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Cedar River Park Ball Diamonds – Phase 2

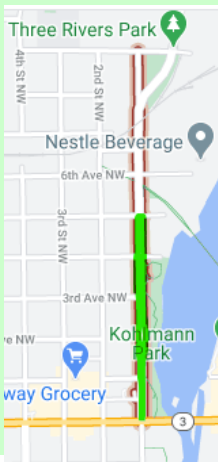
Phase 2 of the Cedar River Park Ball Diamonds project includes field improvements, fencing, final grading and permanent seeding, along with installation of a well and irrigation system. It also includes the construction of building foundations, walkways and parking lots.

Construction is slated to begin in April 2021 and should be completed by September 2021. Watch for construction progress updates at waverlyia.com/leisure-services or [facebook.com/CityofWaverlyIA](https://www.facebook.com/CityofWaverlyIA).

Phase 3 of the project could begin in late 2021 and is set to include the construction of facility buildings and an inclusive playground.



1st Street NW Reconstruction

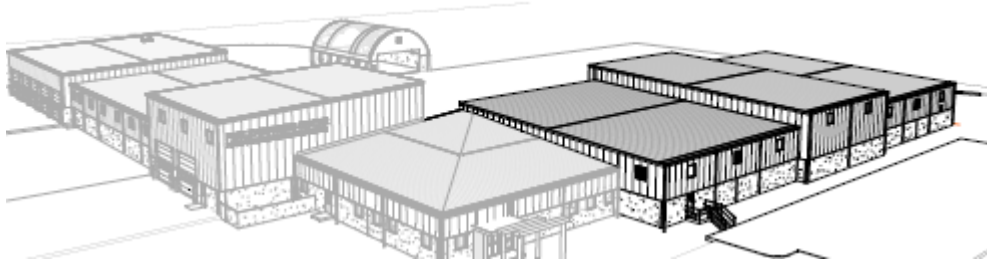


First Street NW will be reconstructed from the south side of 5th Avenue NW to the north side of Bremer Avenue. The project involves replacing the existing multi-layered asphalt pavement with concrete pavement. The reconstruction project is similar to work completed on 10th Street SW in 2020.

The project will take about 12 weeks to complete within the construction window from early May to mid-September. The roadway will be closed but Kohlmann Park will remain open with pedestrian access at Bremer Avenue and 5th Avenue NW.



Public Services Center – North Addition

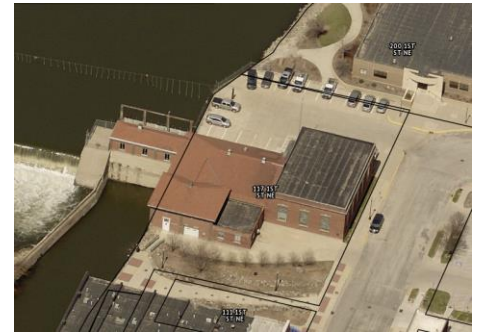


Construction of the 21,230 square foot addition to the north of the Public Services Administration area at the Public Services Center for Operations & Disaster Response is scheduled to begin in April. The addition will house the Street Division vehicles and equipment which currently occupy building space intended for the Water and Sewer Line Maintenance Divisions.

This project will allow the Water and Sewer Line Maintenance Divisions to consolidate operations and vacate their current locations in the 106-year-old building next to City Hall (as pictured at right) and the equipment storage building at the Wastewater Treatment Facility.

The existing 3,456 square foot Sewer Line Maintenance storage building located on 8th Street SE will be demolished in 2021 to make space for the new wastewater treatment oxidation ditch. The building currently houses the sewer jet truck, portable sewer pumps and other supplies.

Construction of the addition should be complete by the end of the year.



Water, Sewer and Solid Waste Rate Increases

Starting in June 2021 the City of Waverly will implement 0% water and 10% sewer rate increases. The higher sewer rate increase is necessary to cover the cost of the \$11 million Water Pollution Control Facility project that will begin construction in April 2021.

The monthly residential and commercial garbage charges are increasing about 2.5% in July 2021. Rental of the residential recycling containers will be increased 10¢ per month starting in July 2021. These increases help cover solid waste expenses.

Example of Rate Increases for July 2021		
Utility Service	Typical Residential Customer Usage	Monthly Increase
Water	600 cu. ft. (4,500 gal.)	\$ -
Sewer	600 cu. ft. (4,500 gal.)	\$ 3.54
Garbage	35 gal. wkly. container	\$ 0.45
Recycling	35 or 65 gal. container	\$ 0.10
Total Monthly Increase		\$ 4.09

Yard Waste Site

Waverly's Yard Waste Site will open for the 2021 season on March 29th, weather and site conditions permitting. The yard waste processing facility is located north of the Recycling Center at 2800 5th Avenue NW. Leaves, grass clippings, garden waste, and kitchen scraps (no dairy or meat products) are processed into compost. Trees, branches and woody material are shredded into wood mulch.

There is no cost to drop off yard waste, and the finished products of compost and mulch are free to Waverly residents.

The City will have equipment available to load wood mulch onto pickup trucks or trailers from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. on Fridays.

Compost will not be loaded by the City and must be hand shoveled. See Page 4 for information on having wood mulch and/or compost delivered to your property.

Yard Waste Site & Recycling Center Schedule for 2021

	Open (excluding Holidays)	Days & Hours	
Yard Waste Site	March 29 th – November 20 th	Mon. – Fri.	7:00 am – 5:30 pm
		Saturday	8:00 am – 4:00 pm
Recycling Center	All Year	Mon. – Fri.	7:00 am – 5:30 pm
		Saturday	8:00 am – 4:00 pm

Special Collection Week - Bulky Items & Yard Waste

SPECIAL COLLECTION SCHEDULE

The City of Waverly has scheduled Special Collection Week for the removal of large, bulky items the week of April 26–April 30. Also, free yard waste collection will be for two weeks from April 26 – May 7. (The normal \$25 Special Collection fee is waived during these 2 weeks.) See details below. For questions, call 319-352-9065 or 352-6247.

Special Collection Schedule				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
April 26	April 27	April 28	April 29	April 30
Bulky Items & Yard Waste	Bulky Items & Yard Waste	Bulky Items & Yard Waste	Bulky Items & Yard Waste	Bulky Items & Yard Waste
May 3	May 4	May 5	May 6	May 7
Yard Waste	Yard Waste	Yard Waste	Yard Waste	Yard Waste

DETAIL INFORMATION ON SPECIAL COLLECTION WEEKS

- Bulky items** will be picked up from your curb at the regular landfill charge rate during the week of **April 26 – April 30**. Residents who want to take advantage of this program will need to pay prior to April 26th at the Public Works office in City Hall (200 1st Street NE) or at Public Services (2900 5th Avenue NW) for each bulky item to be picked up. Only items that are paid for in advance will be picked up. Below is a sample list of bulky items and fees:



Appliances (refrigerator, stove, etc.).....	\$ 15.00 each
TV & Computer Monitor.....	\$ 12.00 - 22.00 each*
Furniture, Computer, Printer.....	\$ 5.00 each
Gas Grill, Lawn Mower, Bike, etc.....	\$ 3.00 each
Tires (no rims).....	\$ 5.00 - 30.00 each*
Carpeting.....	\$ 15.00 per cu. yd. (or approx. 300 sq. ft.)

*Fee is based on size.

- Yard waste** (leaves, grass clippings, and garden waste) is to be placed in biodegradable bags. Bags must be factory labeled as biodegradable or yard waste bags. The biodegradable bags of yard waste will be collected during the 2 weeks of **April 26 through May 7**. Please have your bags placed at your curb on your garbage day. Biodegradable bags can be purchased at local retail stores. There is no charge for the collection of yard waste during these 2 weeks.
- Brush and sticks** must be tied into bundles that are no larger than 4 feet in length, 1½ feet in diameter and weigh no more than 50 pounds. Please have your tied bundles placed at your curb on your scheduled garbage day during the 2 weeks of **April 26 through May 7**. There is no charge for brush collection during these 2 weeks.
- Your **City-owned garbage container** is required for garbage that can be collected by the garbage truck on your normal garbage day. Any extra garbage (or overflow) needs a \$2.00 garbage tag per 35-gallon bag and it is to be placed next to your container or if possible, directly on top of your container. Please make sure the garbage tag is visible to the garbage collector.
- No demolition or construction material**, such as sheetrock, shingles or wood, will be picked up under this Special Collection Week program. A dumpster can be rented for removal of this material. Call 352-6247 to rent a dumpster.
- Household hazardous materials** (oil-based paints, pesticides, garden chemicals, fluorescent tubes, etc.) will not be picked up. Please take these items to the Bremer County Hazardous Waste Site located at 2049 200th Street, Waverly. There is no charge to drop off hazardous material, but Bremer County would like you to call 352-4574 before taking your items to this site. Latex paint is not considered hazardous and therefore is not accepted at the Bremer County Hazardous Waste Site. Latex paint must first be dried. The dried paint and paint containers can then be placed in with your regular garbage. The Home Depot in Waterloo accepts the compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFLs).
- Check with your pharmacy on properly **disposing of medicines and prescription drugs**. These should not be flushed down the toilet or placed in your garbage.

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Delivery of Wood Mulch & Compost



This spring the City of Waverly is offering the delivery of **wood mulch and compost** for the prices listed below to homes and businesses within City limits. Additionally, the City can load mulch onto private vehicles from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. on Fridays. The City cannot load compost onto trailers or pickups due to its weight and the potential risk of damaging the customer’s vehicle. Compost must be hand shoveled. Call 352-6247 for more information.



Mulch: \$25 for 3 cubic yards
Compost: \$25 for 2 cubic yards



Mulch: \$30 for 6 cubic yards
Compost: \$30 for 4 cubic yards



Mulch: \$35 for 12 cubic yards
Compost: \$35 for 8 cubic yards

- ❖ One cubic yard of mulch covers an area of approximately 100 square feet at 3 inches thick.
- ❖ Compost has not been screened and may contain sticks and some foreign debris.

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

City offices **CLOSED** Friday, April 2nd.
 Garbage will be picked up Mon., April 5th.

City offices **CLOSED** Monday, May 31st.
 Garbage & curbside recycling will be
 picked up Tues., June 1st.

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	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
MAY	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	30	31	1	2	3	4	5
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
JUN	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	27	28	29	30			

Report a Pothole

From time to time the City street crews canvas all of Waverly filling potholes. We also encourage residents to call and report any bad potholes that are in need of attention.



If you would like to report a significant pothole in your area of town, please call Public Services at 352-6247. They will coordinate the patching of potholes.

www.waverlyia.com

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 Public Services 319-352-6247

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