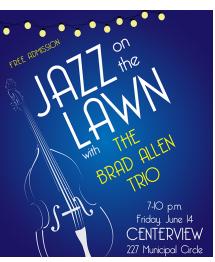


# **WEEKLY REPORT**

Week of May 27, 2019

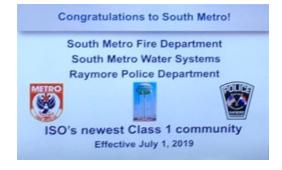
# Upcoming

- Family Art Day, 10 a.m., Saturday, June 8 at Centerview. Children and parents are invited to join the Raymore Arts Commission to decorate a flower pot, plant a flower and take it home! This event is free, but pre-registration is required by Monday, June 3. Contact Communications Specialist Melissa Harmer to register at <a href="mmcghee@raymore.com">mmcghee@raymore.com</a> or 816-892-3002.
- Jazz on the Lawn, 7-10 p.m., Friday, June 14 at Centerview. Bring a chair or blanket and join us for a free summer concert on the lawn at Centerview with The Brad Allen Trio. Learn more at <u>raymore.com/arts</u> or follow the Raymore Arts Commission on <u>Facebook</u>.
- Call for artists for Summer Scene, the Raymore Arts Commission's annual arts and music festival. The festival will be Aug. 24 at Centerview. Local artists and makers are invited to apply for booth space at the festival. Learn more and download the application at raymore.com/summerscene.



#### Administration

City Manager Jim Feuerborn, Asst. City Manager Mike Ekey, Public Works Director Mike Krass and Chief Jan Zimmerman attended the ISO presentation to South Metro Fire as a Class 1 Community.



### City Clerk

• Deputy City Clerk Erica Hill attended KU Public Management Center-Emerging Leaders Academy.

## **Communications**

 Communications Specialist Melissa Harmer participated in the ICMA webinar Rethinking Recycling: Adapting to the New Status Quo.

# **Development Services**

- The Planning and Zoning Commission will meet Tuesday June 4 to consider the <u>annual review and report</u> of the Unified Development Code and the amended site plan for <u>The Lofts at Foxridge</u> apartment community.
- Director Jim Cadoret and Associate Planner David Gress participated in the Communities for All Ages site visit to Hobby Hill Park in Gladstone. The new city park is a great example of an intergenerational park with amenities that accommodate visitors of all ages.

### **Parks & Recreation**

- Recreation Coordinator Katie VanKeulen and park maintenance staff prepared for the opening of Raymore's Original Town Farmers Market. The market is set to begin on Tuesday, June 4 at T.B. Hanna Station from 4-7 p.m.
- Summer Camp starts on Monday, June 3. Recreation Staff has been working hard preparing activities, field trips and the RAC for camp. More information on Raymore's Summer Camp can be found at <a href="https://www.raymore.com/camp">www.raymore.com/camp</a>
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen and Recreation Coordinator Katie VanKeulen met with instructors of the Aging Mastery Program in preparation for a fall 2019 session.
- Recreation youth baseball/softball league photos were held at the RAC on May 28 through May 30.
- Athletic Coordinator Todd Brennon attended the South Metro Sports Coordinators meeting on May 28 and the Raymore United Coaches meeting on May 30.
- Tiny T-ball for ages 3 and 4 year olds begins on May 30. The class is held at Memorial Park.
- The Raymore Tree Board and the Raymore Parks and Recreation Board celebrated Arbor Day by dedicating an American yellowwood tree in the Arboretum at Memorial Park.
- The Raymore Parks and Recreation Board met in regular session on Tuesday, May 28.
- Parks maintenance staff planted flowers at City Hall and Recreation Park.

#### **Police**

- Emergency Management Director Ryan Murdock participated in multiple severe weather and post damage webinars with the National Weather Service.
- Officer Kenny Massa and K-9 partner Moose conducted an exhibition for students at the Grace Early Childhood Education Center in Belton.
- Capt. Jim Wilson attended a demonstration of the "Grappler" vehicle pursuit system at the Blue River Academy in Independence.

- Animal Control Officer Bailey Romi graduated with her Associates in Applied Science for Veterinary Technology. Congrats, ACO Romi!
- Capts. Roger Mayberry and Jim Wilson attended the ISO presentation to South Metro Fire as a Class 1 Community.
- Capt. Jim Wilson and Chief Jan Zimmerman met with Foxwood Springs Director Brian Peterson regarding traffic issues.
- Chief Jan Zimmerman served as an assessor for a promotional process for the Belton Police Department.
- MPR Law Enforcement Liaison Aaron Ambrose delivered the MILO Firearms Training Simulator to the Police Department and trained several members in its operation.
- Animal Control Officers Jamie Hasenyager and Bailey Romi, Capt. Roger Mayberry and Chief Jan Zimmerman met with Assistant City Manager Mike Ekey, Finance Director Elisa Williams and Communications Specialist Melissa Harmer to discuss pet licensing and other animal control issues.



- The water meter conversion program is scheduled to start Monday, June 3. Please visit the City's website at <a href="mailto:raymore.com/water">raymore.com/water</a> for more details regarding this project.
- Bids were received for the annual street preservation project.
- Staff provided review comments for the Edgewater at Creekmoor 7th Plat.
- Engineering Staff is assisting Development Services with preparation of a traffic analysis for the proposed Conway Place rezoning.

