

# De Soto Newsletter

March 2024



## POP CAN DRIVE!!

**HERE ARE SOME TIPS ON ACCEPTABLE ITEMS:**

- \*HAVE IA 5 ¢ STAMPED
- \*NOT CRUSHED: MUST STAND UP
- \*EMPTY OF CONTENTS

**WE WANT TO THANK EVERYONE THAT DONATE THEIR REDEEMABLE CANS, BOTTLES, & GLASS. EVERY NICKEL COUNTS! THE MONEY RAISED SUPPORTS DE SOTO FUN DAY.**

## Holiday FLAGS Signup Form



The Adel Lions, in conjunction with the Adel Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, will place a flag on your property on five holidays and remove it at the end of the holiday. Please show your patriotism by signing up now for these holidays: *Memorial Day, Flag Day, 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Labor Day and Veteran's Day.*

**Your De Soto Betterment Committee teams up to assist the Adel Lions Club. We place & remove of the Flags in De Soto. Price is \$25 per flag per year. Find more information @ [www.adellionsclub.org](http://www.adellionsclub.org)**

### De Soto City Hall

405 Walnut St.  
PO Box 100  
(515) 834-2233

### De Soto Public Library

405 Walnut St.  
PO Box 585  
(515) 834-2690

### De Soto Public Works

(515)834-2502

### De Soto Police Department

Emergency—911  
Non-Emergency Dispatch  
(515)993-4567

### Mayor Mitch Crozier

[515-979-3132](tel:515-979-3132)

### Council Members

#### Josh Minton

(515) 333-3392

#### Dustin Padgett

(515) 250-7856

#### Wade Fox

#### Bobby Huntoon

Does your child love to ask “Why?” Do they like experimenting and making messes? Bring them to the library April 1 at 4:30 for our new STEM Club! Ages 6-12



THE DE SOTO CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

DESOTO CENTENNIAL

1868 - 1968



1ST FIRE TRUCK 1890



DE SOTO TOWN HALL

History of De Soto

History of De Soto  
De Soto is a city with a rich history that was founded in 1868 following the construction of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad through the territory. The City was named after a railroad official with the last name of De Soto who set up the train depot that used to be a feature of De Soto in years past.

One of our long time citizens – Carol Lee, researched extensively and wrote a book in celebration of our 150th Sesquicentennial Celebration in 2018.

You can purchase the **History of De Soto – 150 Years** book at City Hall for \$20.00.



# DE SOTO PUBLIC LIBRARY ADVENTURE PASS

CALL THE LIBRARY OR DROP US A MESSAGE ON FB TO LEARN HOW YOU CAN USE YOUR LIBRARY CARD TO VISIT THE BLANK PARK ZOO AND THE SCIENCE CENTER FOR FREE!

URGENTLY NEEDED

# WE NEED YOU!

BETTERMENT COMMITTEE

Help with planning of De Soto Fun Day & other tasks.

Next Meeting: April 25th 6:30pm  
Methodist Church Basement

Spring Cleanup Day is  
May 11th!



DE SOTO PUBLIC LIBRARY

# Free Produce Day

## April 2, 16, & 30



American Mini Storage  
12 Ellefson Dr.  
De Soto, IA 50069  
515-991-1502



Call about our monthly specials!