





Vision Statement: "The Good Neighbor City" where quality of Life is available to all!

<u>Mission Statement:</u> To promote the existing peaceful atmosphere while providing quality services to our community through public awareness, public safety, communication and beautification, utilizing economic development as a means to enhance a positive future.



City Events

Planning Commission

Meets the first Thursday each month at 6:00 PM via Zoom, City Hall, or the Senior Center.

City Council

Meets the third Thursday each month at 7:00 PM in City Hall.

Economic Development Committee Meets as needed.

(Call City Hall for the current month's meeting locations.)

News from Around Town

- City Hall will be closed Monday, September 6th for Labor Day.
- The 2021 Star Spencer Bobcats Football varsity season has begun. Coming up:
 - Friday, 9/3 Douglass (home)
 - o Friday, 9/10 Western Heights (home)
 - o Thursday, 9/16 Capital Hill (away)
 - o Thursday, 9/23 Jones (home)
- Want to include your community news or event for next month? Submit the date, time, and details to City Hall.

Community Organization Events

Spencer Historical Society

Meets the first Tuesday each month at 7:00 PM at the Spencer Museum, 50th St and Palmer Rd.

Spencer Chamber of Commerce

Meets the second Monday each month at 7:00 PM at the Spencer United Method Church in old downtown.

The Latest from our Website

Visit our city website at www.cityofspencerok.gov for information on upcoming events, news, and alerts for events such as utility repairs.

We also list the quarterly dates for residential bulky waste collection (big trash day).

New this month is a partial list of community services available from our friends at *Life Changes & Wellness*. These services include on-site daycare 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM and free youth dinners every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 3:30 PM - 9:00 PM.

See the **City News** board for more details.

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 8200 NE 36th Street
 Monday – Friday

 Spencer, Oklahoma 73084
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM



City Manager Updates...

- City Manager Shamia Jackson has been appointed to the Oklahoma County Metropolitan Library Commission. This brings us one step closer to having a branch of the metropolitan library system in Spencer.
- Labor Day Week Waste Pickup The household trash collection service for Spencer during Labor Day week will be Thursday, September 9th.
- Life Changes & Wellness is hosting classes to help residents in the Spencer area get a High School Equivalency diploma. The classes are sponsored by the OIC of Oklahoma County.

To enroll in GED/HSE classes, call the OIC at 405-235-2651 (Mon-Fri, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM)



www.oicokc.org

Staff Training & Certifications...

Edward Hayes Jr., our Animal Control Officer, has received multiple certifications from the *Oklahoma Animal Control Association*. Included were:

- Oklahoma Animal Control Officer Basic Academy
- Chemical Immobilization Techniques and Tranquilization
- Oleoresin Capsicum Subject Control Spray

Training is vital to ensuring our professional staff is up-todate and certified on the latest municipal standards. We will continue working to provide Office Staff, Code Enforcement, Public Works, Police, Fire and Animal Control with the training they need to be best-of-class in Oklahoma County.



Spencer Forward!

