

Show Low Monthly News



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City readies for June's Project Clean Sweep

The eighth annual **Project Clean Sweep** will kick off in June. Proof of residency in the City of Show Low is required to participate in this free cleanup and beautification program. Components of the program include:

- ✓ *"Cash for Trash."* Earn cash for your large, unwanted items.
- ✓ *Abandoned vehicle collection.* Free towing of your vehicle.
- ✓ *Free excess garbage collection.* Get rid of excess trash.
- ✓ *Free bulky item pick up service.* Free pick up by City employees.
- ✓ *Lone Pine Transfer Station.* Take your discards to Lone Pine Transfer Station.
- ✓ *Green Waste Drop-off.* Drop off green waste at First Knoll.

"Cash for Trash" will be held June 3 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Public Works yard, 1281 East Thornton. (Unlike previous years, the event will be held one day only.) Be prepared to show a current utility statement or a valid driver's license listing your current street address. **Only those items on the Cash for Trash list** (see next page) will be accepted. All others will be turned away.

Automobile tires with rims will be accepted for \$1 per tire, limit eight tires per customer. Automobile tires without rims may be taken to the Lone Pine Transfer Station June 5 through 10. Batteries also will be accepted for \$1 each.

Get rid of your **Abandoned Vehicles**. Residents with inoperable vehicles, with or without a title, will be paid \$50 per vehicle. However, **untitled vehicles** will be assessed a charge of approximately \$50 from the Department of Motor Vehicles. The charge will be applied to the owner's DMV record and DMV will notify the owner. Neither the City of Show Low nor Show Low Auto has

any control over the DMV fees assessed for untitled vehicles. To avoid DMV fees, residents may obtain a replacement title from DMV prior to signing up for the City's program. Contact DMV at 537-2655 regarding fees and replacement title information.

Show Low Auto will provide towing services. Residents wishing to have their inoperable vehicles towed must complete an Abandoned Vehicle form (one per vehicle) and return it by mail or in person to Cari Bilbie, Public Works Yard, 1281 East Thornton, Show Low, AZ 85901 prior to 4 p.m., June 2. The forms are available at DMV or the Public Works yard.

The only part of the form to complete is the back of the yellow copy. Make sure you sign your name and include your contact phone number. Once the forms are received and processed, Show Low Auto will contact each resident to schedule a pick up.

Waste Management will provide **Free Excess Garbage Collection** June 26 through 30. This service is provided quarterly through a contract between the City and Waste Management. Only residents billed for City water and/or sewer services are eligible for this benefit.

Excess trash will be picked up on the resident's normally scheduled day. Remember, trash bags must weigh less than



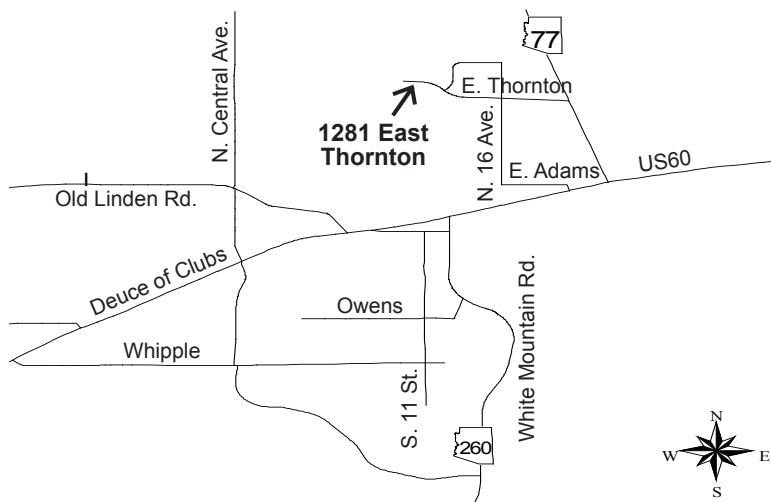
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50 pounds, items cannot be longer than four feet in length (if there is more than one item, they must be bound) and all excess trash must be placed next to the residents' polycarts on their normally scheduled trash collection day.

June 5 through 9, City employees will provide **Free Bulky Item Pick Up** from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for residents who made arrangements. Any large, unwanted appliances, furniture, tires, etc. will be accepted. However, the City will not accept any hazardous materials, including liquid paints, oils, pesticides, herbicides and household cleaning products. Unlike "Cash for Trash," residents will not be paid for these items.

Schedule a pick up by contacting Cari Bilbie at 532-4100 **no later than 4 p.m., June 1**. Otherwise, any item left for collection and disposal by Waste Management will incur a charge of \$50 per item, which will be added to the household's July 2006 utility bill. When leaving a message, include your name, physi-

"Cash for Trash" June 3, 2006, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.



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Calendar of Events

Family Aquatic Center & Recreation: 532-4140
Public Library: 532-4070

- 05/02** 7 p.m., Council Chambers
City Council Regular Meeting
- 05/03** **Start Smart Baseball** begins
- 05/04** 6 p.m., Council Chambers
City Council Study Session (civic center site options)
- 05/04 & 05** 7 p.m., Show Low School District Auditorium
Beauty and the Beast (live theater production)
- 05/08** Registration begins for **Pee Wee T-Ball** and **Summer Play Days**
- 05/09** 7 p.m., Council Chambers
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
- 05/11** 10 a.m., Public Library (public welcome)
Show Low Library Friends meeting
- 05/12** 1–5 p.m., Aquatic Center
Open Swim (no school)
- 05/16** 7 p.m., Council Chambers
City Council Regular Meeting
- 05/18** 3:30–4:30 p.m., Public Library (favorite animal book)
Cool Kids Book Discussion Group (ages 8+)
- 05/18** 7 p.m., Council Chambers
Show Low Historical Society Meeting (“History of Spanish Language & Culture in the White Mountains”)
- 05/19** **Youth Flag Football** registration begins
- 05/20** 2 p.m., City Park, Old Pavillion
“Fried Bread Fix Up” (Family Fun Event)
- 05/22** **Summer Swim Lessons** session 1 registration begins
- 05/23** 7 p.m., Council Chambers
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
- 05/24** 1:30 p.m., Public Library
OneBookAZ Discussion (The Professor’s House)
- 05/27 & 29** **Memorial Day Softball Tournament** (City fields and Woodland Lake fields)
- 05/29** **Tri In The Pines** registration begins
- 05/30** 6 p.m., Council Chambers
Joint Council/Commission Study Session

General election notice

Remember to vote in the May 16 General Election. It is a “vote by mail” election, with ballots mailed to every active registered voter beginning April 24. Cast your vote for one City Council seat. One of the two candidates running in the General Election officially withdrew, so the only candidate’s name shown on the ballot is Virginia M. Evans. State statutes require an election be held even if only one name is on the ballot. Complete the ballot and mail it back in the envelope provided or drop it off at Interim City Hall, 550 North 9th Place, or the Navajo County Recorder’s Office, 100 East Carter Drive, **no later than 7 p.m., May 16, 2006.** If you do not receive a ballot, call the Recorder’s Office at (928) 524-4192 or City Clerk’s office at 532-4061.

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cal address and a contact phone number. All bulky items scheduled for collection must be placed next to the curb in front of the residence the weekend of June 3 and 4.

In prior years, the City contracted with Waste Management to place dumpsters at various locations for residents’ use. This year, residents may take their unwanted items to the **Lone Pine Transfer Station**, located off of SR77. With proof of Show Low residency, dump your refuse for free June 5 through 9, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., and June 10, 8 a.m. to noon. Be prepared to show a current utility statement or a valid driver’s license listing your current street address. Those unable to prove Show Low residency will be charged the full dumping fee assessed by the transfer station. Items that **will not** be accepted include:

- ✓ Debris and materials from construction sites and other commercial refuse.
- ✓ Hazardous materials including pesticides, herbicides, oils, liquid paints and household cleaning products.
- ✓ Automobile batteries and tires with rims.

For the second year, the City is proud to offer the Green Waste Drop-off program from June 5 through 9, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., and June 10, 7 a.m. to noon. Residents may take green waste (tree trunks, limbs, branches, grass, and pine needles) to First Knoll near the Perkins cinder pit on SR260. Bring proof of Show Low residency. The City will not accept green waste items during other Project Clean Sweep programs; residents with green waste will be redirected to First Knoll.

Construction materials are strictly prohibited during any of the Project Clean Sweep programs. For questions or more information, contact Cari Bilbie at 532-4100. Whether you choose to participate in one or all of the programs, this is a tremendous opportunity to clean your property of excess trash, unused items and yard debris. Together, we can keep Show Low clean and beautiful.

“Cash for Trash” Schedule of Prices

Only items listed will be accepted. Proof of residency required.

Appliances

Dishwasher.....	\$3	Microwave.....	\$1
Refrigerator.....	\$5	Stove/range.....	\$3
Television.....	\$2	Washer/dryer.....	\$3
Water heater.....	\$2		

Auto Tires, with rims only (\$1 each; limit 8 tires per customer)

Carpeting (maximum \$10 per customer)

6’ x 9’ or larger.....	\$4	Less than 6’ x 9’.....	\$2
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Furniture

Bed.....	\$3	Bookcase.....	\$3
Chair.....	\$2	Chest of drawers.....	\$3
Couch.....	\$5	Dining table.....	\$5
Lawn furniture.....	\$2		

Motor Vehicles (towed free; call 532-4100 to schedule pick-up)

Plumbing Fixtures

Bathtub.....	\$5	Sink.....	\$2
Toilet.....	\$3		

Miscellaneous

Bicycle.....	\$2	Camper shell.....	\$5
Dog house.....	\$2	Swing set.....	\$5