

# Welcome to Claflin!

City Office  
111 E Hamilton

City Office Hours  
Monday thru Thursday  
8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.  
Friday  
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

## **City Government**

A Council, consisting of one mayor and five council members governs our city. Council meetings are conducted on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month.

### **Mayor**

Michael Urban

### **Council Members**

Dan Michaelis  
Robert Gunder  
Dustin Daniels  
Casey Hubbard  
Dorian Hickel

### **Other helpful numbers**

|                     |              |
|---------------------|--------------|
| Claflin Post Office | 620-587-3935 |
| H&B Cable           | 800-432-8296 |
| Midwest Energy      | 800-222-3121 |
| Kansas Gas Service  | 800-794-4780 |
| Library             | 620-587-3488 |

**Emergency –911** for police, fire and ambulance.

We have a volunteer EMS & Fire Department. If you are interested in joining call the fire station at 620-587-3498.

### **City Employees**

#### **Police Chief**

Gary Vaughan 620-587-3344

#### **Patrol Officer**

#### **City Superintendent**

Richard Hayes 620-588-3723  
620-992-7073

#### **City Maintenance**

Bryce Steiner 620-588-3723

#### **Public Officer/City Code Enforcement**

Gary Vaughan 620-587-3344

#### **City Clerk**

Patricia Schmidt 620-587-3707

City fax: 620-587-3915

City email: [pschmidt@hbcomm.net](mailto:pschmidt@hbcomm.net)



## CITY UTILITY BILLS

- The City of Claflin bills for water, sewer and trash pick-up.
- Trash is picked up on Monday during winter and Monday and Thursday during summer.
- Bills are sent on or about the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month and are due by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the following month with a late fee added to the balance on the 11<sup>th</sup>.
- Utility services are disconnected on or around the 25<sup>th</sup> if no payment is received - a \$25 reconnect fee is charged to have service restored. The reconnect fee will increase by \$25.00 with each reconnect.
- Payments can be made in the city building, by mail, ACH Debit, or by placing in the utility payment box by the front door of the City Building after office hours.



## Mowing

Grass and weeds cannot exceed 12 inches in height. Properties in violation are subject to be mowed by the city at a **minimum** cost of \$450.00 per mowing plus criminal prosecution.



## Zoning

A building permit is required for construction of new buildings, additions to existing buildings and fences.



## Recycling

Claflin has a recycling trailer located at 710 W. Front. The trailer is open at all times. We also have a "Kans for Kids" trailer, for aluminum cans, located behind the public library.



## Dogs

All dogs within the city limits shall be licensed. Owners will present a proper rabies certificate showing current vaccination before license will be issued. It is unlawful for the owner of any dog to permit it to run at large within the city. It is also the responsibility of the animal owner to have the means for removal of excrement that may be deposited by the animal within public places or upon the property of another. The city does not allow pit bulls or Rottweilers nor dogs mixed with these breeds to be harbored in the city limits.



## Swimming Pool

The Claflin City Pool is located at 103 4<sup>th</sup> Street in the City Park. Our pool offers a variety of activities including pool parties, Jr. High swim nights, water aerobics and swim lessons. Pool passes are available.



## Churches

|                                       |              |                            |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| Faith In Motion                       | 620-587-3912 | 113 W. Hamilton            |
| Immaculate Conception Catholic Church | 620-587-3628 | 300 Main Street            |
| Parish Center                         | 620-587-2339 | 110 E. Williamson          |
| United Methodist Church               | 620-587-3505 | 120 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street |
| Zion Lutheran Church                  | 620-587-3698 | 121 5 <sup>th</sup> Street |



## Claflin Community Center

620-587-3215      409 A Street



## Schools

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|---|--------------|
| USD 112 Central Plains District Office                | 785-252-3695 |
| Elementary School - grades Pre-K thru 4 <sup>th</sup> | 785-252-3666 |
| Middle/High School                                    | 620-587-3801 |

Ordinances available for review at the City office or online at <http://codelibrary.amlegal.com>.