

# City of Lawton RSVP

## News & Views

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6 to 8 p.m. City Hall Banquet Hall

### April 4 reception honors our RSVP volunteers

City of Lawton RSVP volunteers, volunteer coordinators, station supervisors and program supporters are invited to a comfy casual cake and punch reception in observance of the fourth annual Mayors Day of Recognition for National Service. Those volunteers who let us know in advance that they are coming will be eligible for door prizes, so please email or phone in your acceptance of this invitation by April 1.

We will also be celebrating the 43rd anniversary of the City of Lawton's sponsorship of its RSVP program (the actual anniversary date is April 23), as well as the 45th anniversary of RSVP nationwide.

Earlier in the day, City of Lawton Mayor Fred Fitch will have issued his proclamation in honor of all of us who, as City of Lawton RSVP volunteers, staff and program supporters, contribute to national service. He will have also led a contingent of our RSVP Lawton Food Bank volunteers in stocking shelves that morning.



Photo by Karen Flowers

Peggy Dewey checks in with Mary Nilsson on March 23 for no-cost assistance and preparation of her 2016 income tax returns. Mary and her husband John Nilsson are both City of Lawton RSVP volunteers and AARP tax preparers at our Center for Creative Living volunteer station. Peggy is also one of our volunteers and regularly logs her national service hours at North Lawton Nutrition Site in the HC King Center.



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### New assistant Laurie Holmes on board

*I was born in Fort Huachuca, Arizona. I am the daughter of a retired Army service man and primarily grew up in Lawton, Oklahoma. Upon graduation from Eisenhower Senior High School I began working for Civil Service, retiring with 34.5 years of service.*

*I have been a volunteer for City of Lawton RSVP since 2012. When I discovered the need for an Administrative Assistant at RSVP, I decided to come out of retirement and apply for the position. I was hired and my first day on the job was January 20, 2016.*

*I look forward to the challenge and I am excited to get to know each of you. Feel free to stop by any time and introduce yourselves.*

In commemoration of Lawton's 114th birthday this past August 6, City of Lawton RSVP volunteer Laurie Holmes delivers a backpack filled with school supplies to Jalyn Thomas, an enrolled citizen of the Seminole Nation.



# Fiesta Chicken Casserole

**Prep**

15 min

**Total**

55 min.

**Serves**

8

1 1/4 cups each

**Bake:** 40 min.**Cost per recipe:** \$23.39

This crowd-pleasing, kicked-up casserole couldn't be easier. It uses canned chicken, soup, corn and beans and is topped with a refrigerated pie crust. It's simply delish!

## What You'll Need

1 jar (16 ounces) Pace® Picante Sauce

1 can (10 1/2 ounces) Campbell's® Condensed Cream of Chicken Soup **or** (10 1/2 ounces) Campbell's® Condensed 98% Fat Free Cream of Chicken Soup

1 cup sour cream

2 cups shredded Cheddar cheese (about 8 ounces)

2 packages (12 ounces each ) frozen whole kernel corn

2 cans (12.5 ounces each ) Swanson® Premium White Chunk Chicken Breast in Water, drained

1 can (about 15 ounces) black beans, rinsed and drained

1 package (about 14 ounces) refrigerated pie crust (2 crusts), at room temperature

## How to Make It

1. Heat the oven to 400°F.
2. Stir the picante sauce, soup, sour cream, cheese, corn, chicken and beans in a large bowl. Spoon the chicken mixture into a 3-quart shallow baking dish.
3. Unfold the pie crusts on a lightly floured surface. Lay the crusts side-by-side so that they overlap by about 3 inches in the center. Press the seam to seal. Roll the pie crust into a 14 x 10-inch rectangle. Place the pie crust over the chicken mixture. Trim the excess crust. Press the crust to the rim to seal. Cut several slits in the crust.
4. Bake for 40 minutes or until the crust is golden brown.

For more great recipies using Campbell's ® soups, go to [www.campbellskitchen.com/recipes](http://www.campbellskitchen.com/recipes)

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