



**SIGN UP for CITY ALERT NOTIFICATIONS**

The Nixle instant messaging system is the City's primary means of electronically notifying residents of weather alerts, utility emergencies and other public service information. Sign up through the City's web site or at [www.nixle.com](http://www.nixle.com)

<p><b>PRESIDENTS DAY SCHEDULE</b>  <b>Monday, February 16</b></p> <p>City Hall Closed          Police Admin Closed</p> <p>No Solid Waste Collection</p> <p>Police Emergency          911</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Pet License Reminder</u></b></p> <p>It's time for annual license for your dog or cat. Pet licenses are inexpensive, ensures animals are rabies free and helps bring your pet home.</p> <p>See <a href="http://www.Plattecity.org">www.Plattecity.org</a> or call City Hall 858-3046 for details and more information</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>February and March Meeting Schedules</u></b></p> <p>February 17 Econ Development Subcommittee, 5:30pm  <b>February 24 Board of Aldermen, 7:00 pm</b>          March 2 Public Safety Subcommittee 5:30pm          Parks and Recreation, 6:30 pm          March 3 Public Works subcommittee, 5:30 pm          Municipal Court, 6:00 pm          March 17 Econ Development Subcommittee, 5:30pm  <b>March 24 Board of Aldermen, 7:00 pm</b></p>
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**City Green/Yard Waste Facility Opens March 1st**

Platte City Residents Only, \$20 year

**Current customers, keep your old access card and contact City Hall to request billing on next monthly utility bill or renew in person at City Hall.**

New customers visit City Hall to purchase an access card

Green Waste Facility is located at the west end of Mill Street near the City sewer plant inside Riverview Park

Brush, yard clippings, shrubbery, limbs and other green waste only

**CITY SERVICES SURVEY**

Every two years, Platte City contracts with ETC Institute to survey residents regarding the level of satisfaction with City services such as police, streets, solid waste, parks, pool, recycling and recreation.

The 2014-15 survey is underway through a combination of direct mail to your house and phone contact. Please participate. Your opinion can improve City services.

**2015 Solid Waste Holiday Schedule**

Presidents Day: Mon, Feb 16th:	Mon & Tues routes collected on Tuesday
Memorial Day: Mon, May 25th:	Mon & Tues routes collected on Tuesday
July 4th Fri, July 3rd	Normal collection schedule
Labor Day Mon, Sept 7th	Mon & Tues routes collected on Tuesday
Veteran's Day Weds, Nov 11th	Weds & Thurs route collected on Thursday.
Thanksgiving Thurs, Nov 26th	Thurs & Friday route collected on Friday
Day After Fri, Nov 27th	Normal Collection
Christmas Eve Thurs, Dec 24th	Normal Collection
Christmas Day Fri, Dec 25th	One day early on Thurs, Dec 24
New Year's Day Fri, Jan 1st	One day early on Thurs, Dec 31

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[www.plattecity.org](http://www.plattecity.org)

**Ways to pay your Platte City Utility Bill**

Platte City offers many ways to pay your City water, wastewater and solid waste bill. Choose the method that fits you best:

- A. Traditional mail return, checks only, do not send cash through the mail
- B. In person at City Hall, 400 Main Street Platte City
- C. On line, through the City website, [www.plattecitey.org](http://www.plattecitey.org). Set up and manage your account on line,
- D. Automatic Draft (ACH) or Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) from your checking or savings account.
- E. City Utility drop box, 4th street side of City Hall.

**Contact Utility Billing at 858-3046 to discuss the option that is the best fit for you.**

**Business License Reminder**

Do not forget your business license. Renew without penalty before March 1, 2015. Renewal information was mailed to current licensees. If you did not receive a renewal notice or do not have a current license, please contact City Hall at (816) 858-3046 or check the web site at [www.plattecitey.org](http://www.plattecitey.org)

**Winter Driving and Snow Routes.**

Winter weather can make driving a challenge. Be aware of the extra distance required to stop on wet, icy or snowy surface.

Please pay attention to Snow Route signs. During snow events, please do not park on streets.

***Safety tips for homeowners***

- Make sure all your exterior doors have good locks-at least deadbolt locks with a minimum 1" throw.
- Use the locks you have. Always lock up when you go out, even if only for a few minutes.
- Make sure outside doors and door frames are solid, 1 3/4" metal or hardwood.
- Secure sliding glass doors with commercially available bars or locks, or put a wooden dowel or broom handle in the door track.
- Make sure your windows have good locks, particularly those at ground level. Lock double-hung windows by sliding a small-headed bolt or nail through a hole drilled at a slight downward angle in a top corner of the inside sash.
- Make sure all porches, entrances, and outside areas are well lighted.
- Trim any bushes or trees that hide doors or windows. Keep ladders and tools inside when you're not using them.
- Don't hide your keys under the doormat or flowerpot.
- Record serial numbers on valuable property like televisions and DVD players and store the numbers in a safe place.
- Consider installing an alarm system.
- If you park your car outside of your garage; lock the doors and avoid leaving the garage door opener visible.

**POOL SEASON IS VISIBLE FROM HERE**

**Lifeguards and concession workers needed**

**Contact Parks & Recreation at 816.858.5627**