

WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Oct. 11, 2021

Upcoming

- **Cass Recycle is hosting the Electronics Recycling Event, 8 a.m.-noon, Saturday, Oct. 16, at Family Center Farm & Home, 2601 Cantrell Road, Harrisonville.** Properly dispose of your old computer, television, & other electronics. Help save landfill space and protect our water and environment. Some items are free to recycle and fees are associated with certain items. [Learn more.](#)

- **[Trucktoberfest](#), 5:30-8:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 22, at Recreation Park.** Enjoy live music from classic rock cover band RosenBridgeKC and food from multiple food trucks at this annual event. Food and drink vendors include: PCY on the Go; The Jiggy Pig; One More Scoop; Jack's Old Fashioned Kettle Corn, Lemonade & Cotton Candy; Da Poke Wagon; Chick-fil-a; and Embrace the Grape.



- Admission is free. Most vendors take cash and cards.
- **Jack-o'-lantern Painting Class, 6-8 p.m., Friday, Oct. 22 at Centerview.** This class is for all ages and skill levels! Our instructor will guide you through the entire way. All materials are provided and the fee is \$35 per person. [Register online](#) or call 816-322-2791.

Administration

- City Council approved the first read of the proposed fiscal year 2022 City budget at Monday's City Council meeting.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur and Benefits Specialist Nathan Reed hosted the annual all-staff training and benefits presentation at Centerview on Oct. 11.

City Clerk

- The [materials for the Monday, Oct. 18](#) work session of the Raymore City Council have been posted online.

Development Services

- The Board of Adjustment will meet on Oct. 19 to consider a [variance](#) application filed by Matt Meiron to reduce a required side yard setback requirement for an accessory building for his property at 415 S. Adams Street.
- The Planning and Zoning Commission will meet on Oct. 19 to consider: the replat of [Stegmaier Acres](#) Lot 2; the [Eastbrooke at Creekmoor](#) Third Final Plat; The [Hawk Ridge Park West](#) site plan; the 7th amendment to the [Creekmoor Memorandum of Understanding](#); and the [34th amendment](#) to the Unified Development Code.
- Economic Development Director David Gress participated in the [grand opening ribbon cutting for the Community America Credit Union](#) facility located at 1400 W. Foxwood Dr.



Parks & Recreation

- Superintendent Jimmy Gibbs will be purchasing new maintenance tools for the ice rink.
- Parks and Recreation Staff met to go over the conversion of T.B. Hanna Station. During November, T.B. Hanna Station will be converted into a winter park as department staff convert The Depot into the ice rink, receive the Mayor's Christmas tree and prepare the park for the holiday season.
- Parks Superintendent Steve Rulo met with a local boy scout about his upcoming Eagle Scout project at Hawk Ridge Park.
- Park staff that participate on the snow plow team attended the annual kickoff meeting on Friday. Park staff also prepared the baseball complex for the last tournament of the season this weekend.
- Recreation Coordinator Corinne Daut attended the National Recreation and Parks Association Young Professionals Network leadership team meeting and the Missouri Parks and Recreation Young Professionals meeting.
- Athletic Coordinator Todd Brennon hosted a South Metro Sports Coordinators meeting, Brennon also rescheduled several youth athletic games to complete the fall sports season.
- Superintendent Jimmy Gibbs and Athletic Coordinator Todd Brennon purchased new appliances for the concession stand as part of the Eat Smart in Parks grant.

- The Parks and Recreation Board attended a tour of the Parks on Tuesday. Parks & Recreation Director Nathan Musteen and Parks Superintendent Steve Rulo took the Park Board members to each park discussing amenities on site, future plans, current maintenance schedules and maintenance needs.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen and Park Board Chairman Steve Trautman attended the ribbon cutting ceremony for the Community America Credit Union and received a donation of \$3,500 toward the Hawk's Nest All-Inclusive Playground.

Police

- Lt. Aly Abdelgawad gave a presentation to the City Council regarding Crisis Intervention, Mental Health Training and Police Suicide.
- Chief Jan Zimmerman gave a presentation about SAFE to the Belton City Council at their regular meeting.
- A candidate for the open Communications Officer position observed operations in Dispatch.
- Capt. Roger Mayberry, IT Senior Technician Austin Loar and Communications Supervisor Adrienne Rinehart attended CAD/RMS vendor demos at the Cass County Sheriff's Office.
- Two oral boards were conducted for open Communications Officer positions.
- Capt. Jim Wilson participated in the Ray-Pec School Security Task Force meeting at the Administration Building in Peculiar.
- Communications Supervisor Adrienne Rinehart attended the Cass Career Center's Fall Advisory Meeting for their Criminal Justice Program.
- Capt. Jim Wilson and Chief Jan Zimmerman participated in the Cass County Chiefs and Sheriff meeting hosted by the Peculiar Police Department.
- Testing was conducted on two Police Officer applicants.
- Assistant City Manager Mike Ekey, Capts. Roger Mayberry and Jim Wilson and Chief Jan Zimmerman toured the new Source Medical Marijuana Dispensary and discussed security protocols for the facility.
- Sgt. Josh Giacone attended Calibre Press training, "Finding the Leader in You," at the Kansas City Regional Police Academy.
- Lt. Aly Abdelgawad attended a strategic planning meeting, for the Mid America Crisis Intervention Team Council, to develop the long term plans to achieve the goals of the Council.
- Capt. Jim Wilson met with RayPec Seniors for their Senior Drive Project.

Animal Control

- Animal Control officers transferred an injured bird to Lakeside Nature Center.
- The transfer of a dog was completed to Furry Kids Refuge.
- The shelter is at capacity for dogs. ACOs are hopeful to find foster/rescue placement to open some space. If you are interested in fostering a dog in order to give a loving home while permanent placement is found, all supplies are provided! Contact the Raymore Animal Shelter to learn more about fostering at raymoreanimalcontrol@raymore.com or Facebook [@raymoreanimalshelter](https://www.facebook.com/raymoreanimalshelter).



Public Works

Engineering

- Public Works Director Mike Krass attended a pre-development meeting with Development Services for a parcel of land located at the NW corner of Dean and Lucy Webb Road.
- The contractor working on City Hall completed the paver entryway this week.

Operations and Maintenance

- It's that time of year! Operations and Maintenance held a snow and ice control kickoff meeting on Friday.