

Have a great school year!

City of Lawton

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Water meter readings are taken around the 20th day of each month.
Invoices for water, sewer, garbage and landfill are sent on the 1st of each month.
These invoices are delinquent if not paid by the 20th of that same month.
A 10% Late Fee will be assessed on all delinquent accounts.

From Gary Brown, Director
Woodbury County Emergency Management 712-876-2212

**WOODBURY
COUNTY
BURN BAN
CURRENTLY
IN EFFECT**

Due to extremely dry conditions, a ban on open burning will be in effect in Woodbury County beginning at 800 a.m. July 28 2012.

Open burning will not be allowed in Woodbury County, according to Gary Brown, Woodbury County Emergency Management Director.

While parts of the county have received some rain the fire danger conditions continue to increase.

The open burning ban in Woodbury County will be in effect until further notice and could very well be in place until late fall or early winter. Sustained rain fall over a long period of time will be required to reduce the fire danger in Woodbury County.

This burn ban does not prohibit the supervised use of outdoor fireplaces, barbecue grills, or the burning of trash in an incinerator or trash burners made of metal, concrete, masonry, or one-inch mesh, with no opening greater than one square inch.

Grass fires are a danger to people, property, and crops. Grass fires place our fire fighters and public safety personal at risk of injury and or death so please help prevent these fires.

Thank You

Please use common sense when watering.
Water during cool or overnight hours.
Timers can be purchased for your garden hoses
at most home-improvement stores.

Water costs money...don't waste it!!

A continuous leak would waste water in the amounts shown below

Diameter of Stream	Gallons Lost Per Quarter	Gallons Lost Per Month	Additional Cost per Month
 1/4"	1,181,500	393,833	\$1,004.27
 3/16"	666,000	222,000	\$566.10
 1/8"	296,000	98,667	\$251.60
 1/16"	74,000	24,667	\$62.90

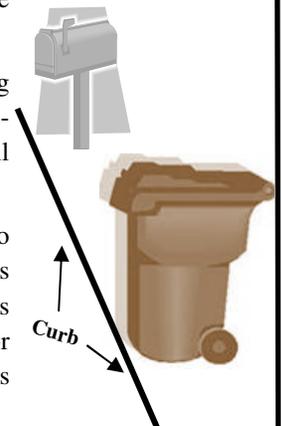
Placement of Garbage And Recycle Carts

We have some mail that is not being delivered immediately due to the placement of garbage carts, recycle carts and vehicles parked on the streets.

If you live on a street where mailboxes are located, please keep your garbage carts and recycle carts BEHIND the curb as shown in the diagram to the right.

Also take care when parking your vehicle on the streets. Allow plenty of room for the mail carrier to get to the mail boxes.

Getting into this habit will also make moving snow easier this winter. It's difficult for the guys to clean streets on garbage or recycle days if vehicles or carts are set onto the streets.



Synonym (noun): A word used in place of the one you can't spell.