

Back to School also means new safety improvements for children's safety

Holiday Closing

The city office, maintenance shop & Library will be closed Monday Sept. 3rd for Labor Day.



Flu Shots

Date: Monday, October 22

Time: 10:00-11:00 AM

Cost: \$20

Where: Community Room

The City of Glidden installed 22 school crossing signs, 14 ahead signs, 8 arrow signs, 4 stops and 4 all way signs. These signs are located on Colorado Street and Idaho Street. Something new is the "all way" stop on Colorado and East 7th Street (east entrance to school). The City of Glidden received an Iowa's Traffic Engineering Assistance Program (TEAP) grant earlier in 2012. This grant funded a U.S. Highway 30 Intersections Study for Arizona and Idaho intersections. The City was hoping to receive additional funding for turning lanes on Arizona and Idaho entrances. The study provided the City with six conclusions and recommendations with one of which concluded the need for changed school crossing signs on Idaho and Colorado Streets and the existing "Stop when light is flashing" signs on the east entrance to the school were not MUTCD-compliant, and should be removed. The project cost for the school crossing and stop signs were \$1500+ from the City street funding. The new "All Way" Stop signs will enhance the school children's safety on the east side entrance. Please be aware of the permanent stop signs located on Colorado and East 7th Street intersection. Children's Safety is Number One!



Live Healthy Iowa

For Sale by Sealed Bids

1977 Ford Econoline 250 Van V-8, 15,600 miles, Seats 8, 2 air pack seats, new radial tires. Bids due October 17, 2012 at 4:00pm Glidden City Office. Can be viewed by calling 712.659.3010. All bids subject to rejection.

Take steps to a healthier you. Join the next step challenge for six-weeks. The challenge starts September 10 through October 19. Register at the Glidden City Office by September 7th. The cost is \$10 per participant. Each participant receives a Live Healthy Iowa pedometer and other healthy incentives. Limited space available for each team so hurry in today and get registered for the six week challenge!



Grants Awarded

- Awarded a Warren H. Timmerman Charitable Trust grant for Fire Department for a Fire NFDA light package for the 4x4 truck awarded \$6885 .
- Awarded a Warren H. Timmerman Charitable Trust grant for Aquatic Center safety equipment (Defibrillator/CRS system and Federal mandated ADA Aquatic Lift) awarded \$4917, city match will be \$4916
- Awarded an Iowa Department of Transportation All Town Sign Replacement Program grant for regulatory signs (stop, yield) up to \$5000.

Grants in Progress

- Application filed and under review with Iowa Department of Transportation Iowa State Recreational Trails Program grant for concrete resurfacing of the existing Northland Park Trail (.8 miles) for \$200,000.
- Application filed and under review with FEMA for a new Pumper Fire Truck at \$300,000.
- Application filed and under review with DNR USFS Federal Financial Assistance grant for Volunteer Fire truck equipment at \$9000.
- Application filed and under review with Iowa Living Roadways Projects Program for Highway 30 and Lincoln Highway Heritage By-Ways (Idaho Street) at \$915, City match of \$3288.
- Application filed and under review with Iowa DNR Resource Enhancement and Protection (REAP) City Parks and Open Spaces Grant Program for concrete resurfacing of the existing Northland Park Trail (.8 miles) for \$75,000, with City match.
- Processing application for Safe Routes to School grant for safe sidewalk infrastructure to the school.

Social Activity

Social activity is held on every Monday and Tuesday afternoons from 1:00-4:00PM in the Community Meeting Room. Community members may participate in cards and board games such as Skip-Bo, UNO, Scrabble and Yahtzee. You can also enjoy a cup of coffee and popcorn! Come join the fun!



Park & Rec

The city of Glidden is looking for an individual who would be willing to be on the Park & Rec Board. Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of the month. If interested please contact the City of Glidden 659-3010.

