



Conover Neighbor

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24th ANNUAL "CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK"

On December 3rd, 2013, at 6:30 p.m., the City of Conover will hold its twenty-fourth annual "Christmas in the Park" in the Downtown Park Gazebo. This year's community event will feature choruses from local schools.

The Conover Fire Department will provide hot chocolate, coffee, cider, and cookies. As always, we expect Santa to stop by sometime around 7:00!

Come join us in the Downtown Park located behind the Post Office on 2nd Avenue NE for this annual Conover tradition.



City Hall will be closed on:

Thanksgiving:
Thursday,
November 28th &
Friday, November
29th

Christmas:
Tuesday,
December 24th,
Wednesday,
December 25th,
and Thursday,
December 26th

New Year's:
Wednesday,
January 1st, 2014



SANTA COPS

This Christmas the Conover Police Department will be accepting donations of new toys and clothing for boys and girls up to age 14. The collection points will be at Conover Police Department, Conover City Hall, and Wal-Mart in Conover. Donations will be accepted through December 15, 2013. If you have any questions call the Conover Police Department at 828-464-4698.

FALL LEAF COLLECTION:

November 1st through January 1st

City of Conover residents are encouraged to utilize the City's vacuum leaf service during this time. Leaves should be piled up at the edge of property **CLEAN** of any other yard debris for collection by city crews. Those still having grass clippings can also utilize this service. Grass and leaves can be mixed together in the same pile for collection with our vacuum trucks.

Please be kind and use safe practices when placing leaf/grass piles at edge of property for collection. Ditch lines, sidewalks, street, curb and gutters are not approved areas for placing piles. This poses a serious safety issue for pedestrians, vehicle traffic and our environment.

City crews will be working as quickly and efficiently as possible to collect leaves in a timely manner. Our goal this year is to collect leaf piles on the same day as your normal sanitation collection. Please be mindful that foul weather (heavy rains or snow) and unexpected issues will cause delay in our collection schedule.

Those citizens requesting vacuum leaves for compost can contact Public Works at (828) 464-4808.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation and understanding.

2013 Solid Waste Collection Holiday Schedule



The City of Conover's Solid Waste department will be collecting only garbage and recycle during the observed holidays for Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's. No yard debris or bulk items will be collected over the observed holidays.

Thanksgiving Holiday Collection Schedule: Collection for Thursday, November 28th, 2013 will be collected on Thursday. Collection for Friday November 29th, 2013 will be collected on Monday, December 2nd, 2013.

Christmas Holiday Collection Schedule: Collection for Tuesday, December 24, 2013 will be collected on Tuesday. Collection for Wednesday, December 25, 2013 and Thursday, December 26, 2013 will be on Thursday.

New Year's Holiday Collection Schedule: Collection for Wednesday, January 1st, 2014 will be on Wednesday.

Please call Conover Public Works Department at 828-464-4808 if you have any questions.

CONOVER FARMERS MARKET



The Conover Farmers Market will hold their fifth annual Holiday Fest on Saturday, November 16th. A group of 40 vendors will offer foods for your Thanksgiving table, Christmas gift ideas, quality crafts, homemade baked goods, produce, local cheeses, meats and much more.

There will be live music and hot food. The event will take place at the Conover Post Office Parking Lot from 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Come join us for this local holiday event. For more information please call Market Manager Julie Lehmann at 828-234-7075.

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Office Hours:
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Monday - Friday

Public Meeting Dates

City Council
(First Monday of Each Month at 7:00 pm)

Planning Board
(Third Tuesday of Each Month at 7:00 pm)

CITY HALL CONTACT INFORMATION

City Manager.....Donald E. Duncan, Jr.
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