

ANNUAL ST. PETER HABITAT FOR HUMANITY FUNDRAISER



St. Peter Red Men Club – 412 S. 3rd Street
When: December 2nd 2017 4- 6 p.m.
What: BINGO and Bake Sale



Did you know that Habitat for Humanity has built over **26 homes** in the city of St. Peter? Did you know that Habitat for Humanity has partnered for over **15 years** with the shop classes at the St. Peter High School to build each of those homes? Come join us for **BINGO and bake sale** to help raise money to continue to build affordable housing in the city of St. Peter! All proceeds raised will benefit the 2018 St. Peter builds. Visit our website at www.habitatscmn.org/events for more info!



MINNESOTA SQUARE PARK PAVILION PROJECT UPDATE The City Council appointed a 33 member Task Force to consider a project to reconstruct the iconic Minnesota Square Park Pavilion. The Task Force members, working with staff and architects from Oleson + Hobbie Architects of Mankato, spent many hours over numerous meetings considering the current and future uses of the pavilion and how best to replace the current structure with a new facility that would work for many varied interests. In November of 2012, the Task Force's recommended design (shown here) was adopted by the City Council.

Since that time, the project has sat in limbo due to a lack of funding for the project. However, in 2017, the City was awarded \$200,000 in Legacy Grant funding from the State of Minnesota to help with the cost of construction of a new Pavilion and the City Council has decided to move forward with the project for construction in 2018.

Additional park planning and more detailed plans and bidding documents are currently being developed by Oleson + Hobbie Architects, and once bids are received, staff will work with the selected contractor to establish a timeline for the project that will have the least impact on the community events that take place in the park on an annual basis. And as the project moves forward, the Saint Peter community is encouraged to check out the City's website (www.saintpetermn.gov); Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/CityofSaintPeter>); and the weekly newsletter the "Hot Sheet", for updated information.

Until more information is available, the City Council extends its' gratitude to the members of the Task Force for their hard work in recommending the new Pavilion design. It's through volunteer efforts such as this that Saint Peter has such fine public facilities.

Shop | Donate | Volunteer at the Mankato ReStore!



The Mankato ReStore accepts donations of gently-used product individuals and companies and resells them to the general public to fund homes for low-income families in our community. All St. Peter homes are currently built at



from help

St. Peter High School by Industrial Technology students. Please consider the Habitat for Humanity Mankato ReStore for your next donation of – or shopping excursion for – home improvement products, appliances, hardware, tools, furniture, and more! Visit and like us at mankatorestore.org and [facebook.com/mankatorestore](https://www.facebook.com/mankatorestore).

City Council meetings are now available on YouTube!!
Check us out on the City YouTube channel.

With the holidays just around the corner, it's time to start thinking about your lights and decorations!



This holiday season, the City of Saint Peter is once again offering our electricity customers **rebates of up to \$12 for each plug-in LED string or decoration** of energy-efficient LED holiday lighting they purchase through the end of the year. We are promoting LED lighting because it uses up to 90% less electricity than regular holiday lighting and lasts up to 10 times longer. A typical household can save up to \$50 during the holiday season.

While the financial savings alone are a big draw, LED Holiday Lights offer other benefits as well. The environmental benefits help make our community a little greener, and LEDs are cool to the touch - which reduces the risk of fire and personal injury.

Rebate coupons and additional information can be found at www.SaveEnergyInSaintPeter.com, and at some retailers.

To find out activities going on in Saint Peter and the surrounding area, check out Public Access Channel 8.

To keep up-to-date on city happenings (HOT SHEET), visit our website at: saintpetermn.gov!

The City of Saint Peter offers FREE automatic bank payment from any bank. You receive your utility bill at the same time each month and across the top of your bill it would be noted - *DO NO PAY* PAID BY DRAFT. Your payment would then be deducted from your checking or savings account on the due date each month. If you are interested in this option, please fill out the following form.

AUTHORIZATION FOR AUTOMATIC UTILITY PAYMENTS

I AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF SAINT PETER'S FINANCE DEPARTMENT AND THE BANK NAMED BELOW TO INITIATE VARIABLE ENTRIES TO MY CHECKING/SAVINGS ACCOUNT FOR PAYMENT OF MY UTILITY BILL.

THESE ENTRIES WILL BE MADE ON THE DUE DATE (USUALLY THE 15TH) OF EACH MONTH. THIS AUTHORIZATION WILL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL I NOTIFY THE CITY TO CANCEL IT IN SUCH TIME AS TO AFFORD THE CITY A REASONABLE OPPORTUNITY TO ACT ON IT.

(CUSTOMER NAME-PLEASE PRINT) _____

(UTILITY ACCOUNT NUMBER) _____

(SERVICE ADDRESS) _____

(PHONE NUMBER) _____

(BANK NAME) _____ (BANK ADDRESS) _____

BANK ROUTING NUMBER _____ ACCOUNT _____

CIRCLE ONE: CHECKING OR SAVINGS

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____