

WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Dec. 5, 2022

Upcoming

Holiday Movie Night: Elf, 7 p.m. TONIGHT Friday, Dec. 9 at Centerview. Bring a blanket or chair to this free showing of Elf!

Ice skate at The Rink at T.B. Hanna Station, 214 S. Washington St. Saturdays 1-7 p.m. and Sundays 1-6 p.m. Skate rentals are \$5 per person (cash only) and available in sizes toddler 8 to adult 14. Learn more about

The Rink, see the upcoming extended holiday hours during Christmas break and get information on private rink rentals at www.raymore.com/skate.

Whataburger Traffic Plan for grand opening Monday, Dec. 12: Whataburger, 1921 W. Foxwood Drive, will open at 11 a.m., Monday, Dec. 12. Raymore Police will be on site to assist with traffic control starting at 9 a.m. Police will not allow backups on 58 Highway, so there will not be access to Whataburger directly from 58 Highway during times of high volume traffic at the restaurant. If you plan to visit Whataburger in its first few days of business, please use Dean Avenue to enter the parking lot at the former Office Max building and follow directions from officers. [View a traffic plan map on our website.](#)

Glow Skate, 7-9 p.m., Friday, Dec. 30 at The Rink at T.B. Hanna Station, 214 S. Washington St. Skate in the dark with glow sticks and glow paint and enjoy refreshments at Glow Skate! \$10 per person. [Register online by 5 p.m., Dec. 22.](#)



HOLIDAY MOVIE NIGHT

Elf

7 p.m., Friday, Dec. 9 at Centerview
Chairs available or bring your own comfy chair or blanket.
Free showing!

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parks & recreation



City Clerk

- The materials for the Raymore City Council meeting on Monday, Dec. 12, have been posted [online](#).
- Occupational licenses expire Dec. 31. Renewal notices have been mailed to each license holder. For information on occupational license renewals, please visit www.raymore.com/renew.
- The General Municipal election for the City of Raymore for the offices of City Council will be held April 4, 2023. Filing for this election opens at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 20, and continues through 5 p.m. on Jan. 17, 2023. A \$20 filing fee is required at the time the candidate declares candidacy. All four (4) wards will elect one candidate to serve a two (2) year term. Information is as follows:
 - Councilmember Ward 1, 2-year term: currently held by Victoria Wills
 - Councilmember Ward 2, 2-year term: currently held by Joseph Burke III
 - Councilmember Ward 3, 2-year term: currently held by Kevin Barber
 - Councilmember Ward 4, 2-year term: currently held by John P. BerendzenFor more information, [visit the City Clerk's website](#).

Communications

- Communications Manager Melissa Harmer and Raymore Arts Commissioners Pat Setser and Bob Berry attended the fifth annual Raymore Arts Commission Holiday Sing Along at St. Paul's United Methodist Church. Thank you to everyone at St. Paul's who coordinated the event, organist Ramona Jenkins, choir director Stephen Rew, Ray-Pec choir students and all who attended!
- Against the Wind, a sculpture by Joe and Terry Malesky of Stafford, Missouri, was installed Friday afternoon near the Eagle Glen Trail southeast of the South Fox Ridge Drive and Johnston Parkway intersection. The piece will be on display for two years as part of the Raymore Arts Commission's rotating public art program.



Development Services

- Economic Development Director Brandon Keller was invited to attend the Raymore Peculiar Sunrise Optimist Club meeting on Tuesday to share information about projects including Whataburger, Johnny's Tavern and more!
- The Planning and Zoning Commission met on Tuesday, Dec. 6, and recommended approval of a



site plan request for Mr. Handyman, located on the east side of MO-58 Highway, south of Pine Street, as well as a final plat request for the Estates at Knoll Creek 2nd final plat.

- Economic Development Director Brandon Keller attended a networking meeting hosted by Everygy Economic Development to meet and network with new team members.
- Development Services Director David Gress and GIS Coordinator Heather Eisenbarth met with representatives of the Raymore-Peculiar School District to discuss opportunities to incorporate GIS into district projects and initiatives.
- Development Services Director David Gress and Economic Development Director Brandon Keller attended the Raymore Chamber Coffee Connect hosted by Country Club Bank, as well as the Annual Board Retreat of the Raymore Chamber of Commerce.
- Development Services staff scheduled a Good Neighbor meeting for Wednesday, Dec. 14, 2022, at 6 p.m. in the Council Chamber of City Hall to discuss a proposed car wash located in the Foxwood Plaza development, west of Culver's. The applicant is seeking approval to locate a non-sales-tax generating business within an existing Tax Increment Financing District. Residents are invited to attend.

Human Resources

- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur participated in the Central Region Board of Directors meeting.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur attended the Midwest Public Risk Board of Directors meeting.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur participated in Shop with a Cop.

Parks & Recreation

- Athletic Coordinator Todd Brennon coached make-up classes for Kindergarten Basketball on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Volunteer coaches are always being recruited! [Click here to become a volunteer coach!](#)
- Park Superintendent Steve Rulo met with plumbing contractors on scheduled repairs to the water backflow system at the RAC.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen outlined significant progress



- The extension of 163rd Street to the East property line of the Creekmoor Subdivision is underway. This project will wrap up in the spring of 2023.
- The 2022 curb replacement project will be finishing up curb replacement in the Heritage Hills neighborhood. They will be moving into curb patching that will take place in various locations across Raymore.
- The sanitary sewer line on the Parkside 1st Plat will be completed next week. The contractor plans to start working on installing the storm sewer lines after completion of the sanitary sewer.

Operations and Maintenance

- 26 City Hall Work Orders
- 1 Driveway Inspections
- 30 Final ROW Inspections
- 138 Locates
- 21 Service Requests
- 6 Water Inspections
- 2 Sidewalk Inspection
- 6 Water Taps
- Fleet maintenance
- Water main break at Old Mill Rd on 12/06/22
- Bi monthly water samples
- Finished dirt work on Pine St from service line hit
- Made and replaced ID signs throughout the City
- Picked up new fleet vehicles
- Made and installed decals on new fleet vehicles
- Completed tree clearance work orders
- Loaded and sold scrap metal at scrap yard
- Cleaned up and organized sign shop
- Uploaded and entered annual backflow reports
- Completed water service requests
- Activated new water meters
- Picked up and dropped off recycling carts for the recycling program
- Tested GPS units in snow trucks and equipment
- Picked up parts from Knapheide
- Picked up snow maps from laminator
- Changed snow blade out on in truck 215
- Replaced spreader module for truck 370
- Adjusted spray nozzles for pre-wet systems in dump trucks