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Welcome to the City of Alliance Activity Report

The City of Alliance will be accepting applications for the position of Administrative Secretary until Monday, October 24th. For a complete job description, please contact Workforce Development or access the City of Alliance website at www.cityofalliance.net.

The Water Department would like to remind all water customers to remove garden hoses from water spigots and insulate exposed water lines and water meters to prevent damage during freezing weather. Owners of underground sprinkler systems should be winterizing them now to prevent damage to the system backflow device.

The City of Alliance currently has several items for sale through Purple Wave Auction. A complete list of auction items can be found by logging on their website at www.purplewave.com and clicking on the Tuesday, November 8th government auction link.

October is National Adopt A Shelter House Dog and the Alliance Animal Shelter would like to invite you to visit their facility at 1040 East Kansas Street to adopt your new best friend!

Keep Alliance Beautiful in partnership with the Alliance Public Library and Friends of the Library will be sponsoring the "Give an Old Book a New Life" book drive on Saturday, October 15th. Please bring your old books to the employee parking lot behind the Alliance Public Library between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. For more information regarding the book drive, call the Alliance Public Library at 762-1387 or Keep Alliance Beautiful at 762-1907.

The Knight Museum and Sandhills Center is still in need of volunteers for the "Adopt A Civil War Hero" project to help meet the November 11th deadline. The project is designed to encourage volunteers to adopt one of the approximately 142 Civil War veterans that are buried in Box Butte County and the surrounding area and research the biography of the soldier. There are still 54 heroes that need an "adopted family" to help tell their stories. For more information about the program, please contact the Knight Museum and Sandhills Center at 762-2354.

This concludes the Activity Report brought to you by the City of Alliance and KCOW, working together to **"Build the Best Hometown in America!"**

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