

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

### **BIG TRASH PICK UP**

The city is offering BIG TRASH PICKUP the week of April 7 - 9, 2026. All trash must be set out with your regular trash to guarantee pickup. Items that do not qualify are electronics, tires, wiring, construction debris, hazardous chemicals, yard waste etc. If you are unsure whether an item qualifies, contact Anna City Hall at 833-8528.

### **REGULAR TRASH REMINDER**

Do not put any yard waste into your trash or recycle totes this includes grass clippings, leaves, limbs etc.

### **REMINDER**

Anna City Code Section 33-2-19 prohibits the discharge of cut grass, leaves and/or other debris on public streets within the city. Any person who violates this ordinance shall be given a written warning upon the first offense. Subsequent offenses shall be punishable by a fine of up to \$250, as well as clean-up cost and attorney fees when applicable.

### **TALL GRASS/WEED REMINDER**

Anna City Code Section 25-2-2 regulates and provides for the abatement of tall grasses/weeds which constitute public nuisances. If found in violation of this ordinance, you may be subject to fine(s) and/or lien(s) against your property. For further information, please visit [www.cityofanna.org](http://www.cityofanna.org) or stop by City Hall for a copy.

### **CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH**

Each April, the Children's Bureau observes National Child Abuse Prevention Month to raise public awareness of child abuse and neglect, recommit efforts and resources aimed at protecting children and strengthening families, and promote community involvement through activities that support the cause. For more information on events and resources throughout our community, please visit <https://www.preventchildabuseillinois.org/cap-month>

### **CEMETERY INFORMATION**

Cemetery arrangements may be placed on the ground starting May 11, 2026 and left until June 8, 2026. Please remember, no shepherd hooks or glass and do not block the aisles. For questions, call the Anna City Garage at 833-7813.

### **WARM SOLES NEW HOPE CAMPAIGN**

5<sup>th</sup> annual WIBH shoe drive. A \$25 donation buys a pair of shoes & socks for a Southern Illinois child in need. Please make check payable to OPERATION WARM. For more information call Moury Bass at WIBH Radio 618-833-9424 or Shawna Rhine at Southern 7 Head Start at 618-634-2297. Deadline to donate is May 22, 2026.



## **APRIL 2026 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- ❖ **Utility Bill Due**  
April 20, 2026 by 4 p.m.
- ❖ **12% Penalty on Utility Bill**  
April 20, 2026 after 4 p.m.
- ❖ **Disconnection of Utilities**  
May 7, 2026  
Once services are disconnected, all bills must be paid in full, plus any additional fees, before utilities are reconnected.
- ❖ **City Council Meeting(s)**  
April 7, 2026 at 5 p.m.  
April 21, 2026 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 will be withdrawn on the due date out of a checking or savings account. (Must be set up prior to billing month)
  - Online, visit [www.cityofanna.org](http://www.cityofanna.org) and click on Utility Payments in the upper left-hand corner.

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