Tips for Spring

With the advent of spring and warmer weather, residents like to get outside with their families and pets; perhaps taking the campers, boats, or favorite car out of storage in readiness for an active Minnesota summer. The following are a few tips to remember while you are preparing to enjoy the outdoors.

- Picking up litter after your pets and restraining them in public lets everyone enjoy the city sidewalks and parks.

- Park all motor vehicles (regardless of type of propulsion) on a paved or concrete surface.

- RVs, boats on trailers, campers, etc., may be parked on a driveway, NOT the lawn or the street.

- Outdoor storage of discarded or unused machinery, household appliances or furniture, automobile bodies or other material is not allowed.

- Have a vehicle you wish to advertise for sale? The vehicle may be parked on a private driveway with a “For Sale” sign displayed, or in a zoned automobile sales lot. Any type of vehicle displayed for sale may not be parked in commercial business lots or on public streets.

- Pesky pests? Remember to keep all garbage contained in proper storage containers with lids completely closed. This will help to keep rodents and insects at bay.

- During rainy nights and sunny days the grass and weeds can grow at a rapid rate. All grass and weeds must be maintained LESS than 8-inches in length.

- Please help to reserve our water supply during spring and summer months. Water restrictions occur annually from May 1st through September 30th.

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