

CITY MANAGERS REPORT
Report Period February 8, 2018 – March 7, 2018

Ginger Allen, City Manager

City Web Site: The City's new website is moving along at a good pace. The website will be live on or before June 1, 2018, which will be one month or more ahead of the original schedule of July 1, 2018.

City Parks: City staff will be planting some type of succulent ground covering at the memorial park before the Lamb and Wool Festival. Due to weather, all other upgrades will take place this summer.

Picture Day: New city council pictures will be taken at the April 9th city council meeting. The pictures will be taken in the Senior Center with a light blue backdrop. The following information will accompany your photo on the new city website:

- Contact Number (home phone, cell phone or both)
- City Council Term Dates
- Email Address

State of the City Address: I will be presenting the State of the City Address at the May 14, 2018 Council Meeting.

2018 - 2019 Budget: The budget season is upon us and work has already begun on the assembling of next years' budget. The budget process is becoming more efficient each year as we refine our processes and work closely with our Auditors at Accuity, LLC. Budget training has also proved to be helpful to budget committee members and will be made available again this year on Thursday, May 10th, 2018, at Scio City Hall, at 6:00 p.m. I am happy to report that we have a "full budget committee" going into this years' budget sessions scheduled to take place on:

- Monday, May 21, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. and Thursday, May 24, 2018, at 6:00 p.m.

Community Pride/Clean-up Day: The City has agreed to provide the following items to the volunteers participating in Scio's annual clean-up day, tentatively scheduled for May 5, 2018.

- Garbage Sacks
- Garbage Dumpster
- Work Gloves

Water Rate Study: City staff has been working with City Planner, Dave Kinney, on a City of Scio Water Rate Study. It is my hope to have this study compiled and presented to Council by end of this fiscal year. *(more information to follow)*

Transportation Chapter of City Comprehensive Plan: The Transportation Chapter of the city's Comprehensive Plan is nearing completion. Once the Chapter is completed it will go before the Scio Planning Commission for review and comment and then it will be presented to the City Council for final approval.