

**If you do not receive a utility bill by the 10<sup>th</sup> of every month, please contact Anna City Hall at 833-8528. Failure to receive your utility bill does not relieve customers of payment obligations.**

Pumpkin Town is back! This year's event will be held at the Anna City Park from October 21st – October 31st. The theme will be "Let's Play A Game". There will be no entry fee, this is an open opportunity for anyone who wishes to participate and create a display in the 20x20 assigned space. For more information contact Carol at 833-9928 or via email [carol@southernmostillinois.com](mailto:carol@southernmostillinois.com)



### **BIG TRASH PICKUP**

The City is offering Big Trash Pickup the week of October 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>. All trash should be set out with your regular trash to guarantee pickup. Items that do not qualify are electronics, tires, wiring, construction debris, hazardous chemicals, etc.

### **COLORFEST 2021**

Join us for Colorfest, 2021 in Downtown Anna on Saturday, October 9<sup>th</sup> from 3-9 p.m. The event will feature live music, a car show, food vendors, beer and wine, arts and crafts, a flower bar, and much more! Everyone is invited to celebrate everything Fall!

### **TRICK OR TREAT**

Trick or Treat will be on Saturday, October 30<sup>th</sup> from 5-7 p.m.

### **CEMETERY INFORMATION**

Ground arrangements may be placed out starting November 1, 2021 and stay down until March 1, 2022. Remember no glass or Shepherd's Hooks and do not block the aisles. If you walk your dog, please clean up. The Cemetery is open from dawn till dusk. For questions, call the Anna City Garage at 833-7813.

### **GAS SURVEY**

Enclosed is the annual Gas survey, please complete and return to city hall as soon as possible. If you have questions, contact the Anna City Garage at 833-7813.

### **HYDRANT FLUSHING**

The City of Anna will be flushing hydrants on October 19, 2021 starting at 7 a.m. This may cause discoloration of your water which should clear up within a couple days. Please be patient. For inquiries contact Anna City Garage at 833-7813.

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

The Fire Department will be testing the emergency sirens on the first Tuesday of each month starting at 10 a.m.

## **OCTOBER 2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- ❖ **Utility Bill Due**  
October 20, 2021 by 4 p.m.
- ❖ **12% Penalty on Utility Bill**  
October 20, 2021 after 4 p.m.  
A Disconnection Notice will be mailed.
- ❖ **Disconnection of Utilities**  
November 2, 2021  
Once services are disconnected, all bills must be paid in full, plus any additional fees, before utilities are reconnected.
- ❖ **City Council Meeting(s)**  
October 5, 2021 at 5 p.m.  
October 19, 2021 at 5 p.m.
- ❖ **Payment Options**
  - Cash, Check or Money Order accepted at City Hall. (No cash payments accepted in the night drop box)
  - Direct Debit, the utility bill would be withdrawn on the due date out of a checking or savings account. (Must be set up prior to billing month)
  - Online, visit [cityofanna.org](http://cityofanna.org) and click on Utility Payments in the upper left-hand corner.
- ❖ **City Hall will be closed**  
October 11, 2021 in Observation of Columbus Day

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Opportunity and Employer.*