

# CITY OF SAINT PETER HOT SHEET



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**CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS** – The agenda for the February 26, 2024 regular meeting of the Saint Peter City Council acceptance of a small parcel to be dedicated as City right-of-way along Old Minnesota Avenue; approval of two revolving loan requests totaling \$110,000 for 227 Mulberry LLC (Tremendous Brewing Company); authorization to re-establish the City's accessibility improvement grant program for 2024 with a budget of \$45,000; adoption of the updated Wastewater Treatment Facility Plan; approval of two new business licenses; approval for execution of a 2024 library services contract with Nicollet County; and a closed session as authorized by State Statute to discuss negotiations related to the proposed purchase of land at 1 Scholarship Way.

The next regular City Council meeting will be Monday, March 11, 2024 beginning at 7:00 p.m. Copies of the meeting agendas can be found at <https://www.saintpetermn.gov/AgendaCenter> the Friday before the meetings.

**PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING CHANGE** – The March 7<sup>th</sup> Planning and Zoning Commission meeting has been rescheduled for March 28<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in the Governors' Room of the Community Center. For more information on Planning Commission meetings or to see the agendas for each meeting, please visit the City's website at [www.saintpetermn.gov/AgendaCenter](http://www.saintpetermn.gov/AgendaCenter).

**EXTENDED HOT SHEET HIATUS** – The Hot Sheet is going on an extended hiatus due to an upcoming employee retirement. Subscriptions will remain in place and when publication begins again, those who are currently subscribed will begin to once again receive the weekly publication.

In the meantime, and for up-to-date City information, please remember to check out the City's

website ([saintpetermn.gov](http://saintpetermn.gov)) and Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/CityofSaintPeter](https://www.facebook.com/CityofSaintPeter)).

Thank you for your patience!

**JUNK DISPOSAL** – Questions about where to dispose of old furniture and non-working appliances have started to come in. If you find yourself in the same situation, one option will be the spring curbside appliance/furniture collection the City is currently planning for later this spring.

The curbside collection is organized by the City as a convenient and relatively inexpensive way for residents to dispose of items that can't be thrown in the trash. Contractors are retained to pick up the items at curbside which means property owners just have to get the material to the curb.

Pre-registration and payment are required and more information will be available on the City's website and in an upcoming utility bill in the very near future.

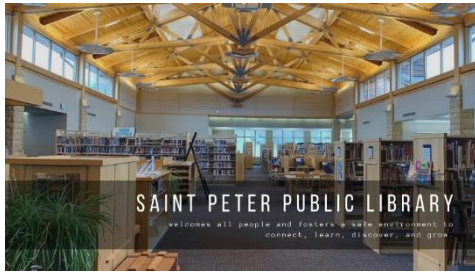
Can't wait for the curbside collection? Other options may be available not only for furniture and appliances, but other junk as well. Check out the Tri-County Solid Waste Office website at <https://www.co.nicollet.mn.us/180/Tri-County-Solid-Waste> for more information.

**SUMMER SEASONAL POSITIONS** – This is the time of year when the City normally begins recruitment for seasonal positions. We're not quite ready for applications yet, as we work out the final details.

If you are interested in a seasonal summer position with the City, keep an eye on the City's website at [www.saintpetermn.gov/365/Employment](http://www.saintpetermn.gov/365/Employment) where all seasonal positions will be advertised when open.

**WHAT'S NEW AT THE LIBRARY?** – If it's been some time since you last visited the St. Peter Public Library, or if you are new to the community and

haven't yet had a chance to check out (get it 😊) the Library, here are some new and some well loved library events and services you may want to investigate:



- Legal Kiosk – The Library is now a host site for a neighborhood legal kiosk that can be used to learn more about your rights, apply for a free lawyer, or find more information about a specific legal problem. Visit the following website for more details about the project... [www.legalkiosks.com/projects/minnesota](http://www.legalkiosks.com/projects/minnesota).
- Virtual Author Events – These events are made possible by the voters of Minnesota through grants provided by the Traverse des Sioux Library Cooperative with funding by the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund. The events are held in coordination with the Library Speakers Bureau and are presented by the Library. Events are archived and can be viewed at <https://libraryc.org/saintpeterlibrary>.
- Library Book Club – The Library Book Club meets on the second Tuesday of every month beginning at 6:00 p.m. near the library fireplace. All are welcome to join this free book club at any time. Books for the following month are chosen at Book Club meetings, but if you missed a meeting or are new to the group, stop by the Library checkout desk to pick up a copy of the book to borrow.
- Silent Book Club – It's like literary happy hour for introverts! Join the Library's Silent Book Club, where participants gather on the second Thursday of each month near the fireplace. Here's how it works...
  - 6:00-6:30 p.m. – Get cozy with your book of choice.
  - 6:30-7:30 p.m. Personal reading time.
  - 7:30-8:00 p.m. – Mingle with fellow book lovers, keep reading, or head home to recharge.

Bring whatever book you're reading! This is a no-pressure book club; it's your own personal reading time, in the quiet company of others who love books. If you'd like to hang out and discuss books afterwards, great! If you'd like to go straight home and not talk to anyone, great! If you need to find a good book, the Library staff have plenty to choose from! Join us on Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. and remember, it's free to participate!

**HELP WANTED** – Looking for a new job? The City is hiring! Applications are available online on the City's website at [www.saintpetermn.gov/365/Employment](http://www.saintpetermn.gov/365/Employment) or paper applications are available from the City Administrator's office at 227 South Front Street. The following positions are now open for application:

- **EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR** - \$28.50-\$31.50/hour! This full-time position serves as direct assistant to the City Administrator while performing complex secretarial and clerical tasks as well as special administrative projects. **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** High School diploma or equivalent, and two years of progressively responsible clerical experience in an administrative office; demonstrated knowledge of office procedures, administrative practices and procedures, filing systems, and record keeping procedures; demonstrated knowledge of grammar, spelling, and punctuation; experience working with the public in a position requiring confidentiality; demonstrated ability to exercise initiative and independent judgment; valid driver's license. Starting wage range \$28.50-31.50. Applicants are required to complete a City application form which is available online at [www.saintpetermn.gov/365/Employment](http://www.saintpetermn.gov/365/Employment) or from the City Administrator's office at 227 South Front Street, Saint Peter, Minnesota 56082 or by calling (507)934-0663. Position is open until filled with the first review of applications on Thursday, February 15, 2024. Faxed and/or late applications will not be accepted. AA/EEO

**CITY MEETING CALENDAR** –\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE...Meeting dates and times may change due to unforeseen circumstances. For up-to-date information on meetings please visit the City's website at [www.saintpetermn.gov](http://www.saintpetermn.gov) or call the City at 507-934-0663.

Wednesday	February 28	12:30 p.m.	Hospital Commission
Monday	March 4	5:30 p.m.	City Council Workshop Session



**PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATING PRIMARY**

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>March 5</b>		
Monday	March 11	3:30 p.m.	Housing and Redevelopment Authority
Monday	March 11	7:00 p.m.	City Council Meeting
Tuesday	March 12	5:30 p.m.	Library Board
Monday	March 18	5:30 p.m.	City Council Workshop
Tuesday	March 19	4:00 p.m.	Parks and Recreation Advisory Board
Friday	March 22	8:00 a.m.	Tourism and Visitors Bureau
Monday	March 25	7:00 p.m.	City Council Meeting
Tuesday	March 26	5:30 p.m.	Heritage Preservation Commission
Wednesday	March 27	12:30 p.m.	Hospital Commission
Thursday	March 28	12:00 noon	Economic Development Authority
Thursday	March 28	5:30 p.m.	Planning and Zoning Commission