



The City of Spearfish to offer residents service line protection

We are pleased to announce a new program to further enhance our city services to residents. We have entered into a new agreement with Service Line Warranties of America (SLWA), a HomeServe Company, a leading provider of home repair solutions, to provide optional repair service plans to our resident homeowners.

The service plans offered to City of Spearfish homeowners through SLWA are affordable solutions to protect them from the cost and inconvenience of home repair emergencies, including water service line leaks on their property. As you may know, many of our residents become frustrated when they discover a broken water pipe and then learn that the repair is their responsibility. Homeowners are often unaware these types of repairs are not covered by basic homeowners insurance policies or by us. The City of Spearfish recognized that one way we could address this problem is to offer an optional service program that would protect our homeowners from the cost and inconvenience of this type of repair.

The City of Spearfish and SLWA have worked together to tailor the program to meet the needs of our residents. The marketing, customer service, and repairs using local, licensed, and approved contractors will be managed entirely by SLWA.

What you need to know

- Over the next month, Spearfish residents will receive an introductory mailing to inform them about optional exterior water or sewer service line repair plans available through SLWA. Because we have an agreement with SLWA, the City of Spearfish logo will appear on the mailings, which will clearly state that the program is voluntary and is administered by SLWA, not the City.
- The Exterior Water Service Line Coverage is available for \$6.75 per month and an Exterior Sewer/Septic Line Coverage plan is available for \$7.75 per month. Services are billed, monthly, quarterly or annually directly through SLWA.
- SLWA plan holders have access to a repair hotline that is accessible 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, and repairs are performed by local, licensed, and insured contractors.
- Spearfish homeowners can learn more about these optional plans and SLWA by visiting www.slwofa.com or calling toll-free 1-866-922-9006.
- Founded in 2003, Utility Service Partners, together with its parent company, HomeServe USA, has partnered with over 700 leading cities, municipalities, and utilities to provide repair service plans that offer peace of mind and convenience. The SLWA program maintains an A+ rating with the Better Business Bureau and is recognized as a trusted source of utility line service plans and is also endorsed by the National League of Cities.

Street Parking Information

The Police Department would like to remind residents that no vehicle, trailer or other implement may be left on a city street or alley in excess of a continuous 24-hr period. Allowing vehicles to remain on the streets inhibits such things as street maintenance, cleaning & snow removal. **They can also prevent drivers from seeing children or pets that may suddenly appear on the roadway.** Trailers which are parked in front of a residence for extended periods of time become nuisances & sight obstructions for your neighbors. Any vehicle found to be in violations may be ticketed and/or towed at the owners expense. To report illegal parking on city streets, please call the PD at 605-642-1300.

Unlicensed or inoperable/non-driven vehicles must be stored either inside an enclosed garage or on an appropriate surface completely enclosed by an opaque fence. Please contact the city's property maintenance department at 605-642-1305 to report vehicles illegally parked in a yard.

Snow Information & Advisory Guide

As our first snowfalls approach and in relation the article "Street Parking Information", it is necessary to remove dead storage vehicles, boats, campers, trailers, etc. from the streets now to avoid any issues. Officers will be looking more closely for items being stored on streets and taking action to get them removed. Please do your part in making sure these items are not stored on the streets.

Visit the City's website to view the Snow Information and Advisory Guide. This guide contains information for residents pertaining to when vehicles need to be moved off the streets for snow removal, plowing procedures for the amounts of snow fall, snow removal "Do's and Don'ts" and what constitutes a snow emergency event. It also contains a map outlining and detailing priority 1, 2 & 3 routes.

City of Spearfish Regular Meeting Times

*Council Chambers
2nd Floor City Hall*

- City Council meetings are held the 1st & 3rd Monday at 5:30 pm
- Public Works Committee - Tuesdays at 4:15 pm before next Council meeting
- Legal & Finance Committee - Wednesdays at 4:15 pm before next Council meeting
- Planning Commission - 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 3:00 pm
- Parks, Rec, Forestry Advisory Board - 3rd Thursday at 7:30 am
- Airport Board - Qtrly - Mar, June, Sept, Dec-2nd Thursday at 1:00 pm

*If a meeting falls on a holiday,
it will be held the following day.*

*Visit the website for meeting times,
agendas and minutes.*

Directory

- Mayor Dana Boke** - 642.1354
- City Administrator**
- Mike Harmon** - 642.1354
- Building & Development** - 642.1335
Building Dept, Planning & Zoning,
Engineering & Floodplain
- Campground** (seasonal) - 642.1340
- Finance Office** - 642.1325
Accounts Payable, Cemetery, Garbage
Collection, Utility Billing, Water/Sewer
Maintenance
- Fire Dept** - 642.1313
- Library** - 642.1330
- Parks, Rec & Forestry** - 717.1189
- Police Dept** - 642.1305
Animal Control, Code Enforcement,
Parking
- Public Works** - 642.1333
RUS Info, Street Dept, Snow Removal
- Rec & Aquatics Center** - 722.1430
Building & Park Shelter Rentals, Fitness
Classes, Waterpark

Thanksgiving Holiday Garbage Schedule

Thursday, November 28th

Customers with Thursday garbage pickup will be picked up on Wednesday. The rest of the week will remain the same.

Cold Weather Tip!

Be sure to unhook garden hoses from outside spigots. This will help prevent the pipe from freezing and breaking!

Community Events

For more community events and information, visit spearfishchamber.org or visitspearfish.com

Grace Balloch Memorial Library

625 N 5th St * 642-1330 * cityofpearfish.com/212/library

Story times run through Thanksgiving week.

There will be no story time during the month of December.

Weekly Story Times

Toddler Story Time (ages 1-3) - Tuesdays at 9:30 am

Pre-K Story Time - Tuesdays & Wednesdays at 10:30 am

- * Nov 4 at 2:00 pm - Job Search/Resume Basics. Join us for information on searching for jobs online and basic resume-building strategies.
- * Nov 6 at 3:30 pm - LEGO Club for ages 5-8. Come build with us! No registration required. Held the 1st Wednesday of the month.
- * Nov 13 at 3:30 pm - Tweens Get Crafty (min age of 10) Held the 2nd Wednesday of the month.
- * Nov 18 at 2:00 pm - History Research. Learn about the free resources available online and at the library for researching local history and genealogy.
- * Nov 19 from 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm - Drop-in Craft. Join us in making fun crafts for your Thanksgiving Celebration.
- * Nov 20 at 3:30 pm - LEGO Club for ages 9-12. Come build with us! No registration required. Held the 3rd Wednesday of the month. Snacks provided.
- * Nov 25 from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm - Drop-in Tech Help - Have questions about your laptop? Is your smartphone stumping you? We will have librarians ready to help. Bring your device and your questions.

Matthews Opera House & Arts Center

612 Main Street * 642-7973 * matthewsopera.com

- * Nov 1 - Holiday High Tea Tickets On Sale - All tickets are \$30. The event takes place on Dec 14.
- * Nov 7 - 10 - "Veronica's Room" - Community Theater Thriller - The Matthews Opera presents this nightmarish production directed by Hoodie Smock. Performances are Nov 7 - 9 at 7:30 pm and Nov 10 at 2:00 pm. PARENTAL ADVISORY: Contains adult content. Intended for mature audiences. Tickets are \$15 adults, \$10 subscribers and \$5 BHSU students.
- * Nov 13 from 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm - Bellman Brown Bag Series - Creative Writing Showcase - Join us at the Matthews to hear original writings from BHSU Professor Dr. Huse-Wika and BHSU creative writing students in The Matthews theatre. This event is free and open to the public.
- * Nov 14 at 7:30 pm - The Talbott Brothers - Live americana/folk concert. Forming an alternative blend of folk, rock and blues, The Talbott Brothers creatively combine bold harmonies with storytelling and infectious melodies. \$25 adults, \$10 youth and BHSU students.

Spearfish Rec & Aquatics Center

122 Recreation Lane * 722-1430 * spearfishreccenter.com

- * Nov 1 from 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm - Family Skate Night
 - * Nov 16 - Turkey Trot 5k - Jorgensen Park - Check-in at 8:15 am, race starts at 9:00 am
 - * After School Activities - Be Social, Be Active! Rec Center After School Activities include: Games, Fitness, Art and FUN! Activities are from 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm, Monday-Friday during the school year. Rec Assistants and Fitness Instructors will coordinate and facilitate the activities each day. Free to members and day pass holders.
 - * Reminder! We have a wide variety of evening fitness classes as well as hourly child care available!
- Please contact the Rec & Aquatics Center for more information on any of these events.

Spearfish Senior Center

1306 N 10th Street * 642-2827 * spearfishseniorcenter.weebly.com

- * Nov 2 from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm - Craft Fair - Caramel rolls & coffee will be served. If you'd like to rent a table, contact the office at 605-642-2827.
- * Nov 16 starting at 11:30 am - Annual Fundraising Turkey Dinner. The annual meeting will be held at 11:00 am and dinner will start at 11:30 am. Serving turkey dinner with all the fixings and dessert. This event is open to the public and everyone is welcome!

D.C. Booth Fish Hatchery

423 Hatchery Circle * 642-7730 * dcboothfishhatchery.org

Hatchery Holidays at D.C. Booth Fish Hatchery will be Thurs-Sun, Dec 5-8. Visit the Pond Shop for gift giving ideas then tour the Booth House decorated for the holidays. Musicians will be entertaining throughout the afternoon hours. Holiday treats will be served. More details to come on hours and activities.

Spearfish Area Historical Society

spearfishhistory.org

Nov 5 at 7:30 pm - Wayne Paananen, "History of Spearfish on Film, 1913 till Now". The program will be held at the Spearfish Senior Center at 1306 N 10th Street. The public is invited!

High Plains Western Heritage Center

825 Heritage Drive * 642-9378 * westernheritagecenter.com

- * Nov 11 at 1:00 pm - Veterans Day Event featuring Orion & Stacey Potter. Sponsored by First Interstate Bank. Suggested donation: \$10. Proceeds go to the Spearfish Veterans Monument
- * Nov 17 at 2:00 pm - High Plains Live! Featuring Kim Plender & the Buffalo Grass Band. Tickets: \$10 General Admission/\$15 Reserved
- * Nov 29 - Dec 24 - Christmas Shoppers Village - Includes many area crafters. Open every day, all day during business hours.

Ties and Tiaras!

Daddy/Daughter - Mommy/Son Dance

When: Saturday, November 9 from 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm
Doors open at 6:30 pm; dance starts at 7:00 pm

Where: Tretheway Pavilion, 115 S Canyon St, City Park

Dessert Bar! Milk Bar! Prizes!

Photo Booth! Dancing!



\$25 per couple, \$10 for each additional Princess or Prince (After Nov 5th - tickets \$30/\$15)

Purchase tickets online at spearfishreccenter.com or at the Spearfish Rec Center.

DEA National Take Back Initiative

Saturday, October 26th from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Spearfish Police Department - 225 W Illinois St

Please take the opportunity to clean out old or unwanted medications from your home and bring them to the Police Department for proper disposal.

Be sure to visit www.cityofpearfish.com to view all the new features! You can now subscribe to calendar events, meeting agendas & minutes, career opportunity postings and more!

Sign up for CivicReady! The new emergency alert feature to receive notice for significant and urgent events impacting the City of Spearfish!