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Dates to Remember:

- January 20th: Martin Luther King Jr Day - Office Closed.
- February 20th: President's Day Office Closed



OFFICE HOURS Monday 8:00AM - 3:30PM Tuesday 8:00AM - 4:30PM Wednesday - CLOSED Thursday 8:00AM - 4:30PM Friday 8:00AM - 4:30 PM We are closed daily from 12:00PM to 1:00PM for lunch

Occasionally the office will be closed due to meter reads, meetings, trainings., and such. Notices will be posted on the window at the office, in the Post Office and at the Fire Station. Electronic notices will be made on the Chatter pages, Town's website, and on REACHALERT

There are times due to meetings/trainings/meter reading/illness/vacations, and the normal course of business, only one person may be working in the office at any given time, and cannot get to the phone immediately. If we do not answer the phone, please leave a message. We WILL return your call as soon as we are free to do so.

Utility Emergency Line: 765-978-1007

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Phone: 765-676-6611 Fax: 765-676-6696

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Town Business

Town Council Meetings: Location: **Advance Fire Station** Time: 7:00 pm

- January 13
- February 10
- March 10
- April 14
- May 12
- June 9
- July 14
- August 11

If you are unable to attend the Town Council Meetings, all meeting minutes can be found online at

www.townofadvance.com

Notices will be made electronically on the Chatters, website and/or REACHALERT, and in the Lebanon Reporter if any changes are made to the meeting schedule; or additional meeting dates are added.

Check Payments:

When you are writing a check to pay your utility bill, please verify all of he information provided is correct, and the check is written in either BLACK or BLUE ink. The amount written in numbers, and the amount written in words must match. If they do not match the bank will take the check for the amount written in words. We have still had quite a few checks recently that were either missing information or were not filled out properly.

Advance Food Distribution:

Drive –thru Food Distribution is open to ALL Boone County residents. It is open the third Tuesday of each month from 4 to 5 PM at the Advance Volunteer Fire Department (106 E Wall) Please be sure to not block streets or intersections. Please follow instructions from the volunteers.

- January 21
- February 18
- April 22

- March 18
- May 20

Local GED Program:

There has been a new GED program started in Advance. It was started and is run by Marshal Brad Thomas, Reserve Deputy Alex Smith, and Retired Principal Jane Taylor. It started in July and has already had several local residents complete their GEDs!!

For information please contact Brad at 317-847-7511.

"How wonderful is it that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world" - Unknown

Clerk-Treasurer's Desk

Assistance:

We understand that everyone needs a hand sometimes. If you are in a situation where you need assistance with your utilities, please do not wait until the last minute to seek that assistance. If you need pointed in the right direction, we do maintain a list of places that typically provide assistance when they are able.

A good place to start is by dialing 211. They can help you look find assistance with food, health care, child care, housing, and

Mark your Calendars!!

We already have our Spring heavy trash pick-up day scheduled. It will be the Saturday, April 26th, 2025.

There will be more details as the event gets closer.

Pet and Golf Cart Tags:

We will let everyone know when the pet tags and golf cart tags come in for 2025.

Upcoming Closings:

January 20 - MLK Jr Day February 20 - President's Day April 18 - Good Friday

Applicants Needed

Due to the passing of one of our council members, there is a vacant seat on the Council that we need to fill. If you are interested in being considered for the position, please contact the Clerks