

City of Willard



COVID 19, aka CORONA VIRUS: DEPARTMENT RESPONSE

Updated: 3/24/2020

EMERGENCIES DIAL 911

419.668.1652 Huron County Health Department

833.427.5634 Covid-19 Hotline from State of Ohio

In general, there will be no public access to any municipal building. If entry or a meeting is required, please call that department for information. Public gatherings in the near future are cancelled and will be postponed or rescheduled when possible.

When dealing with our employees, please practice social distancing of at least 6' whenever possible.

FINANCE (419.933.2581)

The drive through and night deposit box (inside the vestibule to the left) will remain open to pay your bills and taxes, turn in forms and permits, and purchase water tokens (drive through only).

There will be no access to the Tax window inside our building until further notice.

We will NOT be shutting off water for nonpayment in March.

Reminder: payments can be made online through our website.

Stay tuned for information regarding the tax deadline.

Forms will be placed in the vestibule at the main entrance. Many forms can be obtained online on the City's website (<http://www.willardohio.us/forms.html>).

PUBLIC WORKS (419.935.6555)

Building Permits may be faxed, emailed (code@willardohio.us), or mailed into us. Contractors should call us for the handling of inspections at least 48 hours in advance when possible. The inspection process is changed until further notice. Contact us for the current arrangements.

Rental Property owners will be afforded additional time to register rental properties.

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WATER TREATMENT (419.933.4001) & WASTEWATER TREATMENT (419.935.7515)

Septic haulers will still be permitted access for offloading at the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

All Water & Wastewater Department laboratory analysis services will continue with prior arrangements. Please call in advance for information on how these will be handled.

Bulk water sales and recycling will continue without interruption. All business associated with these City programs will be conducted via the drive thru window at City Hall.

FIRE AND RESCUE: 419.935.8297 NON-EMERGENCY

We have postponed: all student clinicals, fire prevention programs, hands-on training, and inspections unless there is an immediate life safety risk.

POLICE 419.933.2561 NON-EMERGENCY

Officers will handle complaints over the phone or outside of a residence when possible. They will go inside only when necessary.

Business conducted at the police department will be done via the intercom located at the west entrance door.

We will no longer be issuing permits for large gatherings, golf carts or solicitors.

PARK AND RECREATION (419.935.1654)

We are not accepting Depot reservations until further notice.

The Willard City Parks are open for your enjoyment and relaxation during the COVID-19 pandemic. However, the restrooms and drinking fountains will not be in operation at this time. While the parks are open, it is advised that guests maintain a safe social distancing of six feet away from other people.

Youth sports teams SHOULD NOT practice as a group during this time. Parents/guardians should closely monitor all children in the parks and use hand sanitizer and sanitary wipes when using playground equipment.

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PARK AND RECREATION CONTINUED

By Order of State Health Department, all playground equipment is closed; however, the parks are still open for walking and other activities as long as 6ft social distancing is still practiced.

MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

New water meters and radios will not be replaced unless there is an emergency.