

City of the Village of Douglas Administration Review Week of June 17th, 2024

415 Wiley Road: The City Council has agreed to hire Carbon Six Construction to commence the design phase for the 415 Wiley Road space where the goal is to move City Hall, the Police Department, and add office space for the Department of Public Works. Once the design phase is complete, and Council is comfortable with the direction and pricing, the next step will be to pass an agreement to start construction.

Brush Pick-Up: Brush pick-up will take place on Tuesday, June 18th for locations on the East side of Blue Star Highway, and on Tuesday, June 25th on the West side of Blue Star Highway.

The City <u>WILL NOT</u> pick up: material from lot clearing operations, tree removal (including stumps), large landscape debris, railroad ties, pet waste, bricks, lumber, fence debris, construction material, grass clippings, dune grass, leaves, yard waste, or garden waste (unpotted/potted plants), and brush piles that are left from contracted work or commercial landscapers.

Leaf pick-up will commence in the fall. Please refer to the City website for a copy of the pick-up schedule, or visit City Hall, where you can access the information sheet in the vestibule.

Please do not place debris in the public right-of-way and be mindful of the issues with safety this can cause.

Farmer's Market in Douglas: The Douglas Farmer's Market kicked off the season at the Beery Field picnic area on Tuesday, June 18th with great success with over 200 patrons visiting and shopping at the market in the first 90 minutes. Thank you for your support! The market hours are from 10 a.m. - 2:00 p.m., and the future dates are listed below:

- June 25th
- July 2nd; 9th; 16th; 23rd; 30th
- August 6th; 13th; 20th; 27th

Please spread the word so we can ensure that the market is successful moving forward.

Art in Douglas: Art in Douglas takes place the second Saturday of each month through September. If you missed the June event, please join the galleries in Downtown Douglas on Saturday, July 13th. Future dates:

- July 13th
- August 10th
- September 14th

Support small. Support local.

Keep our City and Parks Clean: We all love our community and want to ensure it remains beautiful. We encourage everyone to ensure that trash is picked up and placed in the appropriate containers when you see it. Every bit helps. Thank you for being an amazing community partner!

Upcoming Meetings, Events, & Notices:

- Monday, June 24th, 2024: Special Council Meeting at City Hall @ 5:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, June 25th, 2024: Farmer's Market @ Berry Field from 10:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, June 26th, 2024: DDA Meeting at City Hall @ 2:00 p.m.
- Friday, June 28th, 2024: Beats on Berry at Beery Field, from 4:30p.m.- 9:00 p.m.

City of the Village of Douglas City Council:

Cathy North, Mayor Randy Walker, Mayor Pro-Tem Neal Seabert, Councilmember Jerry Donovan, Councilmember John O'Malley, Councilmember Greg Freeman, Councilmember Matthew Balmer, Councilmember

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