

WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Oct. 7, 2019

Upcoming

- City Hall and Centerview will be closed on Monday, Oct. 14 for employee training and development. Normal hours will resume on Tuesday, Oct. 15.
- **80s/90s Dance Party, 8-11 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 19 at the Raymore Activity Center.** Get down in your throwback gear and dance the night away at this 21+ dance party! \$5 at the door. Enjoy a cash bar, complimentary snacks and a photo booth! [Learn more.](#)
- **Vintage Circus Gala presented by Holmes Murphy, 6-9 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 26, 2019 at Centerview.** Tickets are available for this fundraiser for the Hawk's Nest inclusive playground. Learn more about the gala at raymore.com/gala. Contact Melissa Harmer at 816-892-3002 or mharmer@raymore.com for more information or to purchase tickets.



Communications

- Communications Specialist Melissa Harmer presented to the Raymore-Peculiar Sunrise Optimist Club on the topic of the Hawk's Nest inclusive playground and the upcoming fundraiser for the playground, the [Vintage Circus Gala presented by Holmes Murphy](#).
- Communications Specialist Melissa Harmer, Finance Director Lisa Williams and Utility Billing Technician Amiee Boyd attended KC Water's Regional Water Summit in Kansas City.

Development Services

- Associate Planner David Gress participated in the Mid-America Regional Council Solid Waste Management District Board meeting.
- Building Official Jon Woerner met with the Building Code Task Force created to assist in the review of the 2018 International Building Codes for possible adoption by the City.
- Alissa Karnes, representing Compass Health Network, filed a site plan application for the proposed [Compass Health facility](#) to be located on the east side of Sunset Lane, north of 58 Highway.
- The Planning and Zoning Commission will meet Oct. 15 to consider the [rezoning](#) of 3.8 acres located on the east side of Adams Street, south of Grant Street, from "C-2" General Commercial District to "R-3B" Apartment Community District.
- Director Jim Cadoret participated in an American Planning Association webinar on "Having a Better Planning Commission Meeting."

Parks & Recreation

- Athletic Coordinator Todd Brennon prepared for team photo day for Soccer and Volleyball scheduled for this Saturday, Oct. 12, at Raymore Elementary.
- Park maintenance staff poured new tee-pads on the disc golf course that were removed during construction of the RAC and Recreation Park Pond. Additional clean-up of the disc golf course was performed in preparation of the Raymore Rumble Disc Golf tournament on Oct. 27.
- Heartland Tree Alliance and Forest Re-Leaf donated 70 trees for Hawk Ridge Park. Park staff picked up the trees and will begin planting this fall. A variety of oaks, bald cypress and ornamentals were donated.
- Administrative staff attended the bid opening for T.B. Hanna Site Work.
- The Parks & Recreation Board held a work session in the Gilmore Room at Centerview on Oct. 8. Topics of discussion included Park Maintenance Standards, GO Bond projects and capital improvement projects.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen attended the Raymore Cub Scout Pack 4315 meeting this week. The troop built several bat houses that were donated to the Parks & Recreation Department.



Police

- Officer Kenny Massa and his partner Moose attended Advanced K-9 training at the Belton Police Department.

- Capt. Jim Wilson and a marked Raymore Police vehicle participated in a Channel 9 Public Service Announcement about SAFE and the upcoming Guns N Hoses Charity Boxing event.



- Sgt. Cory Miller attended Veteran Crisis Intervention Team training at the Kansas City Regional Police Academy.

- Officers attended the Lowe's safety event to share information about their equipment and job duties with the attendees.

- Det. Don Shepard attended FBI LEEDA training at the Blue River Police Academy.

- Chief Jan Zimmerman attended the Metropolitan Chiefs and Sheriffs meeting in Riverside to hear a presentation from representatives of American Digital Security about the use of camera technology.

- Members of the Police Department's RAPTOR Unit provided an aerial drone demonstration for law enforcement classes at Ray-Pec High School. Several of the students were selected as "fugitives" and hid among the trees and brush adjacent to the school campus. Unfortunately for them, it wasn't long before RAPTOR's thermal imaging camera revealed their locations!



- Lt. Aly Abdelgawad, Capt. Roger Mayberry and Chief Jan Zimmerman met with representatives from CZ USA, First Tactical and Gear Zone to discuss uniform needs.

Public Works

- Engineering staff reviewed plans for Cunningham 4th plat.
- The contractor replaced curb in Cantor Ridge subdivision.
- Engineering staff received the plans and stormwater study for Compass Health Development.
- Engineering staff reviewed plans for Kentucky Road Project.
- Operations crews mudjacked sidewalks, pulled water samples, maintained equipment, assisted meter conversion contractors and painted road stripes.