



**THINGS  
TO KNOW**

*WELCOME TO HUMBOLDT!*

*We're so glad you've come to live  
here!*

*This brochure is meant to be a quick  
run-through of a few helpful things  
to know about the City of Humboldt  
as you settle in.*

*Feel free to call the City Office at  
332-3435 with questions.  
We'd be happy to help!*

**HANDY PHONE NUMBERS:**

**Law Enforcement Center (Non-  
Emergency): 332-2600**

**People Service After Hours &  
Emergencies: 888-861-1921**

**Co-City Bus: 800-BUS-RIDE**

**Fort Dodge Landfill: 800-582-4379**

**Don't Forget!**

Humboldt's Website is updated  
daily, and has the most up to date  
information about what's going  
on around town.

Set it as your home page and al-  
ways be informed!



**www.  
CityOfHumboldt  
.org**

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RESIDENTS**



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And Still  
Growing!*

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**CITY  
INFORMATION**



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# New Resident Information

- Your **City Water Bill** will be mailed out on the 1st of every month, and will be due on the 15th.
- We have an **automatic payment** option for your water bill that will pull the amount due from your bank account on the 15th of every month. No late bills! Contact us for a form.
- If you have a **pet**, remember to keep it on a leash or fenced while outside, and always pick up animal waste. See Chapter 55 of the City Code for more information.
- If you are thinking of building anything on your property, you will need a **building permit** from the City. Please allow at least a week for processing.
- Please refrain from putting your **garbage** out on the curb more than 24 hours before your pick up time. Be courteous to your neighbors and make sure nothing blows into their yard.
- If you happen to have more items to recycle than you can fit in your bin (like moving boxes?) you can take them to the blue **recycling** trailers in the Hy-Vee parking lot. Or we also have the recycling center at the South end of Taft Street.
- Leaf bags (clear bags) are available at City Hall or either grocery store in town for **yard waste** that is not sticks. Place them on the curb like your trash bags, and they will be picked up on Fridays during the spring and summer.
- The City has a **compost** pile for yard waste North of the Airport. Contact the City for directions. Residents can also pick up compost for their gardens there.
- Springtime brings **Clean Up Days**, where you can put out large items like furniture on the curb for pickup. We also take electronics and appliances with a tag purchased from the City. Contact City Hall for the timing.
- **Brush clean up** is held several times a year for fallen branches. Check the website for timing and rules.
- If you have a **sidewalk** running through your driveway, remember that you can't park over it or you will get a ticket. Parking in your front or side yard is also not permitted.
- In the winter from December 1st to March 31st, **you may not park on the street** between 3am and 7am.
- **Snow** must be shoveled from sidewalks within 24 hours of each snowfall. Be sure not to throw your snow into the streets or alleys.
- If you have any other questions, contact the City Staff or check the City's website.

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