



Newsletter

START YOUR NEW YEAR OFF WITH LEVEL PAY OR AUTOMATIC BILL PAY OR BOTH, THE CITY OF PLATTE CITY NOW OFFERS THESE OPTIONS.

New Billing and Payment Options:

- ▶ **Level Pay for Residential Customers.** The City of Platte City now offers a level pay option for residential customers. The City will calculate your average monthly bill add 10% and then calculate the level pay amount for the next 12 months level pay will be. If you would like information regarding level pay Please contact City Hall at 816-858-3046.
- ▶ **Automatic Payment-** The City will automatically process your monthly utility bill each month on the 20th day of the month (unless it falls on a weekend or holiday it is the business day before)
- ▶ **In person Cash or Check**
- ▶ **By Mail**
- ▶ **Drop Box** at City Hall, 400 Main St, Platte City, MO 64079
- ▶ **Credit Card-** There is a processing fee of \$2.75- This can be done in person, by phone or via the City web site at

The City of Platte City will be replacing out dated telecommunications equipment in all City facilities the first week of January. The services will be switched to the new system on January 7, 2016 beginning at 8:00 a.m. The City facilities will experience down time during this switch over, if you try to call a City facility on January 7th, 2016 and receive a busy signal or reach our voice mail please be patient with us as we will return calls as quickly as the systems is fully functional. If you need immediate City Services please contact Platte County Dispatch at 816-858-3521 and ask that they communicate a call back name and number to a Platte City Police Officer. City Staff thanks you in advance for your patience during this transition.

City Meetings

City Hall, 400 Main Street:

Pub Safety: cancelled, 5:30 pm

Pub Works : cancelled, 5:30 pm

Planning Zoning: January 4, 7:00pm

Econ Dev: January 19, 5:30 pm

Board of Aldermen: January 19, following ED Meeting

Civic Center, 900 4th Street

Park Board: January 4, 6:30 pm

Municipal Court: January 5, 6:00pm

City Officials

Mayor

Frank Offutt

Ward I Aldermen

Vickie Atkins

Brad Fryrear

Ward II Aldermen

Tony Paolillo

Lee Stubbs

Ward III Aldermen

Debbie Kirkpatrick

John Higgins

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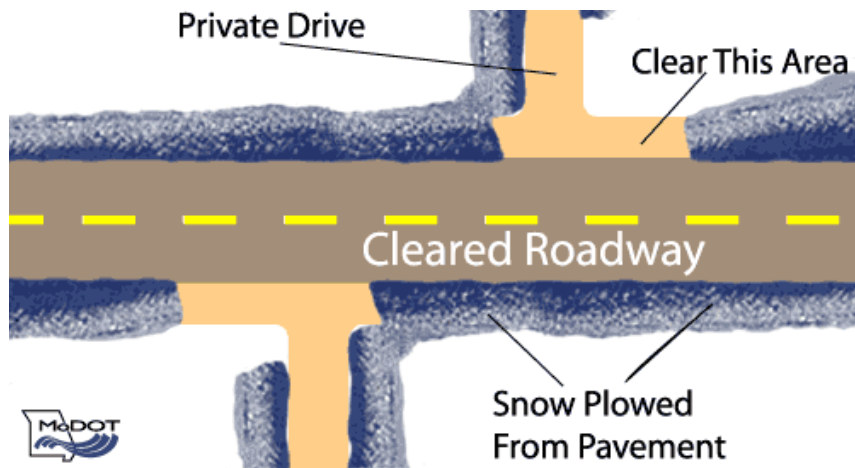
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DRIVE WAY SNOW SHOVELING TIPS:

The City of Platte City's top priority in a snowstorm is plowing snow routes, which may require several trips down the same route. Snow plowed from roads could end up blocking private driveways for some time. The City of Platte City recognizes the inconvenience this causes, but because of limited time and resources, plows can only clear private driveways at the request of local emergency officials.

To reduce the amount of snow that might block your driveway, shovel an open area along the shoulder at the entrance (see illustration below). Plow blades will then push snow into the area just before your driveway, leaving a much smaller amount in front of it.

Diagram below provided courtesy of Missouri Department of Transportation web site
http://www.modot.org/road_conditions/keepdrivewayclear.htm



Notice of Candidate Filing:

Those wishing to file a declaration of candidacy may do so beginning December 15, 2015 in the office of the City Clerk Monday-Friday during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.

The following positions will be on the April 5, 2016 General Election Ballot.

Mayor --2 Year Term
Alderman of Ward One, Two and Three--
1 for each ward-- 2 Year Term
Municipal Judge-- 2 Year Term

For a list of qualifications please visit the City web site at www.plattecitey.org

CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL:

The City of Platte City will have the compost center open beginning December 28, 2015 to January 14, 2016 for the drop of of Christmas trees. The Compost Center is open from dawn to dusk as long as the Riverview Park gates are open.

If you are looking for a place to recycle your tree the Clay County Parks department has a drop off center at Little Platte Park, Smithville Lake . Trees should be free of tinsel, ornaments and tree bags. Drop off is open daily from 8:00am to 5:00pm until January 31, 2016. Directions to park 169 North to NE 180th then East to Little Platte Park. For additional information please contact Clay County Parks at 816-407-3400



Parks & Recreation
Platte City

PARKS AND RECREATION REGISTRATION OPENING

January 18, 2016 registration will open for the following sports. Spring Soccer and Baseball/Softball

You may sign up through the City website at www.plattecitey.org, by visiting City Hall or by mail. Forms will be available through the City Web site, at City Hall and will also be distributed through the schools in early January. If you have questions you may contact 816-858-5627,