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#### **Dates to Remember:**

- December 21st: First day of Winter
- <u>December 25th</u>: Christmas Day Office
- January 1st: New Year's Day
- January 15th: Martin Luther King Jr

OFFICE HOURS
Monday 8:00AM - 3:30PM
Tuesday 8:00AM - 4:30PM
Wednesday - CLOSED
Thursday 8:00AM - 4:30PM

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Friday 8:00AM - 4:30 PM

We are closed daily from 12:00PM to 1:00PM for lunch

Occasionally the office will be closed due to meter reads, meetings, trainings., and such. Notices will be posted on the window at the office, in the Post Office and at the Fire Station. Electronic notices will be made on the Chatter pages, Town's website, and on REACHALERT

There are times due to meetings/trainings/meter reading/illness/vacations, and the normal course of business, only one person may be working in the office at any given time, and cannot get to the phone immediately. If we do not answer the phone, please leave a message. We WILL return your call as soon as we are free to do so.



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## **Town Business**

# Town Council Meetings: Location: Advance Fire Station Time: 7:00 pm

December 11th

If you are unable to attend the Town Council Meetings, all meeting minutes can be found online at

### www.townofadvance.com

Notices will be made electronically on the Chatters, website and or REACHALERT, and in the Lebanon Reporter if any changes are made to the meeting schedule; or additional meeting dates are added.

Meeting and Holiday schedule for 2024 will be voted on and set at the Dec 11th business meeting.

Its getting colder out there, so thus approaches the expensive time of year we all dread....yup...furnace season. For tips to help cut costs this winter, visit IMPA's website:

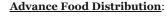
www.impa.com/consumers

Space heaters use more energy than you may think and can be a fire hazard. Please be safe as we continue into winter.

Everyone have a safe and Happy New Year!!!

## WARNING!!!

There is a bill payment service called DOXO that has a much less than reliable reputation with utility offices in other cities and towns around Indiana. They have told us that DOXO does not always forward the payments to the utility in a timely manner; sometimes it takes months, and in a few cases, they were never sent the payment at all. Many customers have had their services disconnected while under the impression that they had paid their bill. We would strongly recommend avoiding this company.



The drive thru food pantry located at the Advance Volunteer Fire Dept - 106 E Wall St is held the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 4PM to 5PM. This is available for all Boone County residents. When you arrive please be aware of your surroundings and watch for instructions. Please do not block streets and/or intersections. Be safe and courteous.



# Clerk-Treasurer's Desk

We understand that everyone needs a little help sometimes. If you find yourself in a situation where you need assistance with your utilities, <u>PLEASE DO NOT</u> wait until shut off day to seek that help.

## **Upcoming Closings**:

The office will be closed on the following days:

December 25 - Christmas Day

#### <u>Pet Tags</u>

We will put out an announcement when the 2024 pet tags are available for purchase at the Town Hall.

As always, this is a community newsletter. If there are things you would like to see in the newsletter, or upcoming events we should know about, come in and let us know.

## Did you know?

www.townofadvance.com

The calendar on the Town's website shows meeting dates, billing dates, late fee dates, shut off dates, and other important dates. You can also find meeting minutes, past newsletters, a link to the Town Code, and a resource page with links to helpful sites and organizations (including a complete list of known assistance resources for Boone County)