

*Spring 2016*  
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Once again, the City of St Cloud will be allowing non-city residents to purchase a compost permit for 2016. Go to St Cloud City Hall to purchase one, or contact

The Annual Consumer Confidence Water report is available on our website. Go to our website and click on 2015 Drinking Water Report .

## Dates to Remember

May 21: Annual City Clean Up  
List of items to drop off is available on our website.  
May 10-12: Brush Drop Off Dates  
*Details Inside!*

### **City Facebook Page**

Search for "City of St. Augusta" on facebook.com, click "Like," and get occasional City updates in your Facebook newsfeed.

### **City Building Inspector:**

Steve Hagman  
Call 252-6556

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*City of St. Augusta*

## Annual City Clean Up Set for May 21

The annual City Clean Up will occur on Saturday, May 21, from 7 a.m. until 11 a.m. here at the St. Augusta City Hall. We are in need of volunteers from the community to help with the collection. The only requirements are that individuals be 18 years of age or older, and that they be able to assist in lifting, carrying, and handling the containers brought to the collection site. Please call City Hall at 654-0387 if you are able to volunteer to help with this.

Again this year, the charge per load/trailer will be \$8.00. Additional charges apply for appliances, electronics, tires, and the like. The charge for most appliances is \$10.00; cost for tire recycling ranges from \$1.00—30.00. Contact City Hall for a complete listing or to ask for specifics. Please also note, no gas/RV refrigerators can be accepted.

Please note, the City of St. Augusta reserves the right to refuse acceptance of any items.

Hazardous waste items will not be accepted. These include: paints, cleaners, poisons, roofing tar, fuels, automotive chemicals, sealers, garden or pool chemicals, fluorescent bulbs, adhesives, aerosols, solvents, mothballs, batteries, scrap iron, and mercury and must be taken directly to the Stearns County Hazardous Waste Facility in Waite Park.

We also cannot accept: pharmaceutical or medical waste, business waste, explosives. Also, contact Stearns County's public used oil drop sites (listed below) to dispose of used motor oil, antifreeze, used oil filters and the like.

\*\*\*Please call Stearns County Environmental Services for any specific questions about Hazardous Waste items at 1-800-450-0852 or (320) 656-3613\*\*\*

### **Stearns County Public Used Oil Drop Sites**

The following sites accept used oil filters and antifreeze.

- Belgrade: Highway 71 South at Rooney Oil
- Cold Spring: 304 2nd Avenue NE across from River Power Equipment
- East St. Cloud: 625 SE Lincoln Avenue at First Fuel Bank
- Holdingford: 120 Washington Street at Opatz Metals
- Kimball: 100 Maus Drive at AM Maus and Sons
- Melrose: 1220 East Main Street at Toenyan Oil

## From the Mayor's Desk: *Bob Kroll*

The City is considering doing a major street project this year and will be discussing at the upcoming City Council Meeting. Street sweeping has been done; dust coating is planned for the gravel roads, tree and ditch trimming are on-going and Gor-Ann and Starlight Additions will be seal coated and if funds remain, the first phase of Starlight will be seal coated as well.

The City is still in the process of putting up new street signs where needed. We hope to switch out a few each year until all are new. If you see signs that need replaced, please contact City Hall. Also, please contact City Hall if you notice large pot holes that need to be fixed.

So far in 2016, six new single family home have been issued and a few others pending.

Adopt a road clean-up is available on many roads in St. Augusta, please contact City Hall if you are interested.

### St. Augusta Fire Department

Fire Hall: 23415 43rd Ave.

Phone 258-0240 Fax 258-0239

For more information, check out the website:

[staugustafd.org](http://staugustafd.org)

*Always dial 911 in an emergency situation!*

## Brush Drop-Off Dates Set for May 11-12, 2016

The city will again be offering free brush drop off here at City Hall. The event will occur Tuesday through Thursday, May 10 - 12, from 8 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. each day. Please stop inside City Hall before dropping off your brush.

**PLEASE NOTE: We *cannot accept* leaves or grass clippings. We only take brush and branches. Thank you for your understanding!**

**Noxious Weeds:** The City Council along with Stearns County Highway Department is asking you to help make sure noxious weeds don't become a problem throughout St Augusta. Some to be aware of include: Blue Thistle, Canada Thistle, Plumeless Thistle, Musk Thistle, Perennial Sow Thistle, Purple Loosestrife, Field Bindweed, Poison Ivy, and Hemp. Thank you for your help in controlling these!

### Newsletter Delivery

Would you like to receive this newsletter in the mail or via email. Contact our office at (320) 654-0387 or email: [bmccabe@staugustamn.com](mailto:bmccabe@staugustamn.com) to let us how you would like to receive it.

## Springtime Reminders

It is illegal to operate All-Terrain Vehicles (4-wheelers, dirt bikes, go carts, and the like) on **ALL** city streets and roads.

Also, please be courteous to your neighbors when it comes to late-night/after hours noise. Late evening hours as well as overnight should be considered quiet hours. Please keep your pets quiet during these times as well. Thank you for being considerate to those around you!

## City Officials

Mayor Bob Kroll , 22731 43rd Ave., (320) 259-8610, [bjkroll@midconetwork.com](mailto:bjkroll@midconetwork.com)

### City Council

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## Election Year Information

2016 is another election year. The Primary Election will be held on August 9 and the General Election will be held on November 8 at City Hall.

Elections will be for a mayor (two year term) and two city council members (four year terms)

Any eligible candidate may run for any one of the aforementioned offices by filing an 'Affidavit of Candidacy' with the Clerk-Administrator, William R. McCabe, at the St. Augusta City Hall, 1914 250th Street, along with a \$2.00 filing fee.

The period for filing Affidavits of Candidacy begins on August 2, 2016 and ends on August 16, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. Affidavits of Candidacy will not be accepted prior to or after the aforementioned filing period. 'Affidavit of Candidacy' forms are available at St. Augusta City Hall upon request.

If you are interested in being an **Election Judge**, please contact City Administrator Bill McCabe at City Hall (654-0387).

Watch the website for more information.