

CITY OF UNDERWOOD

July 2024 Newsletter

Hometown Pride Mural

Friends of Underwood project - Hometown Pride Mural is complete. Artist, Cait Irwin, completed the mural on the west exterior wall of the Fire Station last week just before the 4th of July. Thanks to everyone involved for coordinating this project and seeing it to completion! Special thanks to Friends of Underwood!



3rd Annual Photography Contest - Sponsored by JDW Midwest

Don't forget! Take part in this contest for a chance to win 1st prize in your age category! Submit by August 26, 2024.

Make sure you bring your creativity, complete the release form and ensure electronic 300 dpi electronic file provided.

Forms located at underwoodia.com Photography Contest tab.

See flyer on next page for who is eligible to participate.

Monday
Markets,
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Friends of Underwood

UNDERWOOD'S MONDAY MARKET

UMBA HALL PAVILION
300 2nd Ave, Underwood
6 pm - 7:30 pm

JUL 15: CANVAS PAINTING
JUL 22: SUNDAE'S ON A MONDAY
JUL 29: CHRISTMAS IN JULY COOKIE CONTEST
AUG 5: EAGLE FEST
AUG 12: CAR SHOW
AUG 19: PIE CONTEST
AUG 26: BACK TO SCHOOL BINGO
SEPT 9: PATRIOT NIGHT
SEPT 16: CHILI & SOUP COOK OFF
OCT 14: HARVEST MARKET




3RD ANNUAL - 2024 PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Take part in this contest for a chance to win 1st prize in your age category!

This contest is open to all citizens who have an Underwood address or go to school at Underwood Community Schools.

There are 3 age categories:
6-12 and 13-18 and 19+



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Please go to the city website at underwoodia.com and click on INFORMATION photography page for all details on the contest or keep reading.

Updates

Highway Ave Road Reconstruction Project

Council authorized bid letting for the Highway Avenue Road Reconstruction Project at the July 10, 2024, council meeting. The road will be lowered a little in some areas to get water out of the driveways.

There will be 3 phases for staging. There will be single slope all the way and stay close to the current grade.

One tube will be removed and others in ditch will stay. Fly ash was added to the project for water saturation conditions.

Wastewater Treatment Plant Update

The engineers are finalizing the designs and specifications for the upgrade of the 3-cell aerated lagoon that serves as the current sewer system for Underwood.

Once the plans are submitted by the Engineer to Iowa Department of Natural Resources (IA DNR), the city will await IA DNR approval and issuance of the construction permit.

Please remember that
GRASS CLIPPINGS DO NOT
belong in the street.

FYI - Ordinance passed
2022 - Sewer rates increase
July 1, 2024 for Residential
to \$17.00 per 1,000 gallons
of water used. Commercial
rates increase as well.

CITY COUNCIL

Mayor - Dennis Bardsley

Mayor Pro Tem - Jim Pingel

Council Member - JW Tiarks

Council Member - Josh Madsen

Council Member - Jodi Bose

Council Member - Kelle Erwin

Regular Council meetings held the
second Tuesdays of the month at 6 p.m.
unless otherwise posted.

Council Meetings

August 13, 2024

September 17, 2024*

*rescheduled at council meeting on July 10

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