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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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## **CITY OFFICES TO BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY FOR VETERAN'S DAY**

*Refuse, Recycling, Compost, and Transfer Station Operation schedule announced*

**MUSCATINE Iowa** – The City of Muscatine offices will be closed on Friday, Nov. 10, which is the day set aside this year to mark Veteran's Day for most of the United States. Veteran's Day is actually Saturday, Nov. 11. City offices will reopen on Monday, Nov. 13.

There will be no refuse collection on Friday, Nov. 10. Refuse collection for the Friday route will be on Monday, Nov. 13, along with the normal Monday route. Curbside recycling will be picked up on Friday, Nov. 10.

The Transfer Station and Compost Site will be closed on Friday, Nov. 10. The Transfer Station will be open 8 a.m.-12 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 11, while the Compost Site will be open 9 a.m.-6 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 11. Both sites will resume normal hours on Monday, Nov. 13.

Veteran's Day is dedicated to American veterans of all wars and became a federal holiday in 1938. The day marks the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month in 1918 when an armistice was declared bringing an end to World War I between the Allied nations and Germany. The day was originally known as Armistice Day but was changed to Veterans Day after World War II and the Korean War.

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