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## IMPORTANT DAYS IN JUNE

June 5 World Environment Day  
June 14 Flag Day  
June 19 Father's Day  
June 21 First Day of Summer

## EMPLOYEE BIRTHDAYS

June 4 Rebecca Haggard  
June 9 Bart Berghoff  
June 11 Nancy Parmenter  
June 12 Brenda Cushman  
June 12 Janice Deck  
June 13 Nyla Mousavi  
June 13 Sharon Young  
June 15 Jennifer Lee  
June 23 Trisha Davis

## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

### Nancy Parmenter

Nancy has been with us since 2005. She started as a cleaner working in one of our buildings 4 hours per night and quickly moved to a lead, then to supervisor. Nancy now manages many of our buildings. She has great communication, treats her employees with respect, and always follows through with work assignments. She enjoys spending time with her children and is very excited about the arrival of her grandbaby in October! Thanks Nancy for all your hard work and dedication!

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## Could You Have A Water Leak? Tips For Locating A Problem.

**Water leaks can be costly.** If your water and sewer bill are higher than you expected or if the bill is higher than usual you may have a water leak. A water leak as small as a pinhead can waste about 25,000 gallons of water a month. That could cost you about \$130/mo on your City Utilities bill! The bigger the leak, the more costly. Many water leaks are easy to find. Fort Wayne City Utilities suggests that you do the following if you think you may have a water leak:

**Listen for the sound of running water.** If you hear a sound like a toilet running when no water is turned on, you may have a leak. **Check for small puddles** of water around appliances that use water such as the dishwasher or washing machine. **Read your water meter.** Don't use any water for several hours or overnight, and then read the meter again.

### Possible Leak Locations:

**Leaking faucets:** A steadily dripping faucet can waste 15 – 20 gallons of water per day. And even if you are not using the water, it goes through your water meter, so you are charged for it. Faucets usually leak or drip because the washers inside are worn. Washerless faucets have "O" rings that can wear and cause leaks. Replacing the washers or "O" rings is relatively simple. But if you're not a do-it-yourself type, have the work done by someone who knows how to do the job. You may save the cost of the repair in just a few months of lower water bills. If you have a faucet in an out-of-the-way

place that you seldom use, check it regularly to make sure that it is not leaking.

**Toilets:** The toilet is the most common water waster, but a leaking toilet may be less noticeable than a dripping faucet. Still a leaking toilet could cost you up to \$500 dollars on a single water bill.

**Outside taps:** Check outside taps to see if they are running or dripping. If the tap is leaking, it may need to have washers replaced. If you have left a hose running even a bit, you can waste thousands of gallons of water over the summer. Remember to turn off faucets tightly.

**Broken pipes:** Broken pipes may be difficult to find especially if your pipes are located in a crawl space or within walls. Look for unexplained wet areas or water stains on walls. Broken pipes of leaking joints typically require a plumber to fix.

**Water heater:** Check around your water heater to make sure it is not leaking. If you find water around the appliance you may have a leak from the drain faucet at the bottom or the top may have come unsealed. (Info retrieved from Fort Wayne City Utilities)

If you have water damage from a leak that needs taken care of, call us right away! (260) 483-2112.

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