# CITY OF GOOSE LAKE NEWSLETTER

# **APRIL 2025**

# Community News

VISITORS WELCOME – Goose Lake City Council meetings will be held at 7:00 p.m. the third Thursday of each month.

#### **Mayor**

Ken Schoon 577-2477

City Clerk/Billing Clerk

Teresa Lindstrom 577-2300

City Hall

(Leave a message) 577-2300 e-mail:teresa@cityofgooselake.com

**Fire Station** 

911 for Emergency 577-2299

#### **Council Members**

Josh Spain	563-219-6249
Mike Schmidt	563-357-9728
Matt Cain	563-219-5945
Mike Mattis	563-577-2363
Darrin Farrell	563-212-4509

# Sewer Supt.

Seth Ashpole 815-213-1311

#### Water Supt.

Marty Jahn 563-940-0358

<u>Clinton County Crime Stoppers</u> – call 563-242-6595 or toll free at 1-888-883-8015.

## IOWA ONE CALL - 811 or

1-800-292-8989 Call before digging!

#### **NEW Community Room for Rent**

Call City Hall at <u>577-2300</u> to book your date early. Please leave a message on the machine and the City Clerk will return your call. The rental charge is **\$150.00** with a \$100.00 deposit. **Book early for your family get-**



City Website: http://www.gooselakeiowa.org

#### **UTILITY CUSTOMERS REMEMBER:**

You will be charged a \$15.00 fee for paying your bill after the due date on the 20th. If the 20th falls on a Saturday or Sunday you will have until the following Monday. If 20th falls on a Friday the payment is due by 5:00 pm that day.

Any payments received on the 21st or later are subject to the \$15.00 late fee!!

## **REMINDER:**

If you do not receive your utility bill by the 4<sup>th</sup> Or 5<sup>th</sup> of the month, please contact the City Clerk.

## WELCOME NEW CITY CLERK

Please welcome the newest City Clerk, Sarah Beeck. Sarah and her husband live outside of Bryant on their farm. They have 3 children. A son Jack who goes to school at Northeast High School, two daughters who also graduated from the Northeast High School. Sarah enjoys crafting, family time and traveling. Sarah will be training with Teresa until the end of June 2025. Please welcome Sarah as your new City Clerk.

## **SPRING IS HERE**

Spring is here along with the high winds. Please remember not to burn yard waste when there is a burn ban, and not when the wind is blowing. Be considerate of your neighbors and those with medical conditions.

# HAPPY EASTER!!





April 17, 2025

Dear mayor and Council members,

From March 21, 2025 through today the Goose Lake firefighters have been busy with the following activities:

March 22 Assist Charlotte with large grass fire

March 23 Grass fire in Goose Lake

March 29 Assist Low moor with large grass fire

April 1 Assist Camanche with a large grass/timber fire

April 6 Assist Charlotte with grass fire

April 6 EMS call in Goose Lake

April 6 Assist Charlotte with EMS call

April 7 Monthly training meeting

April 7 Assist Mile with structure fire

April 8 Assist Preston with grass fire

April 9 Assist Charlotte with fire

April 11 Assist Charlotte with EMS call

8 firemen responded

13 firemen responded

10 firemen responded

9 firemen responded

9 firemen responded

2 paramedics/2 firemen

1 paramedic/6 firemen

6 firemen attended

7 firemen responded

8 firemen responded

9 firemen responded

1 paramedic, 1 EMT, 2 firemen

Additionally, three members completed their EMS course and one has already passed their required testing and is a registered EMR. The other two are working on scheduling for their testing. The fire department recently received a \$2500 grant from the Lincolnway Foundation. The money will help go toward the money needed to replace one set of gear. One pair of pants and a coat costs \$3600.

Respectfully,

Fire Chief Kevin Cain