



# City of Kimball

October 2013

City Hall will be closed the following dates:

- October 22
- October 24 (in the morning)

### City Hall Hours:

**Monday:**  
8:00am – 4:30pm

**Tuesday:**  
8:00am – 6:00pm

**Wednesday: Closed**

**Thursday:**  
8:00am – 6:00pm

### **Upcoming City Council Meetings:**

October 1  
November 5  
November 19  
December 3



## Trick-or-trEATing for Kimball Food Shelf



### Tuesday, October 22 6:30-8pm

Kimball Cruisers 4H Club will be out and about collecting donations for the Kimball Food Shelf.

**Non-perishable items and/or CA\$H DONATION\$ accepted!**

**More than 600,000 people in Minnesota are hungry. They live in every one of Minnesota's 87 counties. They live in cities, on farms, in suburbs, in the country, on lakes, on flat land, in forests, in small towns. One in every ten Minnesotans doesn't know where his or her next meal is coming from.**

**Of those ten, four are children.**

Source: <http://www.hungerfreemn.org/hunger-in-mn>

### Halloween Safety Reminders for Parents & Kids:

1. Make sure mask holes are large enough for your child to see through.
2. Make sure children cannot be tripped by loose costumes
3. Take a flashlight along for dark streets.
4. There is safety in numbers – the bigger the group the better.
5. Do not eat unwrapped candy or fruit until your parents have inspected it.
6. Stay on the sidewalk and away from traffic as much as possible.
7. Be careful when you cross a street and make sure you look both directions before crossing.
8. Wear bright reflective colors so that cars can see you when it is dark!

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In this economy more and more people and families are having difficulties making ends meet.

If you are having difficulty paying your heating and/or electric bill we encourage you to contact your local Energy Assistance provider.

### How can Energy Assistance help you?

Energy Assistance programs can provide:

Assistance towards a household's home energy bill

Emergency assistance if a household's home energy service is shut off

Emergency assistance if a household is unable to get fuel delivered

Advocating with energy-related services such as weatherization improvements, furnace equipment repair and replacement, and budget counseling.

#### LOCAL ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROVIDER FOR:

**BENTON, MORRISON, SHERBURNE, STEARNS COUNTIES:**

TRI-COUNTY ACTION PROGRAM, INC

1210 23RD AVE S

WAITE PARK MN 56387

(320) 251-1612 or 1-888-765-5597

[WWW.TRICAP.ORG](http://WWW.TRICAP.ORG)

"This program is funded by the Minnesota Department of Commerce and U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services"

## Compost Site:

**PLEASE DO NOT DISPOSE OF PROHIBITED ITEMS OR DISPOSE OF ITEMS IN PROHIBITED LOCATIONS - THE FOLLOWING ITEMS HAVE BEEN DISPOSED OF AND ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED:**

- DIMENSIONAL LUMBER
- ALUMINUM CANS
- NO GARBAGE BAGS OR BIODEGRADABLE BAGS

**ALL ITEMS MUST BE PLACED ON EITHER THE COMPOST PILE OR THE BRUSH PILE!!**

**ABSOLUTELY NO ITEMS ARE ALLOWED TO BE PLACED ON THE ROADWAY!! ONLY COMPOSTABLE BAGS ARE ALLOWED!!**

### Brush and Compost Curbside Pick-up is offered each Tuesday

Brush cannot exceed 4 feet in length & **MUST** be bundled and tied. **IT CANNOT EXCEED 50 POUNDS!!** All leaves and grass clippings **MUST** be in compostable bags!! We will no longer be accepting bins or containers or any sort!!

**ONLY** Corn-based self composting bags will be picked up. Compostable bags are distinct from regular plastic bags because they are usually clear or a green-tinted opaque color. Most home improvement, grocery and hardware stores carry them. If you do not see them **ASK** an employee at the store. Biodegradable bags are **NOT** accepted.

All brush/compost must be placed at the curb **by 6:30 am.**

*If you have questions contact the Public Works Department at (320) 980-4906*

**THE LAST DAY FOR BRUSH PICK-UP WILL BE NOVEMBER 5.**