
BRADSHAW BEAT

AUGUST 2021

“It was so amazing on the Saturday following the storm that hit Bradshaw to see so many people pitching in to help each other. Thank you to everyone-this is why we live in Bradshaw”-Kimm Klute

VILLAGE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 21ST-SEPTEMBER 24TH!

**SCHOOL IS BACK IN SESSION PLEASE
BE MINDFUL OF THE BUSES
AROUND TOWN AND THE KIDS
WALKING HOME!**



Village of Bradshaw

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ATTENTION!

We have been getting several complaints regarding the park each day. A few months ago we added a tether ball to the pole to allow the kids to have something extra to play with. We have had to put the ball back up over a dozen times due to kids climbing on the rope and breaking it, climbing the pole and disconnecting it and just simply not using it correctly. There has also been an abundance of trash recently which then requires people to have to pick all of it up. We have gotten multiple complaints about kids wrapping the swings to the point that we have had to go out there and fix each link to get them to come back down which is time consuming. And recently someone dumped something sticky down all the slides in the park which then required us to have to wash all the slides so that kids could use them again. Parents, we ask that you have a talk with your children and ensure that they know to respect the equipment so that we can continue to have a nice park. There are camera's in the park and we have been going back and watching the footage so we can figure out who is doing this. But this also takes time away from the employees that could be spent doing other things. The saying "it takes a village" rings through here and we just ask that everyone do their part in keeping our park looking nice.

Thank you!

Please **DO NOT** blow grass clippings into roadways and alleyways while mowing. It can clog the sewer drains and cause many costly issues!



BOARD MEMBERS

James Gordan	402-736-4668
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Terrence Werth	402-736-4714
Mary Kempf	402-736-4321
Eric Jensen	308-380-3062
Sup't Mitchell Huebert	402-710-4031
<i>Clerk/Treasurer</i>	
Stephanie Metzger	402-736-4634

If you have a utility emergency after hours you can call the office phone at 402-736-4634 which will transfer you to the NPPD call center. They will then contact Mitchell to figure out a repair. You are also welcome to contact him directly at 402-710-4031.

Thank you!

Please pick up your messes that your animals make around the village. Also, please keep your animals out of other resident's yards. Thank you for your cooperation.

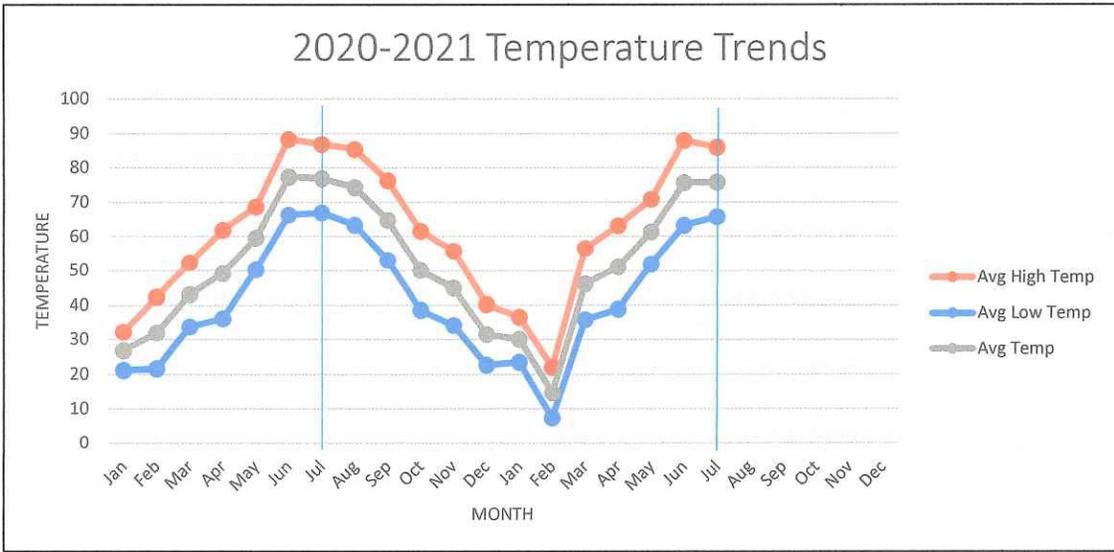
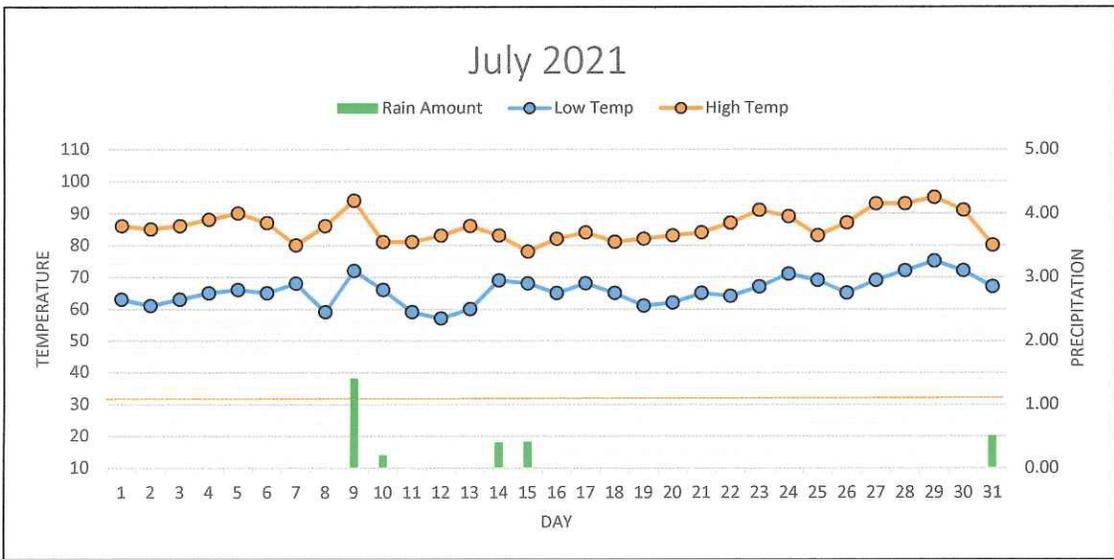
DID YOU KNOW...payment of your utility bill is available by **ACH** from your bank account. For this convenience just sign up at the village office and be prepared to leave a voided check blank for the bank's use.

Your payment will be deducted from your account on the 15th of the month. No more late fees or envelope & stamps or trying to make it to the village office to pay your bill.

WEATHER DATA FOR BRADSHAW

	July 2021	Last Year July 2020
Average High Temperature for the month	85.8	86.8
Average Low Temperature for the month	65.7	66.9
Precipitation for the month (liquid)	2.94"	3.35"
Total Precipitation year-to-date	20.84"	16.37"

Notes: July for the first 21 days was one of the Top 10 Coolest ever



VILLAGE OF BRADSHAW REGULAR MEETING MINUTES – 08-12-2021

The Village of Bradshaw Board of Trustees met in regular session at the Bradshaw Community Center in the lower meeting room. Chairman Gordan 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 one day 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: James Gordan, L. J. McCormick, Terrence Werth, Mary Kempf & Eric Jensen.

Jensen moved, Werth seconded to approve the meeting agenda. MC=5-0

Werth moved, McCormick seconded to approve the minutes of the July 8th, 2021, regular meeting. MC=5-0

Unfinished business:

None

New Business:

Werth moved, Jensen seconded to approve a Special Designated Liquor License for Bulldog Roadhouse on September 11th, 2021. MC=5-0

Jensen moved, Kempf seconded to replace 4 lights on the Community Center with LED through Nunnenkamp Electric. MC=5-0

Werth moved, Kempf seconded to approve Resolution 2021-2 regarding Municipal Certification. MC=5-0.

McCormick moved, Jensen seconded to approve bid from Sargent Drilling to install flow meter on the south well. MC=5-0

Gordan moved, Werth seconded to approve bid from Iowa Pump Works to install notification dialer on the lagoons. MC=5-0

Board discussed replacing printer with a more economical printer in the shop. Advised clerk to get bid from Eakes on leasing another printer. Tabled for September.

Werth moved, Kempf seconded to move September meeting date to September 16th due to holiday. MC=5-0

Board discussed budget items. Superintendent to ask Gary Steele to do a survey at the RV Park. Look into tripod to use when needing to go into lagoon stations.

Werth moved, Jensen seconded to approve treasurer's report as presented. MC=5-0

McCormick moved, Kempf seconded to approve warrants and payroll. MC=5-0 Warrants and payroll approved are as follows: Central Ne Bobcat-sweeper-\$3647.14; Central Valley Ag-fuel-\$745.99; Central Valley Ag Transport-granite-\$4348.81; Cheryl Dye, beat delivery \$65.00; Cornerstone Bank FBO Stephanie Metzger-IRA \$234.92; Hamilton Information system, camera rental -\$146.20; Holiday Inn-Hotel stay-\$139.95; Hometown Leasing-printer lease \$59.03; Hydraulic Equipment Services -repair bucket truck-\$1159.45; Iowa Pump Works-yearly service-\$1829; Jackson Services, mops, rugs-\$63.11; Jensen Lumber-stop sign poles-\$128.12; Klute Truck-repair sweeper-\$314.41; Kop-chos, garbage service-\$

-\$91.00; League of Ne Municipalities-yearly dues-\$1078; Miller & Associates-services-\$579.65; Miller Seed-gopher pellets-\$60.50; Mitchell Huebert-cellphone & water meals-\$287.48; Naber's Locksmith-make keys-\$9.00; Napa Auto Parts-jack-\$279; Ne Dept of Enviro Health-water samples-\$236; Ne Dept of Revenue-sales tax-\$1688.67; NPPD-Wholesale electric-\$20,195.88; NPPD M & O-Maintenance \$649.71; North Office Supply-FedEx fees-\$36.45; Orkin-pest control -\$75.00; Perennial, well pumping, \$443.85; Perez Tree Service-trim trees-\$3200; Postmaster-stamps-\$127.00; Stephanie Metzger-petty cash-\$74.25; Stephanie Metzger-mileage & Mail water sample-\$123.11; Svehla Law-legal services-\$256.28; Tractor Supply-manifold kit-\$32.24; Wagener Decorating-flag-\$52.99; Windstream, phone-\$243.43; York Ace Hardware-supplies-\$303.85; York News Times-publications-\$54.30. Payroll & Insurance-3621.53. July 2021 WARRANTS NOT YET PUBLISHED Stephanie Metzger-reimburse for timeclock-\$353.80; Postmaster-mail water sample-\$46.80. Payroll and insurance -\$5751.38.

Additional Items:

Set budget meeting for August 24th @ 630 pm.

Discussed nuisance properties.

The clerk reported 2 delinquent accounts. Advised of kWh used vs billed for. Board approved vacation September 21st-24th.

Utility superintendent discussed water usage. Advised waiting water school test results.

Werth moved, Kempf seconded adjournment at 8:14p.m. MC=5-0

The next meeting will be held in the Bradshaw Community Center meeting room on Thursday, September 16th, 2021, at 7 pm. The public is always welcome.

_____ Stephanie Metzger, Clerk Treasurer

08-16-2021 Minutes posted at bank, post office and community center.