

## Fall 2015 Newsletter

September 28, 2015

Providing news and information for the City Council, Chamber of Commerce, and Living Lanark Committees.

*Created by Mayor John Huggins*

**Lanark 1  
Civic Number  
(815) 493-1155  
Starts Oct. 15**

**NEW: Lanark 1 Civic Number: (815)493-1155**



Starting October 15th, there will be no need to look up or memorize all those Lanark civic phone numbers. With a single number, 815-493-1155, you will be able to reach:

- ◆ Lanark City Officials, Departments, and Facilities
- ◆ Fire & Police Non-Emergency
- ◆ Clubs and Organizations
- ◆ and More!

### HOURS

City Hall Hours:

Clerk: Mon & Thur 9am-5pm (closed 12:30-1:30)  
Treas.: Tues Noon-4:00  
Mayor: Wed 8:30-Noon

Council Meetings:

First & third Tuesday of the month

Library

T, W, F: Noon to 5,  
Th - Noon to 7:30,  
Sat.: 10-3

List of menu options:

#### City Government

- City Hall
- Mayor, Clerk or Treasurer
- Aldermen
- Maintenance Department
- Zoning OMA and FOIA Officer
- City Attorney and OMA Officer
- Peace Corps Fellow Intern

#### Lanark Public Library

#### Heritage Center

#### Police and Fire Non-emergency

#### Eastland School District

#### Organizations and Clubs

- Lanark Chamber of Commerce
- Eastland Council of Churches
- Eastland Music Boosters
- Eastland Sports Boosters
- Friends of the Lanark Public Library
- Lanark Area Community Foundation
- Lanark Boy Scouts
- Lanark Girl Scouts
- Lanark Community Club
- Lanark Lions Club
- Cornucopia Committee
- Transformers Committee

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Find more info on the web at [www.lanarkil.com](http://www.lanarkil.com)

# Legacy Walk: Leave a Lasting Memory in the Park

The Legacy Walk is your opportunity to show your support for improvements to the Lanark City Park, as well as, leaving a lasting tribute to be seen for generations to come.

We invite you to adopt a sidewalk square and help make some upgrades such as handicap accessible sidewalks, decorative lighting, and additional paved parking.

When you adopt a square, a four inch diameter metal marker will be embedded into the cement with your own custom text to:

- ☆ Celebrate a special occasion: Birthday, Wedding, Anniversary
- ☆ Create a memorial for a loved one
- ☆ Honor family and friends
- ☆ Give an unforgettable gift
- ☆ Promote your business

You can adopt a sidewalk square for \$165.

For those interested in making a large donation, there will be opportunities to place larger markers, adopt a lamp post, or adopt a bench. Please Contact Mayor Huggins for more information at [jhuggins@lanarkil.com](mailto:jhuggins@lanarkil.com) or 815-541-0557.

**ORDER FORM IS ON THE LAST PAGE**



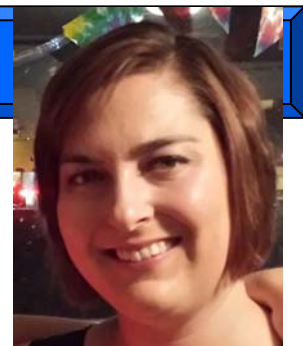
## Celebrate Lanark! 2015

The 2015 Celebrate Lanark! event was a big success again this year. Nearly 60 area businesses and organizations had booths or displays through the Eastland Jr/Sr High School Saturday September 26th. Visitors had a chance to get information, sample food, buy items, and win prizes.



## Peace Corps Fellow Intern

Welcome Lexie Woodward. Lexie is serving Lanark as a Peace Corps Fellow Community Development Intern. She is originally from Portland Oregon. She joined the Peace Corps through Western Illinois University. She served in Nicaragua for her 2 year overseas duty. Lexie will be working for our community for 11 months working with the City and various organizations on economic and community development as well as helping the Living Lanark committees achieve their goals.



## Do You Use An Automatic Bill Payment Service?

If you use an automatic bill payment service to pay your water/sewer bill, please use your actual account number. Some people use their name as the account, but this causes problems with the billing system. Even if you send a check, please put this number in the memo section. To avoid delays and late payments, please use the account number. See the diagram for the location of this number on the bill.

<b>City of Lanark</b> 6, Lanark, IL 61046 Phone: 815-493-2431		<b>AMOUNT DUE</b> <b>\$70.65</b> 10% Penalty applied if not paid by <b>11/20/15</b>																	
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## Upcoming Events

### Oct. 3 - Paint the Town -

Volunteer opportunity to help install new street name signs and paint poles and hydrants.



### Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27 - Farmers Market -

Last four weeks of the market. Held in the new location in the plaza downtown.

### Oct. 21 - Hometown Cookout and EPC Homecoming Parade -

The Lanark Chamber will be holding their annual cookout at the Heritage Center from 4-7 pm as a scholarship fundraiser. The EPC Homecoming Parade will be at 5:30. The game will be Friday at Pearl City.



### Oct. 31 (tentatively) - Halloween

Trick or Treat - The City Council will vote on the date and hours of trick or treating in Lanark at the Oct. 6 meeting.



### Nov. 6-7 + 13-14 - Great Rt 64/84

Shop Hop - Holiday shopping in Lanark, Mt. Carroll, Savanna, Thomson, and Fulton.

### Nov. 26 - Happy Thanksgiving!

*City Hall Closed*

### Nov. 28 - Jinglefest and Small

Business Saturday - Enjoy holiday festivities and shopping local small businesses. More details will be available closer to the event date on the website and in the Prairie Advocate.

### Dec. 9 - Eastland Christmas Concert and Lions Club

Pancake Supper - Enjoy some pancakes and sausage served up by the Lanark Lions Club then head upstairs for the concert.



### Dec. 25 - Merry Christmas!

### Jan. 1, 2016 - Happy New Year!



## Lanark Lions Club Donates Street Name Signs



The Lanark Lions Club has generously donated new, high intensity, reflective street name signs for the entire city. The side street signs will be 6 inches high and the ones along Broad St. will be 9 inches high.

**THANK YOU LANARK LIONS!!!**

Saturday October 3 will be another "paint the town" day (weather permitting) where volunteers will help install the signs and paint the poles. There are a couple of fire hydrants that still need painting.



## Shop Lanark! Cards

If you purchased and used a "Shop Lanark! Card" last year, it has expired. The new cards are hot off the press with different offers for the coming year.

Participating businesses this year include Bella Pizza, Carroll Service, The Crooked Roof, End of the Road, Hollow Fencepost, JD's Automotive, Lake



Carroll Clubhouse, Lake Carroll Golf Course, Lanark Food Center, Lanark Pharmacy, Special Touch, and Twice Sold Tales.

Cards are still \$10 each and available at the Special Touch, Lanark Food Center, Exchange State Bank, Carroll Service Fuel 24, and other location of participating businesses.

Thank you for shopping local!

## Billing Issues Continue

The City continues to experience problems with the billing software for water/sewer/garbage. The software company has assured us the problems will be fixed by the January billing cycle. But for now, the clerk has again needed to white-out and hand write several locations on every one of the 700+ bills. This is why you have received them a few days late again. Please accept our apologies.



## City Officials

### Mayor:

John Huggins  
[jhuggins@lanarkil.com](mailto:jhuggins@lanarkil.com)

### City Clerk:

Jackie Hawbecker  
[cityclerk@lanarkil.com](mailto:cityclerk@lanarkil.com)

### Treasurer:

Carol Kruzek  
[treasurer@lanarkil.com](mailto:treasurer@lanarkil.com)

### Aldermen, Ward I:

Lance Leverton  
[lleverton@lanarkil.com](mailto:lleverton@lanarkil.com)

Anne Lindsay  
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### Aldermen, Ward II:

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Weston Burkholder  
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### Aldermen, Ward III:

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Ken Viglietta  
[kviglietta@lanarkil.com](mailto:kviglietta@lanarkil.com)

### FOIA Officer, Police Chief, Zoning Officer:

Matt Magill  
[lanarkpd@gmail.com](mailto:lanarkpd@gmail.com)

## Examples:



## Instructions:

Fill out the form completely. If you are buying more than one, you only need to enter your name and the text for the marker. Then staple the order forms together. Each adopted square is \$165.

Make checks payable to **City of Lanark**.

**Drop off** the form(s) and a check (or cash in the exact amount) to: City Hall, 111-A South Broad Street  
Or

### Mail to:

City of Lanark  
Legacy Walk  
PO Box 6  
Lanark, IL 61046

**Order deadline is March 31, 2016**

For more information email [jhuggins@lanarkil.com](mailto:jhuggins@lanarkil.com)  
or call 815-541-0557

# Lanark Legacy Walk Order Form

Mailing Address:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Please enter the text you would like printed on the marker (please print clearly)

### Outside Row

*22 characters and spaces per line.*

Centered at 12 o'clock (see "A"):

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Centered at 6 o'clock (see "B"):

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### Inside Row

*22 characters and spaces per line.*

Centered at 12 o'clock (see "C"):

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Centered at 6 o'clock (see "D"):

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