

WY RISK IT?



As we included in the July utility bill insert, and by sending a letter directly to homes and businesses in October, the City of Rawlins was required to submit an inventory of service line types to the EPA.

If you have not taken the survey, the City is now required to send you a letter about the health effects of lead and steps to reduce exposure.

Currently less than 1% of the known lines are lead! Want to check if your service line is lead? Check for yourself with a quick 5 minute survey at www.wyriskit.com or get a paper copy at City Hall.

The City of Rawlins performs annual tests and has never exceeded the allowable amounts of lead in our water. For more information on the City of Rawlins water quality, review our annual Consumer Water Quality Report at City Hall or at www.rawlinswy.gov/watertreatment. Please call 307-328-4500 ext. 1022 with questions.

Want to help guide our community? Join a City Board or Commission!

Terms on the following boards and commissions opening now through January 2025:

- Board of Adjustments
- DDA/Main Street Board
- Fire Civil Service Commission
- Parks & Rec Advisory Committee
Adult and Youth Positions
- Planning & Zoning Commission
- Police Civil Service Commission
- Rochelle Ranch Golf Advisory
- Urban Systems

View details and apply at www.rawlinswy.gov/boards or stop by City Hall. Please call 307-328-4500 ext. 1022 with any questions.



Light Up This Season!

THE CITY IS COMPILING A MAP AND PHOTO ALBUM (WEB AND FACEBOOK) FOR HOMES AND BUSINESSES TO SHARE THEIR OUTDOOR HOLIDAY DISPLAYS.

SUBMISSIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MON, DEC 2ND TO BE PUBLISHED ON MAP ON THUR, DEC 5.

Visit www.rawlinswy.gov/holidaymap to submit address with OR without a photo.

Please call 307-328-4500 ext. 1022 with questions or for help.



BLUE PLAID FRIDAY NOV. 29 & SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY NOV. 30



Small businesses are the backbone of any community.

Small businesses donate to local organizations, create local jobs, and make products available here.

Tax dollars also stay local to support schools, parks, roads, safety, and more!

DID YOU KNOW?

FOR EVERY \$1 = 67¢ SPENT AT SMALL BUSINESSES STAYS IN THE COMMUNITY*



Which means when you #ShopSmall, it can make a big impact. That's why American Express is proud to back the Shop Small Movement.

Learn more at ShopSmall.com.

*Estimate from data on businesses with under 100 employees, as reported in Amex-commissioned 2018 Small Business Economic Impact Study. amex.co/another-reason-shop-small.



Gift with Purpose

Spend \$10+ to get free gift that shows your love for our small businesses!†

Chance to Win!

We will be giving away \$300 in Main Street Money to 9 lucky shoppers!

SPONSORS:



This Holiday Season

WIN \$1000.00 IN MAIN STREET MONEY

Shop downtown businesses **each week - Nov. 29th to Dec. 19th**

Receipts must be exchanged for tickets by Thursday at 5pm following the week purchases were made. Tickets are only good for one week.

Drawing Schedule:

Shop Friday, Nov. 29th to Thursday, Dec. 5th to be eligible to win **\$150 in Main Street Money** - drawing at 4pm on Friday, Dec. 6th

Shop Friday, Dec. 6th to Thursday, Dec. 12th to be eligible to win **\$300 in Main Street Money** - drawing at 4pm on Friday, Dec. 13th

Shop Friday, Dec. 13th to Thursday, Dec. 19th to be eligible to win **\$550 in Main Street Money** - drawing at 4pm on Friday, Dec. 20th

Each receipt will be worth 1 ticket for the drawings.

Receive double tickets for shopping on Blue Plaid Friday (Black Friday), Nov. 29th, Saturdays, and Sundays.

Drawings will take place at 4:00pm on each Friday, at RNB State Bank, 220 5th Street. Need not be present to win. Winners will be notified by phone and winnings can be picked up at RNB State Bank during normal business hours.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

»» downtownrawlins.org

ROLLER SKATING

FRIDAYS - 6:30PM - 8:30PM
SUNDAYS - 3:00PM - 5:00PM

REC CENTER - 1616 HARSHMAN ST.

PRICES YOUTH SKATERS - \$7
ADULT SKATERS - \$10

Party Times Available!

Weekends

Beginning Nov. 2nd

Saturdays - 7am-3pm

Sundays - 11am - 3pm

Thank you for your patience Rawlins!!
We will finally have the staff to be open
for the weekends!

RAWLINS
REC
CENTER
1616 Harshman St.
307-324-7529



Come join our casual league for exercise that's fun too!



Call Rec Center for Details

307-324-7529



RAWLINS
SHOOTING
COMPLEX

THE INDOOR RANGE OPENS NOV. 1ST

8 firing lanes

Automated Retrieval System

Individual Target Control

Indoor Hours

MON - TUE - ARCHERY ONLY

WED - FRI - 4PM - 8PM

SATURDAY - 8AM - 3PM

SUNDAY - 11AM - 5PM

Snow is here!

What is the city's plan for snow?

- Find the City's full snow removal plan, including map, at www.rawlinswy.gov/snow, or by visiting Public Works at 915 3rd Street or City Hall at 521 W. Cedar.
- Our first goal is to have priorities one and two plowed and deiced and/or sanded as soon as possible. This is influenced by the severity of the storm. Our second goal is to have all remaining priority streets plowed within three working days.
- The snow removal plan was designed so very few residents have to go more than a few blocks to get to a plowed street.
- There are approximately 85 miles of streets in Rawlins. Average snowfall in Rawlins is about 52 inches per year, which is complicated by strong winds. Because of the high cost of equipment and labor, the City cannot economically justify removal of all snowfall from every street in the City.

What about severe storms?

- Learn more about how the City responds in a severe storm, which is more than 6" of snow in 24 hours or less, by visiting www.rawlinswy.gov/severesnow.
- For situations such as emergencies, injury, and illness, plows are dispatched with the first responders to provide passage to the residential areas where accessibility is a concern.

How can I receive alerts for weather advisories or emergencies?

- The city may issue various alerts to help notify and protect our residents. Sign up for news via email or text at www.rawlinswy.gov/notifyme for "City of Rawlins News."
- During a snow emergency, all #1 (one) priority routes have a special "No Parking" ban to allow for better snow control. These routes are clearly marked with signs. Parking can resume after it's plowed.
- We may also issue a weather advisory to ask people to limit travel unless necessary/urgent.

Remember:

- We use gravity plows which are designed to ride on the top of snow pack. Snow removal to the pavement causes issues with water valves, manholes and the road generally.
- Sidewalk and driveway openings are the responsibility of the property owner.
- It's illegal to push snow into City streets or other right-of-ways. It is dangerous for you, City workers, and traffic as it creates dangerous driving conditions and humps in the road.
- Be a safe driver! 1) Brake slowly. Allow room between yourself and the next vehicle. 2) In reduced visibility, watch for pedestrians and other vehicles. 3) Be patient. Plan extra travel time. 4) Use snow tires or chains when necessary.
- Check out more tips to be ready for winter at www.rawlinswy.gov/snow
- Give snow removal personnel space to work. Please stay as far away as possible and use alternate routes if available.