City of Forsyth

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CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

City council meetings are normally held on the 2nd and 4th Monday's of each month. Meetings are held at City Hall, 247 North Ninth, 7:00 PM. The meeting notice and agenda is posted at least 48 hours before the meeting and posted at City Hall, Post Office, Rosebud County Courthouse. All meetings are open to the public.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF CODE CHANGES

There have been significant changes made to the municipal code for the City of Forsyth. These changes will be effective beginning January 1st, 2019. Copies of the changes are available at the following locations: City Hall, Rosebud County Library and on the Forsyth Chamber website (forsythmt.com). The entire code book is available for viewing at City Hall.

WEED NOTICE

DESTRUCTION OR REMOVAL OF WEEDS

In accordance with the City of Forsyth Code 5-4-2 the existence of weeds and offending vegetation constitutes a public nuisance.

Owners of all lots or parcels of land within the city limits, shall cause to be cut, destroyed or removed (not limited to) all dandelions, fan weed, fireweed, thistles, noxious weeds, grass and all other non-ornamental vegetation over twelve inches (12") in height growing on their property (includes alleys and streets).

Failure to comply may cause the city to levy the cost of weed extermination and removal and may bill or otherwise assess such cost as a special tax against the property in the event the landowner fails to satisfactorily remove the weeds within a reasonable time after notice.

The City has adopted a new policy regarding notification of property owners. A weed notice will be posted in the Independent Press for a minimum of two weeks, individual property owners may receive 1 written notice in regards to abating weed issues, there will be no further notice given to property owners. The City may take action to abate the weed situation and the cost of weed extermination and/or removal will be assessed as a special tax against the property in the event the landowner fails to satisfactorily remove the weeds within a reasonable time after notice.