

# FROM MAYOR TAMMY



CITY OF KIMBALL  
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 KIMBALL MN 55253

# City of kimball

Growing up as a young girl in the City of Kimball, I have had many people whom I have always looked up to as role models in my life. These people had and still have a direct impact as to how I live and raise my family. Unfortunately, as I have attended three wakes in

the last week, it occurred to me how many of these people have been an important part of Kimball and my family and now they are gone. I thought did I ever tell them how much I appreciated them or how a random act of kindness meant so much to me. I will forever have their kindness embedded in my memory which will serve as a reminder of the impact all of us can do to make a difference in our community. We have reminders all over Kimball of the many ideas people have implemented or are still in the process of implementing to make a difference to the people of our community.

I recently ran across an article about a man who made an impact on our community when he served as Mayor of our community for 17 years where he and his council were the first to break ground for Kimball's first underground water and sewer system. I read his obituary and again I thought of how people leave a part of their legacy behind. His obituary went like this: During his residency here Mr Linn served as president of

the Village Council for 17 years, his high standards of law, order and good government were upheld by word and deed during his service as a village officer. Strict adherence to his convictions of right living was his main concern and by percept and example he made every effort to have those with whom he came in contact do likewise throughout his lifetime. Bernie Alexander Linn was my Great Grandfather and while I never met him, I have heard many wonderful things about him growing up and to actually read such a great tribute to this man, gave me not only a sense of pride, but determination. I am determined to make a difference and hopefully follow in the footsteps of my Great Grandfather.

Kimball is very fortunate to have many positive things happening around us that in spite of the economic problems we have much to look forward to. We are presently working on obtaining stimulus money for road improvements for our community. Kimball schools just recently received a grant for \$25,000.00, which will involve a collaboration between school and community. We have some interest in a new business coming to town and an existing business expansion. Kimball will have the opportunity to have added jobs and with that, bringing more people to town helps our existing businesses. We are still working toward entertaining this summer in our Willow Creek Park and local tal-

ent would be very welcome.

**32ND  
 ANNUAL  
 PANCAKE  
 &  
 SAUSAGE  
 BREAKFAST  
 SUNDAY  
 APRIL 5, 2009  
 7:30A.M.-12:30P.M  
 AT  
 FIRE HALL**



### NOTICE

The Nuisance Ordinance is in effect. City Council will be doing a drive around checking for nuisances. To avoid possible abatement, clean up the winter debris in your yard.

# FROM THE DESK OF POLICE CHIEF JIM

## CURFEW IN CITY OF KIMBALL

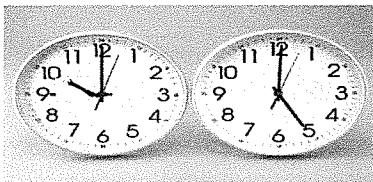
Every person under the age of 16 years shall be subject to the curfew restrictions. No child shall lurk, loiter, idle or be in or upon public grounds, public places, places of entertainment and refreshment, or any other unsupervised places within the City of Kimball between the hours of 10:00p.m. and 5:00a.m. the following day.

These provisions do not apply to

- A child who is accompanied by his or her parent, guardian or other person having the care or custody of the child.
- To a child who is upon some necessary errand by permission or direction of his or her parent, guardian or other person having the care or custody of the child. Such permission shall be in writing and signed by the parent, guardian or other person having the care or custody of the child.

Any parent, guardian or other person having the care or custody of a child who permits the child to violate the curfew, shall be guilty of a petty misdemeanor. Each day of violation shall constitute a separate offense.

School nights: Curfew shall be temporarily suspended and shall not apply to any child, parent, guardian, or other person having the care and custody of the child, IF the child is lawfully going to, attending or returning from any official school sponsored event, between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 1:00a.m. of the morning following the event.



## ATV'S AND ALL OTHER RECREATIONAL VEHICLES

It is unlawful to operate an ATV upon roadways, public lands or public waterways as follows:

- At a speed in excess of 15 miles per hour
- Other than single file on roadway
- Careless or recklessly
- On a public sidewalk provided for pedestrian travel.
- On boulevards within any public property, including Parks and Recreational areas, except as city's ordinance may specifically permit.
- No person shall operate ATV or other recreational vehicles within the city limits at any place while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- ATV-Must have a valid drivers license to operate in road Right Of Way. Anyone born after July 1, 1987 must have a safety certificate. OHM-must have a driver license with motorcycle endorsement. Anyone born after January 1, 1996 and under 16 needs to have a safety certificate.

## HOURS OF OPERATION

It is unlawful to operate an ATV within the City of Kimball between the hours of 10:30p.m. and 7:a.m., except when entering or leaving the City.

A person less than 18 years of age shall not operate an ATV on public land unless wearing a safety helmet approved by the Commissioner of Public Safety.

Complete Ordinance available at City Hall.



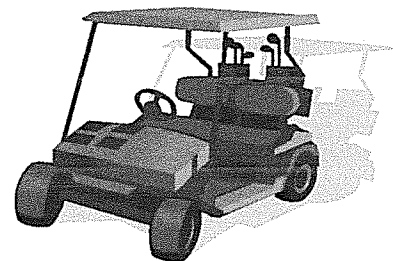
## GOLF CARTS IN CITY OF KIMBALL

No motorized golf carts shall be driven, operated, or controlled on the roadways or shoulders of roadways under the jurisdiction of the City of Kimball under the following conditions:

- Between sunset and sunrise, unless equipped with at least one head light and one tail light
- When visibility is reduced, due to smoke, fog or other conditions when there is insufficient light clearly to see a person or vehicle at a distance of 500 feet.
- Without prominent display of a slow moving vehicle emblem. The emblem must consist of a fluorescent or illuminated red-orange triangle with a dark reflective border and be mounted so as to be visible from a distance of not less than 600 feet to the rear.
- Without a mirror so located as to reflect a view of the roadway for a distance of at least 200 feet to the rear of cart.
- Without a current valid drivers license
- It is the owners responsibility, when letting someone else operate a golf cart that they follow the City ordinances and laws that are provided above.

Complete ordinance is available at City Hall.

HAVE A SAFE & FUN SUMMER



**TO: ALL CITY RESIDENTS-  
BRUSH & COMPOST PICKUP**

The Public works Department will be picking up brush and compost every **TUESDAY MORNING BEGINNING AT 6:30A.M. ON APRIL 14, 2009.**

Please follow these **SIMPLE** rules.

- **Brush not to exceed 4 feet in length MUST be bundled and tied.**
- **Compost, not to exceed 50 pounds, should be bagged or placed in containers approved by the Public Works Department**
- **Brush and compost shall be placed near the curb, the night before, to assure pickup.**
- **ONLY CORN-BASED SELF COMPOSTING BAGS WILL BE PICKED UP. THESE BAGS ARE AVAILABLE AT GOH-MANN'S FOODS.**

Pickups will only be made at scheduled times, unless prior approval has been received from the Public Works Department.

Large quantities of Brush and Compost will be picked up at a cost of **\$45.00 per load.**

If you are going to drop off Brush or Compost yourself, **you need** to contact the Public Works at 980-4904 or 980-4906, for approval.



**PARK COMMITTEE MEETING**

The Kimball Park Committee will be meeting, **Tuesday, April 14, 2009 at 6:30p.m.** at City Hall to discuss plans for the upcoming year. If you are interested serving on or with this committee, please plan on attending.

**FARMERS MARKET  
VENDORS WANTED**

Join us this summer at the farmers market, located behind Triple "R" Grill and Bar.

The time will be Friday's 3:00p.m.-6:30p.m., June thru October, weather permitting.

Please contact Donna Roerick—320-398-2109 or

roerickfam@meltel.net for more info.



**NEW & EXCITING**

**KIMBALL COMMUNITY GARDENS**

Each gardener is responsible for their own plot and will decide what to plant, keep the plot weeded, and harvest their own crops. Gardens may be flower, vegetable or a combination of the two. An initial meeting will be held when the garden plots are ready for planting in April. Water will be available, but you must provide your own garden tools. COST: 50X50-\$25.00 or 25 X 25-\$12.50. For more info, call Ed or Rose Borman at 320-398-5552.



**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**MAY 13, 2009**

**Community Dodge Ball for Youth**

**5:30p.m.-8:00p.m.,**

**GRADES 7-12**

**AT KIMBALL HIGH SCHOOL**

**FREE PIZZA AND POP**

**For more info, call Steve Rowland at Church of Christ, 320-398-3660**



**CITY OFFICE CLOSED**

The City Offices will be closed on Monday, May 25, 2009 in observance of Memorial Day.



MEET THE CITY OF KIMBALL CITY COUNCIL

**MAYOR, TAMMY KONZ**

Tammy lives in Kimball with her husband, Dan. Tammy and Dan have been married for 32 years. They have six children, 2 sons and 4 daughters, 2 son-in-laws and 1 daughter-in-law. Tammy says she has bragging rights on her 6 grandchildren. Tammy's hobbies are spending time with her family, biking, swimming, and cleaning house.

Tammy works at Hendricks Bus Service. Tammy is beginning her third year on the council. She serves on the Personnel Committee. She can be reached at— phone-320-398-5011 and e-mail at tKonz@meltel.net

**COUNCILMEMBER, JOE KRIPPNER**

Joe lives in Kimball with his wife, Sara and their two daughters, Caitlin and Lilliah.

Joe's hobbies are playing baseball in the summer and spending time with his family.

Joe works at Fire Trak Corp.

Joe is in his 3rd year on city council and also serves on the Personnel Committee and works with the Website.

Joe can be reached at—phone-320-398-2144 and e-mail-joe@firetrak.com.

**COUNCILMEMBER, CHRIS JANSKY**

Chris lives in Kimball with his wife, Sarah, and their two children, Lucas-age 4 years and Maximus—age 5 months.

Chris's hobbies are Football and Golf. Chris works for Johnson Locating Service.

Chris is in his 5th year on the City Council.

Chris can be reached at: phone—320-398-5722 and e-mail—chrisjansky04@yahoo.com

**COUNCILMEMBER, ERIC LOEWEN**

Eric lives in Kimball with his wife, Amanda and their two children, Olivia, age 4 and Beau, age 3.

Eric's hobbies are duck hunting, reading, Gardening and Gaming.

Eric works at Rockler Woodworking and Hardware.

Eric is in his 2nd year on City Council and also works with the Park Committee.

Eric can be reached at 320-398-2143 or e-mail at Clive02@meltel.net.

**City of Kimball**

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**COUNCILMEMBER, DUWAYNE ORBECK**

DuWayne lives in Kimball with his wife, Jean. DuWayne and Jean have 5 children, Kelly, Jeff, Mark, Lisa and Jody.

DuWayne's hobbies are Scraping and Recycling. DuWayne is retired.

DuWayne is in his 6th year on City Council. He is acting mayor and is on the Park Board.

DuWayne can be reached at 320-398-3835

**FROM THE DESK OF FIRE CHIEF-JOHN GOHMANN**

The Kimball Area Fire & Rescue Department is looking for some help from the residents of the City of Kimball. A lot of the houses in our town don't have adequate address numbers posted on their houses. A lot of them are very hard to read, especially at night. We would like to see a number that is at least 5 inches in height and not the same color as your house and placed near the front door. On any call we might have at your residence, time is of the essence for us to get there as quickly as possible.

Also, with summer coming, remember the only fire you can have in your yard is one in a fire pit, which is no larger than 3 foot by 3 foot and contained. Please **NO** burning of leaves in town either.

Thank you for your help

Fire Chief John Gohmann



# KIMBALL CLEAN-UP DAY

**FREE**

## CLEAN UP TIME?

What are you going  
To do with all those  
Hazardous Chemicals  
In your home?



TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE  
HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION\*

### ITEMS ACCEPTED

Paints	Sealers
Cleaners	Mercury
Poisons	Garden Chemicals
Solvents	Rechargeable Batteries
Roofing Tar	Fluorescent Bulbs
Fuels	(NO 8ft. bulbs)
Automotive Chemicals	Adhesives

Items too numerous to list!!!



### ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED

Business Waste  
Medical waste  
Agricultural Waste  
Household Garbage  
Appliances—SEE BELOW

Furniture—SEE BELOW  
Car Batteries—SEE BELOW  
Tires—SEE BELOW



**GENERAL**

**BATTERIES**  
\$1.00  
EACH

**CAR TIRES**  
\$2.50

### APPLIANCES

**COST: \$13.00**

Refrigerators,  
Freezers, De-  
Humidifier, Hu-  
midifier, Water  
Heater, Range,  
Stove, Washers,  
Dryers, Dishwash-  
ers, Microwaves,  
Furnaces

Air Conditioners-  
**COST—\$18.00**

## GARBAGE DUMPSTER

A "PICK-UP" LOAD—\$20.00

AT

A M MAUS & SON

### USED OIL

USED OIL—FREE  
USED OIL FIL-  
TERS—50 CENTS  
EACH  
ANTI-FREEZE—  
\$1.00

### USED CLOTHING

BRING YOUR CLEAN USED  
CLOTHING TO  
KIMBALL CITY HALL  
ON SATURDAY, MAY 2, 2009

9:00A.M.-1:00P.M.

Will go to the  
Epilepsy Foundation

**PLACE: A M MAUS & SON--HWY 55**

**DATE: SATURDAY, MAY 2, 2009**

**TIME: 9:00A.M.-1:00P.M.**