooms/Cleaning Fees

The Community Building and Haysville Activity Center rental rooms are available to rent for private functions. A disinfection fee of \$75 is required in addition to regular rental fees and security deposits. The Haysville Senior Center is unavailable to rent until further notice.

As the reopening of public facilities continues, the practice of social distancing should continue, and care should be taken to prevent an uptick in COVID-19 cases. The City of Haysville will continue to keep a close eye on the situation and will provide updates or make changes as needed.

For more information about Haysville, visit www.haysville-ks.com, follow us on Facebook.com/HaysvilleKs or contact the City of Haysville at (316) 529-5900. For more information about COVID-19, visit KDHE's website at www.kdheks.gov/coronavirus and the Centers for Disease Control at www.cdc.gov/coronavirus.

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