



2022

NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER

Mayor's Message

With winter upon us, that means snow and snow removal. To ensure safety of the roads and others, please be aware of the following:

- Generally, the City Utilities Department will begin snow removal when there is 3-4 inches of snow. Additional factors that can affect snow removal; are dangerous weather conditions, drifting causing travel problems, icy conditions, and gravel roads that aren't frozen.
- Priority for snow removal are based on street function, with business district and high-volume traffic routes getting plowed first.
- The County is responsible for the county roads coming through the city and the city does further snow clean-up of the street curbsides.
- If you are parked on a city street, please move your car to the side of the street where the snow has been removed. This allows snowplows to get both sides of the street plowed and maintained.
- Snow removal from driveways and sidewalks are the responsibility of residential and business owners. Please do not place your snow on city roads.

Appreciate your help and support with the city snow removal needs. Certainly not fun but necessary. If at any time you have questions regarding snow and ice removal from city streets; contact the city office at (218) 302-5996.

Safe and Happy Holidays!!



Where all the
profits, profit
Vergas

The Vergas Liquor Store

218-302-1516

MON-THU 9am- 9 pm
FRI-SAT 9am-9:55pm
SUN 11am – 5pm

Hot Holiday Deals!

Smirnoff 750

Was \$13.49

Now \$10.99

Smirnoff 1.75

Was \$26.99

Now \$20.99

Captain Morgan

1L

Was \$22.99

Now \$16.99

Sat. Dec. 24th

close @4PM

Closed Sunday Dec. 25th

Sat. Dec. 31st

close @ 10 PM

Sun. Jan. 1st

close @ 5 PM

2022 CITY MEETINGS

To access Hybrid Meetings

Via Zoom: Meeting ID:

267 094 2170

Password 56587

or Attend In Person

@ VEC Smart Room

Changes in our meetings

to be posted on the

City of Vergas website

www.cityofvergas.com

and on the

Vergas Event Center sign

Vergas City Council

Meeting:

Tuesday – Dec. 13th 6:30 p.m.

Vergas Event Center

(2nd Tuesday of the month)

(If you would like to be on the agenda, please have information to City Clerk by the Wed. before mtg.)

Park Board Meeting:

Thursday – Dec. 22nd 5:00 p.m.

Vergas Event Center- Smart Room

Planning Commission Mtg:

NO DEC. MEETING.

EDA/HRA Meeting:

Tuesday– Jan. 3rd 2:00 p.m.

Vergas Event Center- Smart Room

(1st Tuesday of the month)

Vergas Event Center

Advisory Board:

Wednesday–Jan. 4th 6:30 p.m.

Vergas Event Center- Smart Room

(1st Wednesday of the month)

2022 City Council

Election Results

Incumbent Julie Bruhn was reelected as Mayor.

Incumbent Paul Pinke was reelected as Council Member.

Dean Haarstick was newly elected as Council Member.

**Thank you for your commitment to
serving the City of Vergas!**

Effective Jan. 1, 2023

NEW UTILITY RATES

Water: Base - \$28

Usage \$4.00 per 1,000 gallons

Sewer: Base - \$28

Usage \$2.75 per 1,000 gallons

Lions Club Blood Drive

Fri., Jan. 6, 2023

8 am – 2 pm

Call: 701-866-4301 or

218-790-2829

Register online at vitalent.org

or call 877-258-4825

When you give blood,
you are part of something bigger than yourself.



*To everyone
for sharing
time & talents
during
the past
month's
special events.
You are what
makes Vergas
a better place
to be...*

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COMMUNITY MEETINGS

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Community Club Meeting:

Monday – Jan. 2nd 5:00 p.m.

Vergas State Bank/ Lower Level
(1st Monday of the month)

Lions Blood Drive:

Friday– Jan. 6th 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Vergas Event Center

Vergas Lions Club:

Tuesday – Dec. 13th 5:30 p.m.

Spanky's

(2nd Tuesday of the month)

Thank You to All Who GAVE to Give to the Max

for their donations to:

Vergas Event Center

EDA/HRA

Vergas Pickleball Courts

You can continue to support thru
DONATIONS @city

For details,
Call City Office
218-302-5996



**HAPPY
HOLIDAYS**

Celebrating the Holidays City Office

Closed

Monday Dec. 26th

Monday Jan. 2nd

Liquor Store

Sat. Dec. 24th close @ 4 PM

Closed Sunday Dec. 25th

Sat. Dec. 31st-close @ 10 PM

Sun. Jan. 1st -close @ 5 PM



Grab your planner
(or cell phone!)
and add these
upcoming dates....

more fun times ahead for Vergas in
2023

Schedule of Events

Syrup Festival.....April 1, 2023
Seltzer Stroll..... date to be determined
Downtown Art Camp.....June 10, 2023
Looney Days.....August 11 - 13, 2023
Hairy Man Festival September 30, 2023
Wine Walk.....October 21, 2023
Pumpkins on Main.....October 28 - 30, 2023
Tour of Homes/Festival of Trees....November 18, 2023
Small Town Christmas.....November 25, 2023



ATTENTION ALL CITY RESIDENTS!

Please consider receiving emailed information as we are seeing an increase of time in transit via USPS, up to 2 weeks for local delivery. Email r-richards@cityofvergas.com to make arrangements