



THE CITY OF DURANT

City Department Updates 3/10/2023

City Clerk/Cemetery Administration

- A dumpster has been placed in front of the cemetery maintenance building as a courtesy for visitors to place old flowers or deteriorated grave decorations. Visitors are respectfully requested not to place these items on the roadside within the cemetery.

Community Development

- Staff attended a meeting with planners from across the nation to talk about various legislative efforts that are starting to take place within our nation's capital and conferring about what is happening within our own states.
- 93 permits and 11 licenses were issued in February.

Economic Development

- Small Business Bootcamp - Bootcamp is up and running. Nineteen local small businesses are participating. There are five of the bootcamp participants who have submitted applications for the Tech Grant.

Emergency Management

- The Q1 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) quarterly payment of \$10,000 has been received. The Q2 report and payment request is due on April 10. These quarters are based on the State fiscal year, which begins October 1 as opposed to the City fiscal year which starts July 1st.

Fire Department

- Services Performed in February – 101 permits issued, 17 inspections, four plan reviews, four smoke alarms installed, four fire investigations, zero pre-fire plans.

Donald W. Reynolds Library

- Attendance monthly total (library stats only, no community center): 3,246
- Library was open 21 days in December.
- Average daily attendance: 155
- Circulation monthly (physical units): 3,563

Neighborhood Services

- 92 inspections performed, 238 code enforcements, 42 animal control responses.