

Ellis County Environmental/Planning and Zoning

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Upcoming Events

March 20

Spring Begins

March 11

Daylight Savings Time starts

March 17

St. Patrick's Day

Welcome to the Ellis County Environmental Office Newsletter! In the months to come, we will have plenty of information for you, as a citizen, to better help protect yourself, your neighbor, and the land you live on.

Spread the Word

If you know anyone who would like to be a part of our newsletter, just have them give us a call at 785-628-9449 or email us at mruder@ellisco.net to be added to our monthly newsletter.

Suggestions

Is there a topic you are curious about? We would be more than happy to tackle any topic you would like to hear about regarding what the Ellis County Environmental Office does.

About Us

The Ellis County Environmental Office provides environmentally sound practices and progressive development that help Ellis County residents protect the land and ground water in the county. The Planning and Zoning Division strives to ensure that the Ellis County Zoning Regulations and Subdivision Regulations are followed in providing proper land use and development of Ellis County properties.

Important Announcements

March 28

Joint Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting (Public is welcomed and encouraged to attend)

March 30

Ellis County Environmental Office will be closed in observance of Good Friday

March is Household Hazardous Waste Awareness

Ellis County is the administrator of a 13-County Regional Household Hazardous Waste Program.

[HHW Website](#)

What is HHW?

With March here, a lot of us will start the process of Spring Cleaning. During this cleaning process you will most likely come across some household hazardous wastes. EPA considers some leftover household products that can catch fire, react, or explode under certain circumstances, or that are corrosive or toxic as household hazardous waste. Products, such as paints, cleaners, oils, batteries, and pesticides can contain hazardous ingredients and require special care when you dispose of them. Our job here at the Ellis County HHW facility is to safely prepare these wastes for proper disposal.

[Acceptable/Unacceptable Items](#)

Fees and Small Quantity Generators

Currently there is no fee for household hazardous waste dropped off from residents in Ellis County. Each participant will be limited to 50 pounds or five gallons of waste per visit. In rare circumstances, such as when a participant is moving or where there is an abandoned property, this limitation may be waived.

There is a Small Quantity Generator program for small businesses and/or commercial waste. This program is available for a fee. Our fees are based on type of waste and weight. Contact our office for more details.

Thank you!

Our office would not be here without the wonderful citizens of Ellis County. If there is ever anything you would like us to improve on or just have a general suggestion, please contact us at the information listed at the top of Page 1.



In the Community

EASTER BUNNY arrives at BIG CREEK Crossing

March 16, 2018, All Day @ Big Creek Crossing

2018 Special Olympics Kansas

March 16, 2018, 10:00 AM -
March 17, 2018, 5:00 PM @
FHSU, HHS, HRC

Much, Much More!

Check your local City's Calendar or the Ellis County Webpage for any and all events happening in your community!

Ellis County Environmental/Planning & Zoning Fees 2018

Water Well Permit.- \$60.00
Wastewater Permit- \$60.00
Water Screen
Nitrate/Bacteria- \$20.00
Nitrate/Bacteria/RO-\$25.00
Property Transfer Evaluations
Water Well- \$50.00
Wastewater- \$50.00
Both- \$75.00

****please contact office for any fees that may occur***