

WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Feb. 15, 2021

City Hall is open to the public by appointment only through February. Residents are urged to conduct City Hall business by phone or online at raymore.com.

The Raymore Police Department lobby will remain open. You can call the police to make a non-emergency report or to obtain a report at 816-331-0530.

Utility payments may be dropped off in the drop box by the City Hall parking lot. Secure online payments without fees can be made 24/7 at raymore.com/pay or over the phone at 866-271-1233.

Please take precautions to keep yourself and your loved ones healthy and curb the spread of COVID-19 in our community.

Upcoming

- **Register for spring youth sports!** Registration deadlines for youth soccer, flag football have been extended to Feb. 26. Youth volleyball registration will close March 5. Learn more about Raymore Parks & Recreation youth sports and register at www.raymore.com/sports
- **Only two weekends left to enjoy The Rink at T.B. Hanna Station!** The ice rink at 214 S. Washington St. will be open to the public Fridays from 3-7 p.m., Saturdays from 1-7 p.m. and Sundays from 1-6 p.m. before closing for the season at 6 p.m. on Feb. 28. Skate rentals are \$5 per person. Private rentals are available through the week and before and after public skate sessions. For more information and updates about The Rink, visit www.raymore.com/skate.
- **Join our Community Conversation, 6 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 23, online via Zoom.** Raymore residents, business owners and stakeholders are invited to meet virtually to discuss the future of Raymore. Learn more and RSVP at raymore.com/community



Administration

- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur participated in the fourth and final webinar presentation on COVID-19 Issues in General Liability, presented by MVP law.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur met with Lynchpin, a communications and branding firm to discuss rebranding ideas for the HR Purpose Statement and Mission Statements.

Development Services

- The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval of the preliminary plat for the 4th phase of [Alexander Creek](#) Subdivision. The City Council will consider the request on March 8.
- Building Official Jon Woerner completed his review of the construction plans for the proposed [Heartland Dental](#) building in the Raymore Market Center.
- Building Official Jon Woerner completed his review of the remodel plans for Harvest Dispensary, a state approved dispensary location for medical marijuana, to locate in the former Steak 'n Shake building in the Raymore Galleria.
- The Board of Appeals will meet on Feb. 24 to consider an order of demolition issued by Building Official Jon Woerner regarding the fire damaged home located at 1231 Wiltshire Blvd.
- Building Official Jon Woerner completed his review of the construction plans for the residential townhome units in [The Venue of The Good Ranch](#). Construction plans for the clubhouse are under review.

Parks & Recreation

- Park Maintenance staff helped with the snow removal this week. During this bitter cold, staff have been checking facilities and plumbing for frozen and damaged pipes. Staff continue repainting Centerview lobby and public areas.
- Deadlines for spring sports have been set. Soccer and Flag Football deadline to register is February 26 and the youth volleyball league is March 5. Log onto www.raymore.com to register or call the Parks and Recreation Office.
- The RAC will host a youth Volleyball tournament this weekend. This no-spectator tournament will live stream via social media for those who are participating.
- Recreation Coordinator Corinne Daut met with coordinators from Chandler, Arizona, and Cedar Hills, Texas, to plan the first national recreation esports league. The league is scheduled to start in July and allows our Raymore teams to compete nationally.
- Recreation Coordinator Corinne Daut participated in the National Recreation and Parks Association student outreach webinar teaching

students how to move into the field (resumes, interview techniques, internships, etc).

- Kahoot Trivia night was held online Tuesday and week three of our Fornite Esports league was held Wednesday.
- Recreation Superintendent Jimmy Gibbs participated in two virtual trainings through the National Recreation and Parks Association. Sessions included Americans with Disabilities Act, current trends for parks and recreation and Responding to Disaster; The Role of Parks and Recreation webinar.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen participated in the Board of Directors meeting for the Missouri Parks and Recreation Association. Musteen also hosted a Zoom meeting with Unlimited Play to discuss the Hawk's Nest Inclusive Playground.

Police

- The newly appointed Director of the Cass County Emergency Services Board, Marie Ahearn, observed in the Raymore Communications Unit.
- Emergency Management Director Ryan Murdock participated in the SEMA Region A meeting via Zoom.
- Chief Jan Zimmerman hosted a Zoom meeting for the Surviving Spouse and Family Endowment Advisory Board.
- Recruit Officers Jacob Keltner and Riley Bridgers completed all requirements of the Kansas City Police Department Academy and participated in their graduation ceremony. In attendance were family members and several members of the Raymore Police Department, including the Command Staff.
- Officers Keltner and Bridgers were sworn in during a ceremony in the City Council chambers.
- Lt. Aly Abdelgawad attended the Mid America Crisis Intervention Team Council Governing Board meeting via Zoom to meet with committees on budget, marketing and education efforts.
- Animal Control Officer Jamie Hasenyager met with Belton Animal Control to discuss Animal Welfare Ordinance proposals for both cities.
- Animal Control Officer Jamie Hasenyager organized a Volunteer Day with the Belton FFA Chapter Director for next week along with a donation drive for supplies.



Public Works

- **Engineering**
 - The Engineering Department is currently reviewing plans for the Venue at the Good Ranch.
- **Operations and Maintenance**
 - 15 City Hall Work Orders
 - 24 Possible Frozen Meters
 - 9 Meters Replaced
 - 76 Line Locates
 - 3 Snow Events
 - 679 Overtime Hours
 - 259 Tons of Salt
 - Repaired frozen meters
 - Worked three snow events throughout the week

