BRADSHAW BEAT

NOVEMBER 2023

The Little Library located outside of the church will now have one shelf dedicated to some grocery and personal items. Please feel free to take from the shelf if there is anything you can use!

Holiday Hours:
Thanksgiving-Closed
11/24-Open
Christmas-Closed
New Years Day-Closed
If you need assistance during closed hours please call 402-736-4634 and you will be forwarded to the NPPD after hours call center.

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CAN CAROLING

FBLA, FFA, NHS

Heartland Community Schools

Monday, December 11 7:00pm-8:30pm

Leave your light on!

HEARTLAND STUDENTS WILL BE IN TOWN ON DECEMBER 11TH DOING SOME CAN CAROLING! LEAVE YOUR LIGHT ON IF YOU'RE WANTING TO SUPPORT A GREAT CAUSE!

Bradshaw Children's Christmas Party

December 16th, 2023
6:00-8:00pm

Bradshaw Community Center
Santa will deliver gifts around 7pm
We will have food, drinks & fun

Everyone 12 years and younger will receive a gift, please turn in gift ideas to Stephanie by Dec. 7th (under $15.00)
If you're interested in donating please see Stephanie.

Heartland Public Schools will be having a Holiday Concert at the Bradshaw Community Center on Tuesday, December 19th at 7:30 pm. There will be a social to follow brought to you by the Heartland Education Association. The concert will feature High School small music ensembles.

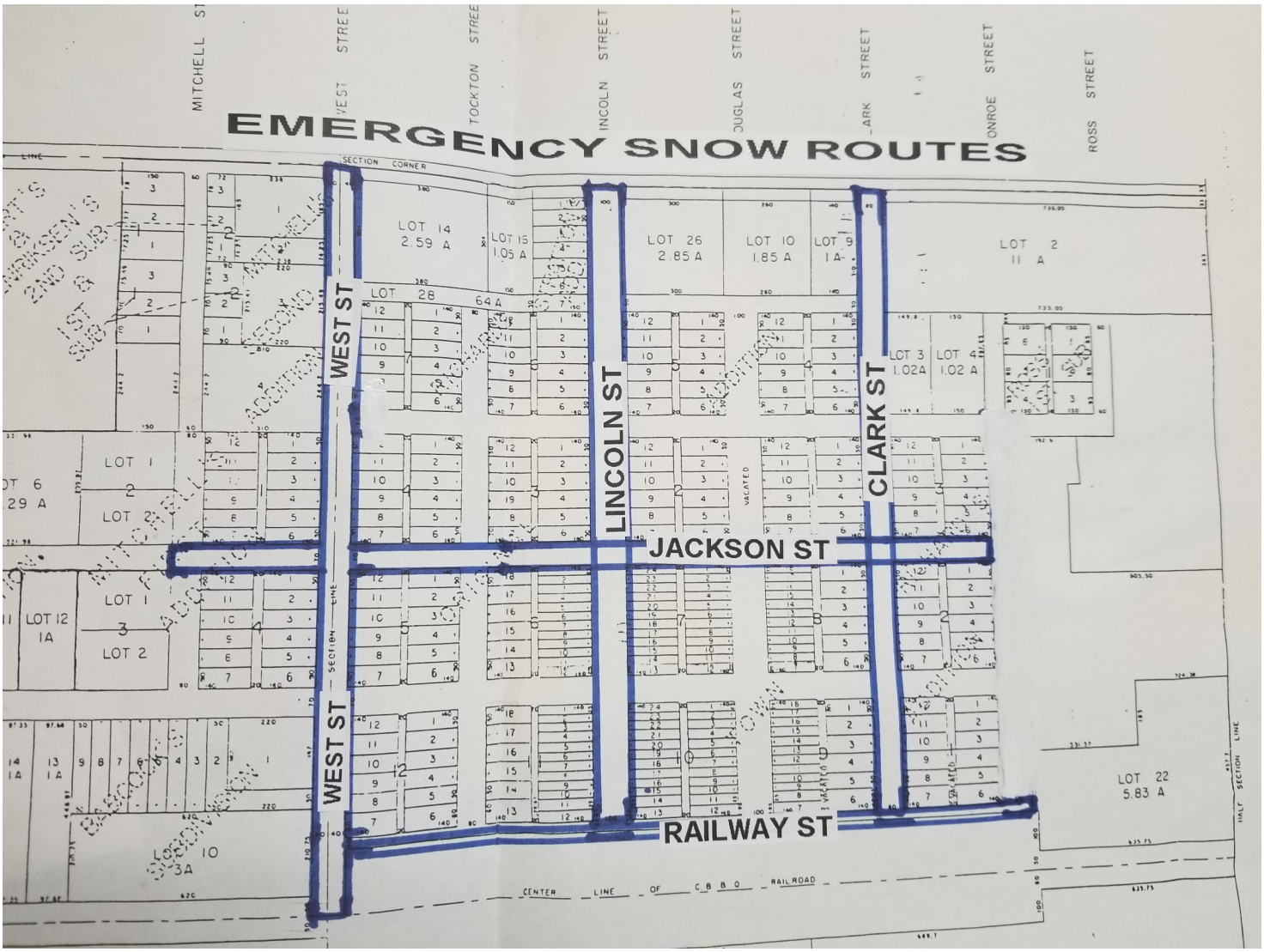
Thank you everyone for making this year's Children's Halloween Party a success.

Thank you donors for making this possible:

Dalyn Enterprises
Tom & Elaine Vaught
Pat O'Brien
Siebert Custom
Klute Steel
Patricia & Terry Werth
Paul & Diane Brune
Keith & Linda Jones
Mary Woodman
Central Valley Ag
Klute Truck
Kelly & Lori Watson
Judy & Willard Peterson
Kent & Kathy Meyers
Bonnie Wilson
Doug & Electa Preslicka
Cornerstone Bank
Ron & Joyce Bestwick

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.***

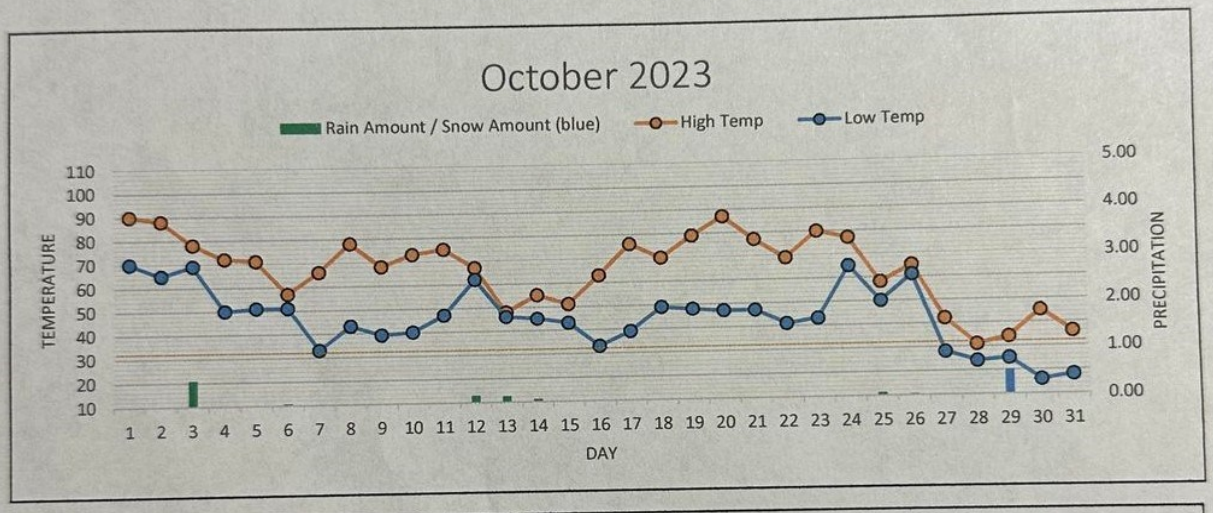
ALSO, TRASH CANS NEED TO BE REMOVED FROM THE STREET THE SAME DAY AS TRASH REMOVAL! THANK YOU!

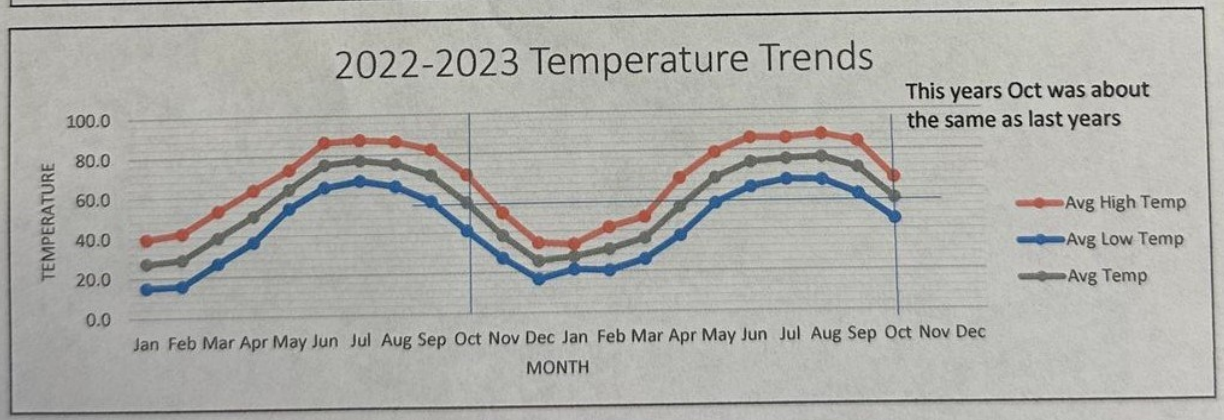


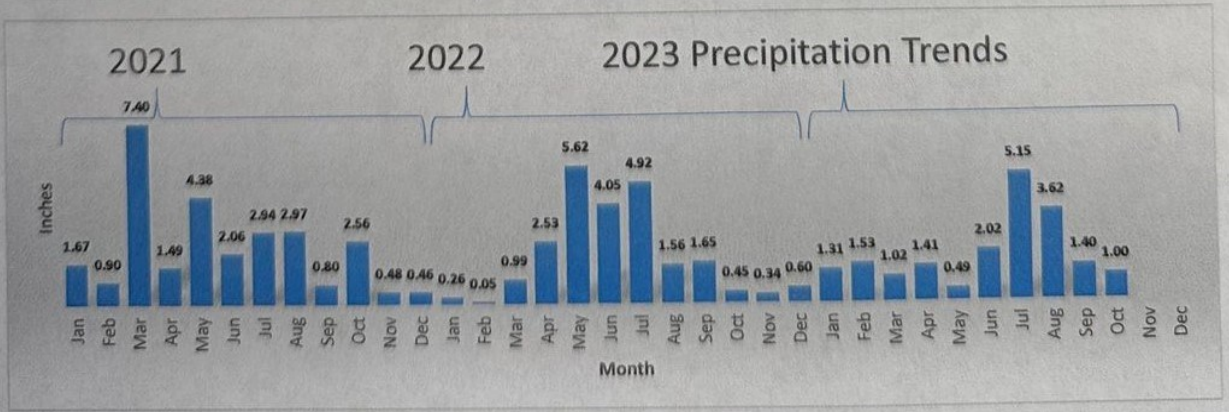
WEATHER DATA FOR BRADSHAW

	Oct 2023	Last Year Oct 2022
Average High Temperature for the month	65.4	69.2
Average Low Temperature for the month	44.8	41.8
High Temperature for the month	90	86
Low Temperature for the month	16	18
Precipitation for the month (liquid)	1.00"	0.45"
Snow recorded for the month	1/2"	0"
Total Precipitation year-to-date	18.95"	22.08"

Notes: Dispite the Rain we have received, we are still in Extreme Drought
The 1/2" snow we had this month could be telling relative to the winter .....
The last snows we had in October were during the El Nino winters of 2018, 2019, 2020 -- in these years we had 29", 43", & 32" of snow respectively --- this coming Winter will be an El Nino winter







VILLAGE OF BRADSHAW REGULAR MEETING MINUTES – 11-9-2023

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 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: James Gordan, L.J. McCormick, Terrence Werth, Mary Kempf & Eric Jensen. Jensen moved, Werth seconded to approve the meeting agenda. RCV: Ayes-Gordan, McCormick, Werth, Jensen & Kempf. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

McCormick moved, Kempf seconded to approve minutes of the October 12th, 2023, regular meeting. RCV: Ayes-Gordan, McCormick, Werth, Jensen & Kempf. Nays-0, Absent-0, Abstain-1. Motion carried. Guests: John Hastings, Willard Peterson, Devon Stamp & Austin Partridge.

Unfinished business:

New Business:

Austin Partridge with First National Capital Markets discussed different options for bonding the electrical project at the substation. Discussed the possibility of bonding the full amount versus half the amount by cashing out CD's and putting money down on it. The board will consider options and discuss further as project gets closer.

Afte reading, Werth moved, Kempf seconded to approve Resolution #2023-14 regarding year end Street Superintendent certification. RCV: Ayes-Gordan, McCormick, Werth, Jensen & Kempf. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

McCormick moved, Jensen seconded to approve new flooring and counter/storage for village office. RCV: Ayes-Gordan, McCormick, Werth, Jensen & Kempf. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.
Werth moved, Kempf seconded to approve treasurer's report as presented. RCV: Ayes-Gordan, McCormick, Werth, Jensen & Kempf. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

McCormick moved, Jensen seconded to approve warrants and payroll. Advised clerk to hold off on paying NPPD TIF loan until December meeting. RCV: Ayes-Gordan, McCormick, Werth, Jensen & Kempf. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried. Warrants and payroll approved are as follows: Black Hills Energy-natural gas-$137.17; Central Valley Ag-fuel-$134.68; Cheryl Dye-Beat delivery-$80; Cornerstone Bank FBO Stephanie Metzger-IRA $279.88; Cornhusker Press-dog tags-$84.13; Eakes-paper/print charge-$200.90; Hamilton Information system, camera rental -$136.00; Hometown Leasing-printer lease $93.11; IIMC-yearly dues-$210.00; Jackson Services, mops, rugs-$86.19; Kopchos, garbage service-$1257.75; Maguire Iron-water tower-$41,860.93; Municipal Supply-extra battery-$208.75; Ne Dept of Revenue-sales tax-$1640.43; Ne Public Health Enviro Lab-water samples-$15.00; Ne Rural Water-Yearly dues-$200; NPPD-Wholesale electric-$27,816.15; NPPD M & O-maintenance-$2000.23; Perennial, well pumping, $305.62; Pieper Plumbing-water install-$2686.91; Postmaster-postage-$117.00; Postmaster-mail water sample-$28.95; Power Manager-yearly dues-$2760.60; Stephanie Metzger-petty cash-$27.19; Tac's Automotive-supplies-$13.4; Taurus Plumbing-fix water leak-$1224.15; Walmart-supplies-$118.07; Windstream, phone-$216.13. Payroll & Insurance-$4591.46. October 2023 WARRANTS NOT YET PUBLISHED Postmaster-Mail water sample-$33.69. Payroll and insurance -$3817.16.

Additional Items:

The clerk reported 1 delinquent account. Advised of KwH used vs billed for. Discussed Christmas party stuff.

The utility superintendent advised water leaks are fixed, transferred water at lagoons, flushed hydrants & tower.

Jensen moved, Gordan seconded adjournment at 8:06p.m. RCV: RCV: Ayes-Gordan, McCormick, Werth, Jensen & Kempf. Nays-0, Absent-0. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be held in the Bradshaw Community Center meeting room on Thursday, December 14th, 2023, at 7 pm. The public is always welcome.

_____ Stephanie Metzger, Clerk Treasurer
11-10-2023 Minutes posted at bank, post office and community center.