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Department of Public Works

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“Serving the Community Throughout the Seasons”

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Airport Improvements

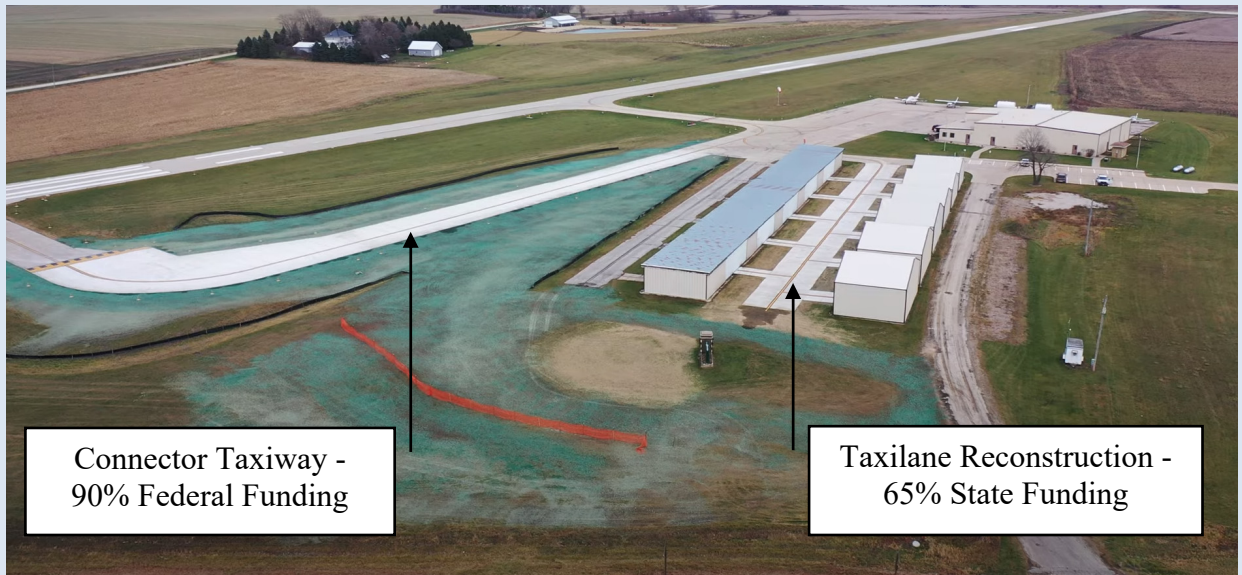
There are twenty-three (23) airplanes based in the Waverly Municipal Airport. A new connector taxiway was built this fall to allow aircraft to access or leave the west end of the runway without having to back-taxi. The new connector taxiway decreases the potential for runway collisions and improves safety.

The airplane hangar taxilanes were originally constructed in the 1960's and were last rehabilitated with asphalt in 2000. Both taxilanes showed signs of poor drainage and deteriorating pavement. A state grant allowed the south taxilane to be reconstructed this fall. The north taxilane is scheduled for reconstruction in 2025 pending the availability of state or federal funding.

Did You Know?

State and federal funds for airport projects come from aircraft registration fees and taxes paid on aviation fuel.

This funding is similar to how vehicle fuel taxes and registration fees help to fund roadway projects.



Contact Us at PublicServices@waverlyia.com

Winter Wonderland Reminders

Whether you love the snow or despise it, snow cannot be ignored! Residents play a vital part in keeping the city safe during the winter season. Some ways that you can do your part to help are:

- Park in your driveway before the snow falls. This helps the snowplow drivers get through the streets more quickly and you do not have to shovel the extra snow from around your vehicle.
- Promptly clear snow and ice from sidewalks (within 24 – 48 hours).
- Do not park across sidewalks (this is never okay).
- Adopt a fire hydrant near your house or business and clear the snow about four feet away from it after each snow event. Waverly has over 600 fire hydrants and the community's help in keeping them clear and accessible during the winter helps ensure a more rapid response by the Fire Department in the event of a fire during the winter.
- Place your garbage and recycling carts at the end of your driveway – NOT in the street. If collection needs to be cancelled or delayed due to weather, the City will place a notice on the City's website, Facebook, and will notify KWAY Radio 99.3 FM and KWVL-TV.



Snow Removal

Priorities for Snow Removal from Streets

The following snow removal priorities have been established to enhance public safety and make efficient use of available resources:

1. Primary snow routes (which include Bremer Ave. and streets to the hospital and schools)
2. Remaining snow routes (as detailed in City Code Sec. 105.4.10.46)
3. Airport runway
4. Residential streets
5. Cul-de-sacs
6. Alleys
7. Public parking lots



Vehicles that are normally parked on the Emergency Snow Routes must be moved immediately during snow conditions so these streets can be cleared of snow from curb to curb.

Reminder that vehicles are not to remain parked in one place for more than 48 hours at any time during the year.



There are exceptions to all priorities depending on the amount of snow and the duration of the snowfall. During blizzard conditions, priorities will vary depending on the amount of snow and drifting.



Check out the City's website
www.waverlyia.com/snow
for more information.

Holiday Garbage & Tree Disposal Schedules

Holiday Garbage Collection

City of Waverly offices will be closed on December 25th, December 26th & January 1st.

If your normal garbage day is:	Your garbage and/or recycling will be picked up on:
Monday, Dec. 25	Friday, Dec. 22 (<i>Garbage & Recycling</i>)
Tuesday, Dec. 26	Wed., Dec. 27 (<i>Garbage & Recycling</i>)
Monday, Jan. 1	Tuesday, Jan. 2 (<i>Garbage</i>)



Recycle Gift Boxes

Please recycle the cardboard boxes from your Christmas gifts. Single-layer cardboard and corrugated cardboard can be picked up by the Recycling Truck with your Curbside Recycling or you can take boxes directly to the Recycling Center. Gift wrapping paper cannot be recycled.

Christmas Tree Collection



From December 28, 2023 through January 10, 2024, the City of Waverly's Public Services will assist in the collection of Christmas trees from Waverly residents.

To take advantage of this service, place your tree at the curb in front of your residence (not in your alley) anytime during this period. Wreaths and garland will also be picked up during these days.

Please have all tinsel, decorations and plastic tree bags removed prior to placement at your curb. No trees, wreaths or garland will be picked up **after** January 10th. Artificial trees can be disposed of at the Public Services Center for a fee.

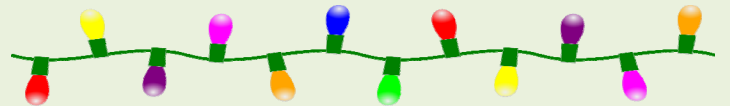


Reminders for Garbage & Recycling Collection

The City utilizes automated trucks to collect curbside recycling. For the safety of our operators, we request that all materials for pick-up fit inside your recycling cart. If you have extra recycling, it can be brought to the Recycling Center. The Recycling Center is at 2800 5th Avenue NW. It is open Monday – Friday from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and on Saturday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Listed below are some reminders to ensure your garbage and recycling containers get emptied:

- Place your garbage and recycling carts behind the curb or at the end of your driveway whenever possible, especially during the winter months, otherwise the snowplow may knock them over.
- Place your garbage cart at least 3 feet away from your recycling cart and other objects. This will give the garbage truck's automated arm room to grab the cart.
- Garbage carts with yellow lids are emptied every other week. A garbage cart with a yellow lid can be placed out for collection during an "off" week with a garbage tag placed on the top bag in the cart, visible for the operator to see.
- Curbside recycling is also collected every other week.
- A 2024 calendar insert for yellow-lid garbage containers and curbside recycling is enclosed within this newsletter.
 - This insert lists the recyclable items that are collected curbside and at the Recycling Center.
 - This insert also includes garbage and recycling collection for the 2024 holidays.



- Drop off your old and broken strings of Christmas lights at the Recycling Center. The wire in these lights will be recycled.
- Glass and Styrofoam cannot be collected curbside but may be dropped off at the Recycling Center. Styrofoam food containers are not recyclable.
- Plastic bags are not accepted.
- Plastics with a recycling symbol (#1-5 & #7) are accepted curbside and at the Recycling Center.
- Make sure all items for recycling are clean.
- Shred your private papers at the Recycling Center using the heavy-duty paper shredder.
- Contact Public Services to rent a 35 or 65-gallon recycling cart for only \$3.50 a month. A 95-gallon cart is available for \$5.55 a month. You must rent a City cart to have curbside collection of recyclables.
- If you do not wish to rent a recycling cart, you can recycle by taking your recycling directly to the City's Recycling Center at 2800 5th Avenue NW.

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Quarterly Calendar for Curbside Recycling and Garbage Containers with Yellow Lids *(Yellow Highlighted Weeks)*

	S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5	6
JAN	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30	31	1	2	3
FEB	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	25	26	27	28	29	1	2
MAR	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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The highlighted weeks are collection weeks for curbside recycling and yellow-lid garbage carts. A yellow-lid garbage cart can be put out for collection on an off week with a garbage sticker placed on the top bag in the cart (visible for the operator to see).

City offices/services will be closed on the following days:

- Monday, January 1st - Garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, January 2nd
- Friday, March 29th - Garbage will be picked up on Thursday, March 28th

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 Department of Public Works

**Waverly City Code
 Section 104.6.08
 Deposit of Ice or Snow
 Upon Public Ways**

It shall be unlawful for any person to deposit ice or snow accumulated from private premises upon any public street, alley, sidewalk, driveway or parking lot in the City of Waverly, Iowa, in such a manner or amount as to cause a traffic or pedestrian hazard or require additional snow removal or clean-up by City of Waverly personnel or require additional snow removal or clean-up by a neighboring property owner.

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