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April 2016 NEWSLETTER

ANNUAL DUMPSTER: There will be a large dumpster up at the City garage from May 2-9, for any items too large for weekly pick up. Please do not put any tires, motor oil, batteries, appliances, or yard waste in the dumpster. This is for City residents only! If you need assistance moving large items, call City Hall to make arrangements. Do to the increased costs, the City of Miles will have 1 dumpster in 2016.

WATER MAINS: Water mains will be flushed on May 4 and 5. Due to the possibility that there might be rust in the water, we recommend that you do not wash clothes during this time.

MILES CEMETERY: All decorations must be removed by May 1, for spring clean up.

BICYCLES: TOMRV Bicycle tour will be going through town on June 11 this year.

YARD WASTE PICK UP: Yard waste (organic debris, such as leaves, grass clippings, garden refuse, flowers, etc.) must be separated from your garbage. This can be put in plastic bags (or bundled) that have been purchased from City Hall for \$1 per bag and placed at curbside on Monday and Thursday mornings prior to 8:00, for pick up by the City. **For 1 week, April 25 through May 2, the city will pick up yard waste piled at the curb, no bag needed. Please, no garbage.**

PARK: The restrooms in the park will remain locked. If you are having a function and would like them opened, call City Hall at 682-7618. **Check out all the improvements.**

THE POLICE are strongly encouraging citizens to immediately report all suspicious activity by calling the Preston Police Dept. at 689-6868. All calls are routed to Maquoketa, and someone will respond.

FROM THE MAYOR: Please remember with the warm weather approaching, we must as neighbors remember to keep your pets in your yard or on a leash. If you have problems with pets unattended or running loose, you may call our Police Dept. at 689-6868.

RATE INCREASES ON JULY UTILITIES BILL: The DNR has required the City of Miles comply with new regulations, which will require a new Sewer Lagoon by 2016. This project will necessitate a raise in city utilities.

Remember to check the City of Miles website (milesiowa.org) for upcoming events.