



Neighbors



FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

October is Fire Prevention Month. Residents are encouraged to look for fire hazards in their homes and remove them. It is also a good time to discuss what to do in case of a fire. Your local Fire Department could assist you with an escape plan if help is needed.

With Halloween approaching, children will be out and about playing outside and trick or treating. Please drive slow and be careful in the development

You are allowed to put up Halloween/Fall decorations. Please do not create trip hazards and we do ask that they are taken down directly after the holiday season is over.



We hope that you all have a great Halloween!

The office will be closed on Monday, October 14th, 2024 to observe Columbus Day.



Stay Safe and Stay Healthy!

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Office Hours:
 Monday & Tuesday
 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
 CLOSED WEDNESDAY
 Thursday & Friday
 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

EMERGENCY NUMBER:
 (217) 827-2100

EMERGENCIES INCLUDE:

- ◆ Gas leaks
- ◆ Broken water pipes
- ◆ Exposed electrical wires
- ◆ No heat (if the outside temperature is 45-degrees or lower)
- ◆ Sewer line stoppage (not drain line)- this includes a clogged toilet
- ◆ CO/Smoke detector beeping or chirping

Also fire, flood, or anything that threatens life, safety or property damage.

HQS INSPECTIONS FOR OCTOBER

Horizon Lane

**INSPECTIONS MAY TAKE PLACE ON ANY DAY OF THE MONTH
BETWEEN THE HOURS OF**

8:00 A.M.- 4:30 P.M., MONDAY-FRIDAY

*Q&A (Quality Assurance) inspections may take place on work orders and inspections anywhere from 3-5 days after the inspection/work order happened.

October is
Fire Prevention Month

- Never Leave Burning Candles, Burners, or Grills Unattended
- Teach Children About Fire Safety & Common Causes of Home Fires
- Replace Batteries & Test Smoke/CO2 Alarms
- Inspect Fire Extinguishers
- Review Fire Safety Escape Plan

Practice fire safety all year!



Halloween safety tips for pedestrians



Decorate costumes and bags with reflective tape or stickers



Make sure your child's costume is the right size - to prevent falls and trips



Make sure drivers see you first, establish eye contact/wave before crossing the street



Watch for cars turning or pulling out of driveways and don't cross between parked cars



Accompany children younger than 12 and if your older children are going alone make sure you review the route



Eliminate distractions, keep your head up, and be alert



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Call 217-839-4132 to reserve your seat

