

City of Bennington  
March 2020 Newsletter

Thank you to everyone who came out for our 2020 animal clinic! You have until March 1<sup>st</sup> to get your tag. One dollar will be added each week after March 1<sup>st</sup> to the \$3.00 total. We will be putting notices on doors for anyone we know of that have animals that have not been tagged. You will need to make sure you have current rabies vaccinations and bring in a certificate to the office to get a tag.

To date, we have had only 99 people sign up for the City's alert system. We have approximately 300 households, so many people will not be aware if something is going on. Please spread the word, in case people do not read their newsletter or did not read the face book messages regarding our new system. Each household has been informed, so it is up to you to make sure you are signed up. You may go to the city's website, [www.cityofbennington.com](http://www.cityofbennington.com) and sign up under the notifications tab or come in to the city office and bring your cell phone and I am more than willing to help you sign up!!

\*\*\*\*\*ATTENTION\*\*\*\*\*

Severe Storm Safety and Information Show will be held on Wednesday, March 11, 2020 at 7:00 PM in the Ottawa County Courthouse Meeting Room. The Meeting is presented by the National Weather Service in Topeka. Everyone is welcome! It is for anyone interested in learning more about severe weather in Kansas. If you have any questions, please contact Marie Ballou with Ottawa County Emergency Management at 785-392-3600.

We have some very nice Pictorial Souvenir books originally published in 1916 and reprinted in 1990 donated by Jim and Karen McClain to the city. These are very interesting and have lots of information and pictures in them on the history of Bennington. If anyone is interested in checking one out, please come into the office and I would be happy to let you borrow one!

++++++FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES!!!!++++++

If there are any organizations who are looking for fund raising opportunities, and would be interested in providing concessions for the KWA horse shows that will be held at the Bennington Rodeo Arena this spring and summer, please contact Tammy Clouston at 785-393-1922 for more information on dates and times.

