VILLAGE OF BRADSHAW

PO BOX 147

BRADSHAW, NE 68319

BRADSHAW BEAT

FEBRUARY 2025

Residents: There will be a scheduled power outage on Sunday, March 9th for up to 12 hours so that NPPD can switch us to generator power to do the substation upgrade. We do understand that this is not ideal but we have to do it. If anyone has any questions please feel free to contact me at the office at 402-736-4634. Thank you all for understanding.

Due to the power outage, United Methodist Church will be doing a Saturday night church service on March 8th at 5pm.

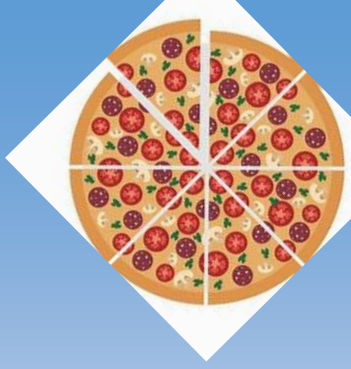
Village office will be closed March 6th-10th due to clerk vacation and also March 19th-21st due to clerk's school. If you need assistance during that time please contact Mitchell at 402-710-4031. Thank you!

Easter Egg Hunt

APRIL 12, 2025
10AM
BRADSHAW PARK
3 AGE DIVISIONS
3 & UNDER
4-7
8 & UP

IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN DONATING
PLEASE SEE STEPHANIE

PIZZA, PUZZLES & PRIZES



Grab your team of 4 and see if you can be the first to complete a pizza & a 500 piece puzzle!

Friday, April 11th @ 7:00 pm

Bradshaw Community Center

Entry fee: $60 per team

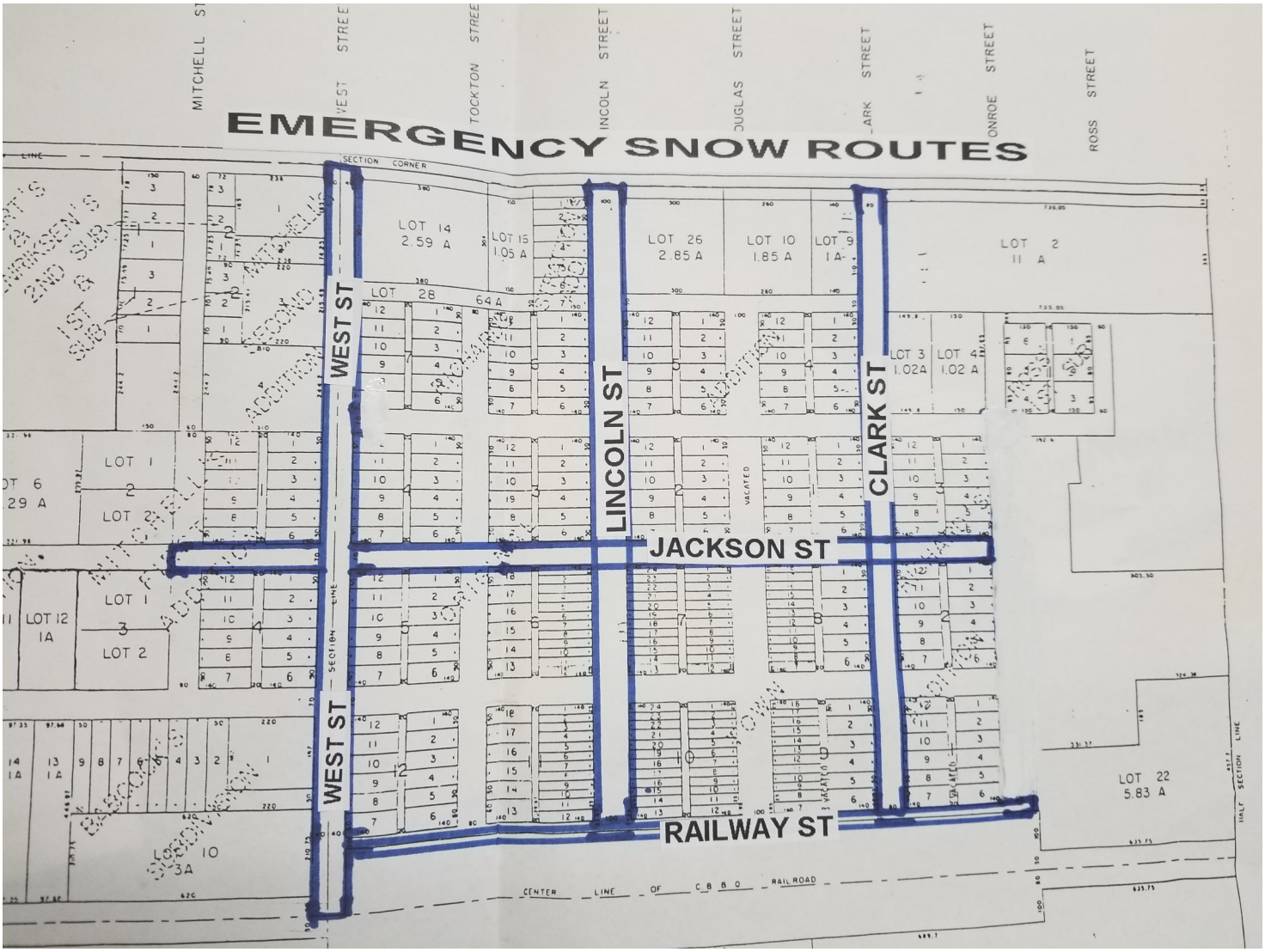
We will supply the puzzle & pizza,

Bring your own drinks to enjoy during the event. No hard alcohol allowed.

CASH PRIZES AWARDED!

No entries after March 31st!

For questions & to enter please contact Stephanie at 402-736-4634 or 402-366-2970.



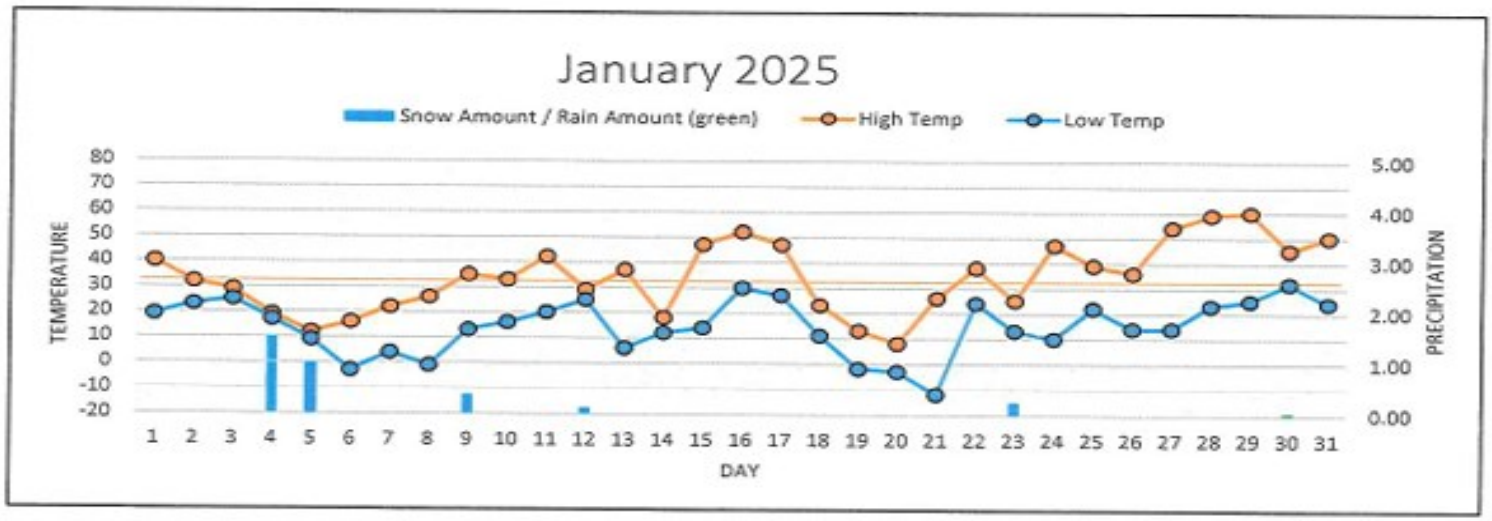
EMERGENCY SNOW ROUTES! THESE STREETS WILL BE CLEARED FIRST ONCE IT SNOWS! PLEASE BE PROMPT ON MOVING YOUR VEHICLES OUT OF THE STREET OR THEY WILL BE TOWED! IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT STEPHANIE AT THE VILLAGE OFFICE 402-736-4634 AND SHE WILL BE HAPPY TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU HAVE! ***SNOW REMOVAL WILL ONLY BE DONE WHEN IT SNOWS MORE THAN 2" AS PER BOARD POLICY.***

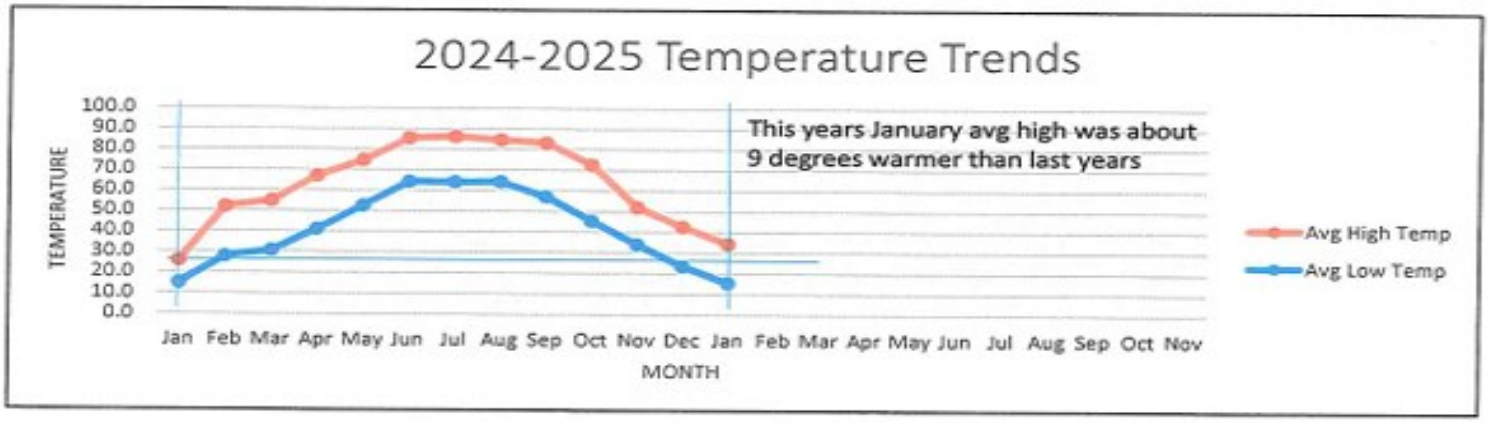
ALSO, TRASH CANS NEED TO BE REMOVED FROM THE STREET THE SAME DAY AS TRASH REMOVAL! THANK YOU!

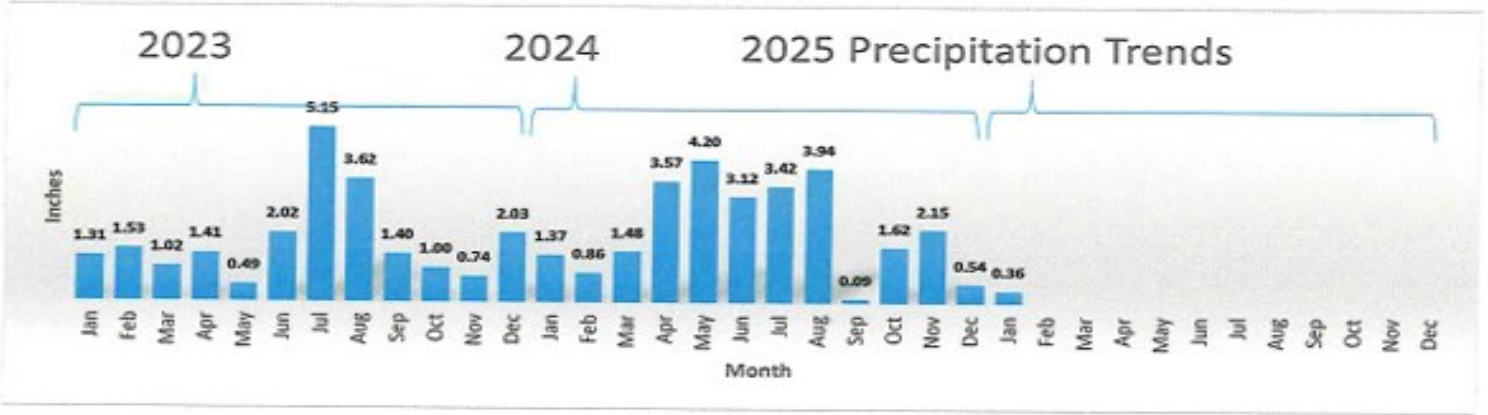
WEATHER DATA FOR BRADSHAW

	Jan 2025	Last Year Jan 2024
Average High Temperature for the month	34.2	25.7
Average Low Temperature for the month	15.4	15.0
High Temperature for the month	60	57
Low Temperature for the month	-12	-18
Total Snow for the month	3 1/4"	23 3/4"
Precipitation for the month (liquid)	0.36"	1.37"
Total Precipitation year-to-date	0.36"	1.37"

Notes: This January (like December) overall was very dry
Winter Pattern & developing La Nina continues to be a lot like what we saw in 2022 - where we only had 9" of snow all Winter
Future Forecasts continue to show dry conditions ahead







VILLAGE OF BRADSHAW REGULAR MEETING MINUTES – 02-13-2025

The Village of Bradshaw Board of Trustees met in regular session at the Bradshaw Community Center in the lower meeting room. Chairman McCormick called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. declaring the meeting to be open, legal, and properly posted with all members having been notified in advance through receipt of packets with agendas two days before the meeting. He announced that a copy of the Open Meetings Law is posted on the west door of the meeting room.

Trustees present: L.J. McCormick, Terrence Werth, Mary Kempf, Devon Stamp & John Hastings.

Werth moved, Kempf seconded to approve the meeting agenda. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

Hastings moved, Stamp seconded to approve the minutes of the January 9th, 2025, regular meeting. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

Guests: Pam Kaliff, Judy Bowman, Bonnie Wilson, John Weldon, Andrew & Kelly Dunkley, Kent Rauert & Brandon Skelton.

Unfinished business:

Skelton discussed the possibility of affected property owners helping pay to pave Fulton Street, advised not sure on price yet but nervous about end cost with TIF financing the project. Property owners shared thoughts on burden of cost. Discussed possible paving district as well. Board tabled for more information.

Board discussed purchasing fuel tank for village shop. Board talked about safety concerns. Superintendent discussed concern of emergency snow situation and not having access to fuel during those times if the CVA pumps freeze up. Werth moved, Kempf seconded to table discussion so clerk can get pricing on containment options. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

After discussion, Hastings moved, Werth seconded to approve purchase of seven Lenovo laptops from Amazon and not get Microsoft Office as of now. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

New Business:

Kent Rauert discussed starting a vacant property registration in Bradshaw. Advised it's a good way to start getting vacant properties cleaned up and used going forward. Board advised they would take this into consideration but table for now.

Andrew Dunkley discussed three different layouts for subdividing the lot behind their house. Advised the board they are currently looking into developer options through Bonnevilla and will continue to look at other options as well. Advised they intend to utilize TIF financing for the paving and utilities infrastructure.

Clerk advised board of different bonding options for the electrical substation project. McCormick moved, Werth seconded to look at the lowest total option to finance and cash CD's for the rest. Advised clerk to wait a few months and re-visit once project starts. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

Hastings moved, Werth seconded to approve treasurer's report as presented. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

Werth moved, Hastings seconded to approve warrants and payroll as presented. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried. Warrants and payroll approved are as follows: Black Hills Energy-natural gas-$636.87; Bomgaars-supplies-$367.30; Central Valley Ag-fuel-$195.24; Cornerstone Bank FBO Stephanie Metzger-IRA $296.86; Dutton Laison-Meter covers-$117.00; Eakes-Supplies-$133.97; Freedom Repair-repair payloader-$493.70; Hamilton Information system, camera rental -$136.00; Hometown Leasing-printer lease $89.96; Jackson Services, mops, rugs-$90.13; Klute Truck-supplies-$30.92; Kopchos, garbage service-$142.00; La Cocina-appreciation dinner-$215.24; Ne Dept of Revenue-sales tax-$1512.43; Ne Public Health Environmental Lab-water samples-$262.00; NPPD-Wholesale electric-$19,729.76; NPPD M & O-maintenance-$35,449.79; Perennial, well pumping-$976.56; Pieper Plumbing-Repairs-$1810.30; Postmaster-postage-$258.00; Stephanie Metzger-petty cash-$45.02; Tac's Automotive-repair pickup-$1714.12; VanKirk Brothers-water repairs-$3900.42; Wagner Decorating-flags-$273.91; Windstream, phone-$208.00; York Ace Hardware-Supplies-$295.90; York News Times-publications-$294.74. Payroll & Insurance-$$4594.82. January 2025 WARRANTS NOT YET PUBLISHED Best Buy-Shop computer-$709.79; Walmart-computer monitor-$87.32; Postmaster-mail water samples-$84.20; Stephanie Metzger-reimburse yearly website fees-$215.88; UNO Clerks Assoc.-Clerk School-$273.00. Payroll & Insurance-$4849.32.

Additional Items:

The clerk reported one delinquent account. Advised of KwH used vs billed for. Gone on vacation March 6-10.

The utility superintendent advised standpipe is fully isolated, cleaning out storm drains, painting community center.

Werth moved, Stamp seconded adjournment at 9:17p.m. RCV: Ayes-McCormick, Werth, Kempf, Stamp & Hastings. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be held in the Bradshaw Community Center meeting room on Thursday, March 13th, 2025, at 7 pm. The public is always welcome.

_____ Stephanie Metzger, Clerk Treasurer

02-19-2025 Minutes posted at bank, post office and community center.