**The City Council**: The next City Council meeting will be on **Wednesday, May 11th, 2022 at 6:30pm** at City Hall.

**Gas Budgets**: Gas budgets will begin in June**, if you are not current with your utility bills, you are not eligible for the budget plan**. If you would like to adjust the amount of your gas budget, please call in and talk to Elaine at 507-945-8127, otherwise you will automatically pay the average of amount used in 2019-2021 each month, gas pricing has forced us to increase most budget amounts. This is the only time during 2022 to get on the budget plan, so if it’s something you’ve been wanting to do, don’t miss the deadline. **Deadline to be on the budget plan for 2022 is May 15th, 2022.** This will give me time to setup your account for the budget plan.

**Building Permits**: If you are planning to build or move any buildings into the City of Round Lake, you will need to get a building permit. Permits are required for fences, decks and car ports, also. If you have questions as to whether or not you need a building permit, please call City Hall. Permits need council approval and it’s best to get the applications in early. Current cost of a building permit is $5.00, payable to the City of Round Lake. I can email a blank application to you or mail it, if requested. If you want to be on the agenda, you must notify Clerk Elaine no later than the Monday of the week before the council meeting. Council meets during the 2nd week each month.

**Current Phone Numbers**: It has become a problem with people getting rid of their landlines, some of the contact numbers in my system are no longer working numbers**. If you have changed your phone number, for any reason, PLEASE contact City Hall to update your information**. If there is an emergency and we need to contact you, we **MUST** have your current contact information. Law enforcement suggested we have an emergency contact for everyone, in the event it is needed, as well. Please call City Hall at 507-945-8127 to update this information in your file or stop in and discuss with Clerk Elaine. The City only calls when necessary, we do not release this information to anyone, for any reason.

**Round Lake Legion**: May 1st is the last Sunday for pancakes until the fall! Serving from 8-Noon!!

**There will be a Memorial Day program this year!!!** It will be at the RL American Legion at 10:30am. on Monday, May 30th. The guest speaker this year is, Margaret Burns, a Vietnam era Navy Veteran. The public is welcome to attend.

There will NOT be a pork chop dinner in May! The next RL Legion pork chop dinner will be on June 18th, 2022.

**Mosquito Spraying:** Clarke will be spraying our City again this year. The first scheduled spray date is **June 2nd!** The additional schedule is as follows:

**June 16, 23, 30 - July 14, 28 - August 11, 18 - September 1 & 8.**

Please remember to stay inside while they are spraying and about 15 minutes after. They will be in our town at approximately 9:00pm. Dates may vary slightly due to weather.

**Safety First:** When riding your bike, ride with the traffic. When out for a walk, walk against the traffic, so you can see oncoming traffic. Good tip to remember, wheels with wheels! Follow the rules of the road and be safe!

Remember Mom on **MOTHER’S DAY - SUNDAY, MAY 8TH** & City Hallwill be **CLOSED Monday, May 30th, for Memorial Day.**

**Round Lake Fire Department Open House!!! – Open House will be on Sunday, May 15th, 3:00-5:00pm !!!!** Check your mail for flyer coming soon, it will be mailed out to area residents. Or stop in City Hall to see flyer.

**REMINDER:** Ordinance 69 – Junk Cars, will be enforced according to the details of the ordinance. If you would like more information, stop in City Hall to read full document. Summary of the ordinance is as follows, all vehicles parked on residential property must have current plates and tabs and be in running condition. No vehicles can be used for parts or work performed on them on the City streets or residential property, other than inside a garage. Vehicles must be in garage or enclosure, if not in running condition.