

## **NEWSLETTER**

#### Notice of Consumer Water Confidence Report

The Consumer Water Confidence Report for 2019 for the City of Vergas Water System is available at the Vergas City Office. A copy of the report is posted on bulletin board at the Liquor Store/City Hall and on the web at www.cityofvergas.com. If you have and questions regarding this report, please contact the city office at 218-342-2091

-Vergas Water Department

### LAKELAND VET CLINIC

Vergas, Thursday, May 21
3:30 PM - 6:00 PM
Immunize your pets/ dogs
& cats
Purchase 2020 Dog License
In front of the Fire Hall



LIQUOR

STORE

**Current Hours:** 

Mon-Thurs. 9 am-8:55 pm

Fri-Sat 9 am-9:55 pm

Sunday's 11 am-5 pm

# CITY MEETINGS ALL OF THESE MEETINGS

MAY BE
VITUAL MEETINGS OR
CANCELLED
CHECK THE WEB PAGE

WWW.CITYOFVERGAS.COM

#### **Vergas Trail Meeting:**

Wednesday –May 6, 2020 11:00 a.m.

(1<sup>st</sup> WEDNESDAY of the month)

#### **Vergas EDA:**

Wednesday – ? 12:00 p.m. Noon (1st Wednesday of the month)

#### **Vergas Planning Commission:**

Monday, May 18, 2020 6:00 p.m.

(2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month)

#### **Vergas City Council Meeting:**

Tuesday, May 12, 2020 6:30 p.m. (2<sup>nd</sup> TUESDAY of the month) (If you would like to be on the agenda please have information to City Clerk by the Wednesday before meeting)

#### **Vergas Event Center Advisory Board:**

Wednesday, May 13, 2020 5:30 p.m.

(2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month)

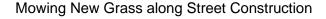
Changes in our meetings to be posted on the City of Vergas websitwww.cityofvergas.com

## DID YOU KNOW YOUR <u>UTILITY BILL</u> CAN BE *EMAILED*?

Please submit your request to:

City Office - 218-342-2091

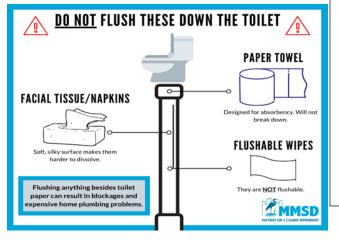
Or email: rrichards@cityofvergas.com



Typically, it will take about 8 weeks to establish. The turf should be well-established and at least

3.5 to 4 inches in height. When mowing, the new seedlings are still tender and they should try to avoid a lot of maneuvering on the turf itself by mowing equipment. Mowers should be set relatively high and cut the grass blades down to 3 inches in height at the shortest. Each mowing should alternate directions at a 45 degree angle for a bit.

If mowing too soon, there is a risk of damaging the seedlings and causing widespread die off. Also, make sure the turf is allowed to dry for at least 48 hours before the first mowing.



#### **City Office Closed**

Staff working at home we are available by:

phone: 218-342-2091 or 218-841-0804

email:

cityofvergs@arvig.net

web page: cityofvergas.com

The City of Vergas is closely monitoring the unfolding of the situation around the spread of coronavirus <a href="Executive Order 20-48"><u>Executive Order 20-48</u></a> allows workers in non-customer facing industrial and office settings to return to work. It further allows customer-facing retail businesses that sell goods to engage in curbside or outside pick-up and delivery. All workers who can work from home must continue to do so. There are also a number of other conditions laid out in <a href="E0 20-48"><u>E0 20-48</u></a>, including creating a COVID-19 Preparedness Plan and not permitting customers to enter a business premises.

#### **Curbside Pickup and Delivery: What Does it Mean?**

Retail stores and other businesses that sell, rent, maintain and repair goods that can be picked up outside, without entering the place of business and with limited interaction between employees and customers. Services like household goods rental, maintenance services, repair services and pet grooming are included. Other services are not. Salons and barbershops may do retail sales via outdoor pickup and delivery, but not provide services. In order to provide delivery, the business must have provided delivery services previously to the pandemic.

#### **Industrial: What Does it Mean?**

Industrial settings are places of employment in which goods are in the process of being created. Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting qualify, as do mining, construction, utilities and manufacturing. Wholesale trade and warehousing also qualify as they are preparing those goods for sale to customers and consumers. Some of these settings are natural for allowing social distancing. Others will be more difficult and require businesses to change practices, including increasing space between workstations and reducing density of workers for each shift.

#### Office: What Does it Mean?

Office settings are places of employment in which workers do their work within an office space where people primarily do their work at their desk and whose work is primarily not customer facing. Some settings will be natural for allowing social distancing, with people primarily working in individual offices. Others will be more difficult and require businesses to change practices, including increasing space between workstations and reducing density of workers for each shift.

#### Examples of what you can do:

Allow customers to pick up purchases made in advance online or via telephone and paid electronically or using other means at the time of order, whenever possible.

- Maintain social distancing of workers inside the store facilitating outdoor pick-up.
- Customers should remain in the vehicle, and items should be deposited in the trunk, whenever possible.
- Provide contactless delivery at the customer's home or business, if eligible.
- Interact with co-workers while maintaining appropriate social distancing.
- Conduct virtual meetings with co-workers, customers and suppliers.
- Work at workstations as long as there is adequate space between workers.
- Follow the business's plan for social distancing.

#### Examples of what you can't do:

return this nomination form to:

- Allow customers into retail stores or the business premises, even in scenarios where this is preferable based on a lack of online presence or based on a certain business model.
- Customers paying at the point of sale is discouraged but allowed if other options do not exist.
- Deliver into customers' homes or business.
- Conduct customer visits in customer workplaces or homes.
- Invite customers into the workplace.
- Conduct meetings in conference rooms that don't allow social distancing.

Vergas is looking for Grand Marshal nominations for the 2020 Looney Daze parade.

Work right next to co-workers.

### **Vergas Area Residents**

Please email any nominations or

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Looney Daze Parade Chair 440 S Pelican Ave Vergas MN 56587	LOUNETUAZE
Email: Lhoffmann2@hotmail.com	
Name(s):	
Reason for Nomination (Must have some connection/affiliation to the city of Vergas	please explain why you think this nomination would
be a good fit for the Grand Marshal):	