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**WATER-SEWER-ELECTRICAL
EMERGENCY AFTERHOURS:**

402-792-2212

City Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
24 Hour Drop Box

City of Hickman

115 Locust Street
P.O. Box 127

City Newsletter: December 2017

HICKMAN BY THE NUMBERS

CHAMBER of COMMERCE:

Thank you to First State Bank and the dedicated business owners for reviving the Hickman Chamber this year!

Current Chamber Members: 53

Chamber organized and sponsored the 2017 Hickman Hay Days

Hickman was Incorporated in 1885 and established as a City in 1987. Population was 478 in 1910. Population is currently 2,182

NORRIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS:

9.99% of Norris Public Schools property valuation is from within the Hickman City limits.

TRAFFIC & STREETS:

7,300 vehicles travel on 68th St. between Woodland Blvd. to Hickman Rd. each day.

3,300 vehicles travel on Hickman Road between 68th St. and 54th St. each day.

There are 30.7 centerline Miles in Hickman

CONSTRUCTION:

6 New business's opened this year in Hickman

29 Single Family Residential Permits were issued so far in 2017

52% of Hickman's Housing was constructed after 2000

Median Age: 33

Median Household Income: \$73,073

Announcing PAYPORT by Nebraska Interactive

Beginning January 1, 2018, the City of Hickman will implement a new electronic payment and credit card processing system. PAYPORT, via Nebraska.gov, will be available online at the City's website and over the counter at City Hall for all types of payments including Utility Bills, Dog Licenses, Building Permits, Community Center Rental, Solicitor's Permits, Golf Car and ATV/UTV Registration, and Youth and Adult Sport Activity Registrations.

The change to PAYPORT will add security and additional compliance to regulatory obligations of credit card processing for the City of Hickman. PCI-DSS Level 1 Compliance by PAYPORT offers the strongest level of credit card security.

Portal Fees to utilize PAYPORT are paid by the customer at a rate of \$1.75 for electronic checks, 2.49% for credit cards, and \$2.95 for PIN Debit. Alternate payment options (without additional fees) will remain in place and include payment by check or money order by mail or placed in the City's drop box, payment by check or cash at City Hall during regular business hours, or automatic withdraw (ACH) from your checking or savings account on the 20th of the month which ensures no late fees.

SANTA'S COMING TO TOWN!

SANTA WILL BE IN TOWN ON MONDAY,
DECEMBER 11TH FROM 5:00-7:00PM
AT THE HICKMAN AMERICAN LEGION HALL,
106 LOCUST STREET.
COME ENJOY TAKING PICTURES AND HAVING
COOKIES & PUNCH WITH SANTA.



NEWS FROM THE BOOKSHELVES

The Hickman Area Reading Centre, 115 Locust St. is a popular place lately with lots of area residents discovering all the great books and DVDs that can be checked out right here in town.

In December we will be open the evening of Santa's visit to town (see article on left) from 4:30 to 7:30 pm

Beginning Thursday, November 30th all of our wonderful Christmas books and DVDs will be out and on display. You'll be amazed at how many we have!

Mike Trader's Winter Basketball Clinic

The "Bigger Than Me" Winter Break Basketball Skills Camp will be held on December 27th at the Hickman Community Center. The camp is open to girls and boys, 5th-8th grade and is limited to the first 75 applicants.

Additional information and registration can be found at the following link:

<https://bhsproductions.typeform.com/to/d3hzns>
or contact **Brian Reese** phone 402.730.8709
email activities@hickman.ne.gov



Funny Filler

What do you call a mischievous kid who doesn't believe in Santa?
A rebel without a Claus.

What do you call a bunch of chess players bragging about their games in a hotel lobby?

Chess nuts boasting in an open foyer



Happy Holidays!

The Mayor, City Council and employees of the City of Hickman join together to extend a , Holiday Greetings, Merry Christmas, and Best Wishes to the citizens of Hickman and the surrounding area!

City Office Holiday Hours

The City Office will be closed the following days:

Monday, December 25th, 2017 and
Monday, January 1st, 2018



Sewer Backup or Issue?
Call the City first (24hrs/day)
at 402.792.2212