

the OUTLOOK

We're seeking applicants for our boards

Want to give back to your community? We're seeking applicants for two positions on our City boards and commissions — the Parks Advisory Board and a Miami County representative on our Planning Commission.

PLANNING COMMISSION

The Planning Commission reports to the Governing Body with recommendations regarding zoning, rezoning, preliminary and final plats, site plans and conditional-use permits. The Planning Commission consists of nine members who serve three-year terms. The board must include one member from unincorporated Miami County and one member from unincorporated Johnson County. To be eligible for the unincorporated Miami and Johnson counties seats, you must reside within three miles of the corporate limits of Spring Hill.

Regular meetings are 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Spring Hill Civic Center, 401 N. Madison St.

PARKS ADVISORY BOARD

The Parks Advisory Board advises the Governing Body in promoting, aiding, encouraging and constructing parks, including the development of park facilities and programs and the creation of operational policies of the park system. The group also studies, develops, annually updates and administers a written plan for the care, planting, culture, and removal of trees and shrubs on land owned or managed by the City. The Parks Advisory Board consists of five members who serve three-year terms. The majority of the members must be residents of the City of Spring Hill.

Regular meetings are 6 p.m. on the third Monday of the month at the Spring Hill Civic Center, 401 N. Madison St.

Interested applicants must submit this application by Monday, Feb. 18 to City Hall, Attn: City Clerk, 401 N. Madison St., P.O. Box 424, Spring Hill, KS 66083.



Hats off to Public Works! Crews repaired a water main break in the bitter cold, snow and ice early in January. After the repair, crews worked through the night to keep Spring Hill streets clear of ice and snow.

Pet licenses due March 1

Our regulations require that all dogs and cats six months of age or older be licensed. Licenses are due on or before March 1.

A \$5 fee is charged for spayed or neutered dogs and cats before March 1, with a \$10 fee for animals which have not been spayed or neutered. Documentation of spay/neuter must be provided to receive the discount.

Application for animal licensing must be submitted to City Hall, PO Box 424, Spring Hill, KS 66083. Applications can be found at <http://bit.ly/2D0a72K> Documentation must be provided showing your pet's current rabies vaccination with the application.

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Facebook, Twitter and Instagram**



Trash rates to be adjusted this year

Trash rates will be adjusted, beginning with this month's utility bill.

As a part of the City's contract with Waste Management, regular trash rates will increase 33 cents to \$16.77. Senior rates will increase 26 cents to \$12.83.

The City contracts with Waste Management, which includes benefits such

as large item pickup once a month for residents in both Johnson and Miami counties, unlimited recycling with glass recycling available at Price Chopper, 22350 S. Harrison St., and yard waste pickup.

Residents will notice the adjustment on their bills, which will be in mailboxes this month.

contact us

CITY HALL

8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday - Friday
401 N. Madison St. | P.O. Box 424
Spring Hill, KS 66083
Main Phone: (913) 592-3664
Community Development:
(913) 592-3657
Municipal Court: (913) 592-3624
Utility Billing: (913) 592-3626

POLICE DEPARTMENT

418 E. Nichols St.
Spring Hill, KS 66083
Phone: (913) 592-2700

PUBLIC WORKS

8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday
502 E. Nichols St.
Spring Hill, KS 66083
Public Works: (913) 592-3317
After-hours emergencies:
(913) 247-3521

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Police departments hosts training



The Spring Hill Police Department hosted a three-day training class, “The Reid Technique of Interviewing and Interrogation,” in early January at the Civic Center, 401 N. Madison St. Fourteen agencies from Kansas, Missouri and Illinois participated in the class taught by Sergio Parisi from Chicago.

**Walking Program at the Civic Center:
A new program begins this month!
Check out more info at <http://bit.ly/SHWalking>**

FEBRUARY

7

Planning Commission meeting | 7 p.m. | Spring Hill Civic Center

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Valentine's Day | City offices open normal hours, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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City Council meeting | 7 p.m. | Spring Hill Civic Center

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Parks Advisory Board meeting | 6 p.m. | Spring Hill Civic Center

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Spring Hill Municipal Court | 8:30 a.m. | Spring Hill Civic Center

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Coffee with a Cop | 8 a.m. | The Bean Coffee Co., 112 S. Main St.

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Broadband Task Force meeting | 7 p.m. | Spring Hill Civic Center

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Large item trash day: Johnson County | Call (913) 631-3300 at least 48 hours in advance to schedule pickup.

HOW-TO decipher your new utility bill



Payment methods

Online at www.springhillks.gov
 Phone payments 1 (833) 431-1750
 City Hall drop box
 City Hall, 401 N. Madison St.

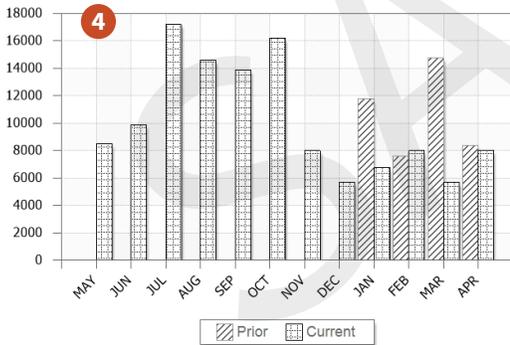
Account Number	AMOUNT DUE
12-3456-78	\$108.62
Due Date	After Due Date Pay
1/8/2019	\$108.62
Account Name	
RESIDENT XYZ	
Service Address	
0000 MAIN ST	
Amount Enclosed	

There will be a \$30 charge on all returned payments.
 Please return this portion with your payment.

CUSTOMER ACCOUNT INFORMATION - RETAIN FOR YOUR RECORDS

Name		Service Address		Account Number		
RESIDENT XYZ		0000 MAIN ST		12-3456-78		
Status	Service Dates 1		# Days	Bill Date 2	Penalty Date 3	Due Date
	From	To				
Active	11/15/2018	12/18/2018	33	12/31/2018	1/16/2019	1/15/2019

PREVIOUS BALANCE	\$108.62
PAYMENTS	(\$108.62)
ADJUSTMENTS	\$0.00
PENALTIES	\$0.00
PAST DUE AMOUNT	\$0.00



CURRENT READING	PREVIOUS READING	USAGE
16,312	16,312	0
127,850	127,045	8,050

WATER CONSUMPTION	0.00
WATER CONSUMPTION	0.00
TRASH	108.62

TAX \$0.00

CURRENT BILL \$108.62

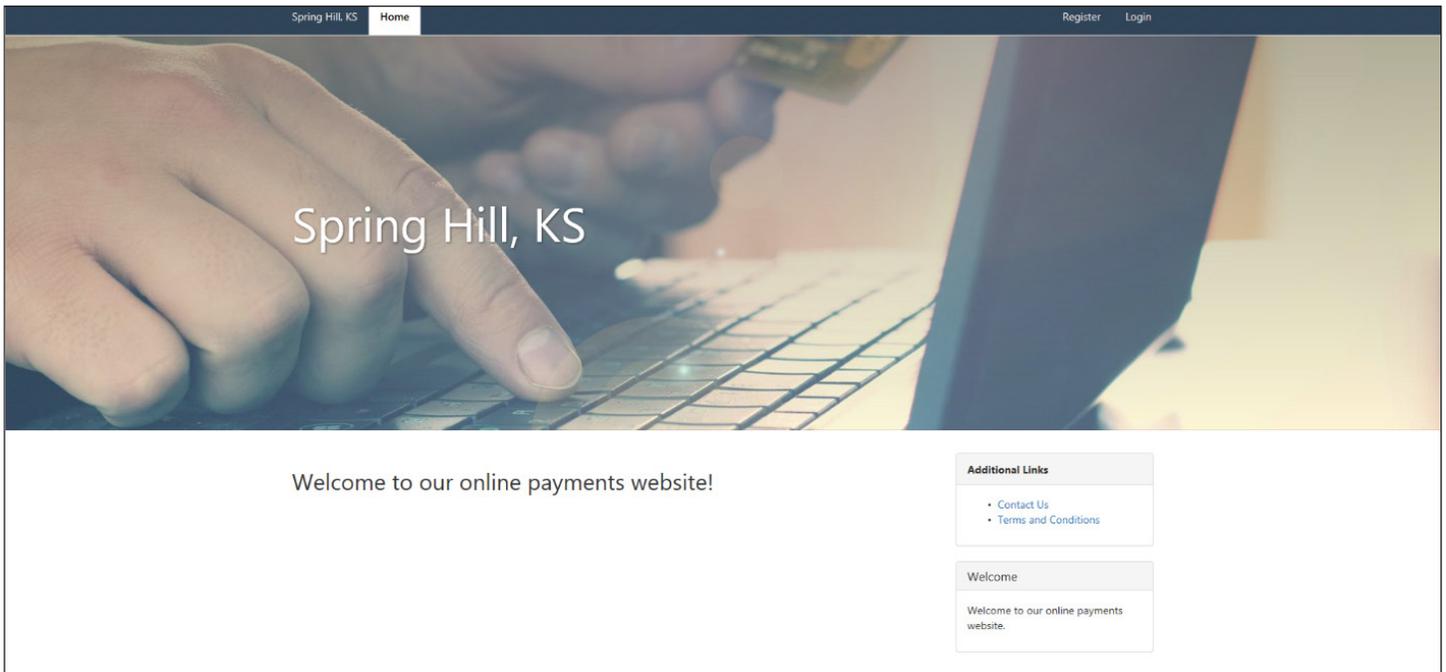
AMOUNT DUE \$108.62

AMOUNT DUE AFTER 1/15/2019 \$108.62

WHAT DOES IT ALL MEAN?

- 1 Service dates** — This indicates the beginning date, ending date and length of the billing cycle
- 2 Bill date** — Date the bill was mailed
- 3 Penalty date** — You have until the 15th of each month to pay your bills. Bills are late on the 16th of each month.
- 4 Graph of your monthly consumption** — How much your consumption changed compared to previous years.
- 5 Payments, adjustments and penalties (NEW!)** — This section shows what you paid in the previous month, any adjustments made or penalties assessed.
- 6 Current bill** — What you are currently charged for your water, sewer or trash.
- 7 Amount due after 1/15/2019** — This is the amount due if you pay your bill late.

HOW-TO pay your new utility bill online



Beginning Feb. 9, you will have to re-establish your web account

- 1.** Go to www.springhillks.gov and click “Payments” on the left side of the screen OR go to www.municipalonlinepayments.com/springhillks
- 2.** Click Register at the top right corner of the page.
- 3.** Enter your email, name, phone number and create a password.
- 4.** Click Create Member.
- 5.** An email will be sent to the address you entered. Find the email and click the link in the email to verify your account.
- 6.** The link will return you to the login page to enter your new credentials.
- 7.** Log in to your account.
- 8.** Once logged in, click the “Add an Account” button.
- 9.** You will need to enter your account number. You can find this number on your utility bill statement.
— Your account number is the same but with dashes. If your account number was 12345678, it is now 12-3456-78.
- 10.** Enter the last payment amount. Find this number in the “Payments” section of your bill statement.
- 11.** After successful completion of steps 9 and 10, you will then be able to manage and pay your utility billing account online.