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## Welcome to Early!

The City of Early provides services for water, sewer, garbage, and recycling. Find contact information below for services not provided by the City. The following is information you need to make your adjustment to Early easier.

A deposit of \$225.00 (with proof of Social Security) for utility service will be required before service is connected. Water meters are read around the 17<sup>th</sup> of each month. Utility bills are mailed out at the end of each month and are payable by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the following month. Bills not paid by the 10<sup>th</sup> will be considered delinquent, a 10% penalty will be added, and disconnection proceedings are started.

We do have \$\$ convenient payment options:

- 1. Online payments with optional automatic withdrawal from your account (service fees apply when paying by card). (Recommended)
- 2. Drop your payment in the drop box located on the front door of the Municipal Building.
- 3. Mail your payment to the below address.
- 4. Pay in person at the City Clerk Office or Library.

Garbage and Recycling pickup are every Wednesday morning. Rubbish must be placed on the curb by 7:00AM. Recycling must be placed in a recycling bin or tote (not provided by the City). You are allowed up to three 35-gallon bins per week.

MidAmerican Electric provides electricity and gas services to the area. 1-888-427-5632.

The Post Office is located at 114 Main St. Mail is mostly delivered to post office boxes. If you do not already have a mailbox near the street, you will need to go get your box assignment immediately- without a PO box you will not receive your mail.

Other items to Note: The City office is open Monday- Thursday 8am – 12pm and 1-pm-3pm Fridays 8am- 12pm. Please feel free to contact the City Clerk either by phone at 712-273-5283 or email at <u>cityclerk@earlyia.com</u>.

All dogs and cats must be licensed by the City. Bring a copy of a current rabies vaccination certificate, a photo, and the appropriate fee to City Hall to obtain the proper license.

Early allows open burning as defined by ordinance. If you do not wish to burn, we do have a yard waste site located southwest of town on the blacktop. If you have a building project that requires to get rid of concrete, you are to obtain a permit before entering the site.

We welcome you too Early! At any time, you may have concerns or questions, please call City Hall and we will make every attempt to be of assistance.



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