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BENNET VISION STATEMENT

Bennet will:

- **Protect and build** on our unique small-town atmosphere through people who respect and care for one another.
- **Support** well-planned growth and a vibrant business community.
- **Seek to enhance** quality of life by improving infrastructure and creating a variety of recreational opportunities while maintaining the natural beauty of our environment.
- **Promote** quality education and multigenerational family values.

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Calendar of Events November 2024



November 5th — Election Day

November 8th — Soup Supper at the Legion Hall, 970 Monroe, 5:00-7:00 PM

November 11th — City Council Meeting @ Bennet Elementary, 50 Dogwood, 7:00 PM

November 13th & 27th — Lied Bookmobile at Bennet Church, 1:30- 4:45 PM

November 20th — Planning Commission Meeting @ LRWD Office, 310 Fir Street, 7:00 PM

November 28th — Thanksgiving (City Office will be Closed)

NOTICE OF ELECTION - CITY OF BENNET GARBAGE SERVICE

The City of Bennet currently provides a garbage transfer site to users at a cost of **\$23.00 per month**. Instead, Uribe Refuse Services Inc proposes to enter into a five-year contract with the City of Bennet to provide weekly residential curbside garbage services for the cost of **\$22.00 per month, plus a \$1.00 increase** to the monthly rate in each year of the contract and the City of Bennet would continue to provide a disposal site for brush and yard waste.

On Election day November 5th please Vote either **FOR** the proposal for weekly curbside garbage service or **AGAINST** the proposal for weekly curbside garbage service (continues the existing garbage transfer site).

REMINDER - This invoice will have the new water rate.

At the August 2024 meeting, the City of Bennet Utility Committee recommended increasing water usage rates from \$5.60 per 1,000 gallons to \$6.60 per 1,000 gallons to offset the water rate increase imposed by Lancaster County Rural Water District No. 1, effective October 1st, 2024. Ordinance No. 2024-8.1 was presented and the first reading approved at this meeting. The basic monthly rate of \$28.50 (or non residents \$34.50) will remain the same.

On September 9th, the City Council voted to waive the 3rd reading and passed Ordinance No. 2024-8.1 making the rate increase effective October 1st, 2024.

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402-890-2902
402-405-2009

Refuse Site: 402-782-6313
Hours for Refuse Site:
Tuesdays & Thursdays
12:00PM to 7:00PM
Saturday 9:00AM to 5:00PM
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