

## WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Sept. 18, 2023

### Upcoming

- **Household Hazardous Waste Mobile Collection, 8 a.m.-noon (or until trucks are full), Saturday, Sept. 23 at Eagle Glen Elementary, 100 S. Foxridge Dr.** Safely dispose of automotive products, antifreeze, batteries, CFL lightbulbs and more. Must show proof of residency in Raymore, Belton or other participating HHW community. Get all the details at [www.raymore.com/hhw](http://www.raymore.com/hhw)
- **Raymore drivers should be aware of upcoming road work projects on Prairie Lane and at the intersection of Dean Avenue and North Cass Parkway starting Sept. 25, 2023:**
  - Dean Avenue and North Cass Parkway:** Sosaya Electrical Construction will begin work on the installation of a traffic signal at the Dean Avenue and North Cass Parkway intersection the week of Monday, Sept. 25. Signage will alert drivers to temporary lane closures while the work is taking place. Please be extra cautious in construction zones and slow down around workers and equipment.
  - Prairie Lane:** The contractor will begin milling Prairie Lane between 58 Highway and 155th Street on Monday, Sept. 25. Signage and flaggers will alert drivers to temporary lane closures while the work is ongoing. Use extra caution and slow down in construction zones. The City of Raymore recently entered into a cost-share agreement with Cass County to complete the improvements to Prairie Lane to prepare for the months-long closure of Ward Road and the additional traffic that will inevitably be using Prairie Lane during Ward Road's complete reconstruction, which is scheduled for 2024. The Prairie Lane improvements include repair, construction and overlay.
- **FINAL RAYMORE FARMERS MARKET OF THE YEAR, 4-7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 26 at Centerview's lot and back lawn, 227 Municipal Circle.** Shop for locally grown produce and fall plants, honey, home baked goods, salsa, handmade crafts and decor and more at the market.

### Administration

- City Manager Jim Feuerborn, Assistant City Manager Ryan Murdock and Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur met with McGrath Consulting to review preliminary results regarding the Compensation Class study. The next meeting is scheduled for next month.

### **City Clerk**

- The materials for the City Council meeting on Sept. 25 are [available online](#).

### **Development Services**

- The regularly scheduled meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission meeting for Sept. 19 was canceled.
- Development Services Director David Gress attended the September Board meeting of the Raymore Chamber of Commerce

### **Economic Development**

- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea attended the International Economic Development Council's annual conference.

### **Human Resources**

- Human Resources Shawn Aulgur attended the Heartland Public Risk Management Association conference.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur attended the DisruptHR Kansas City event.

### **Parks & Recreation**

- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen participated in several project meetings this week including the Raymore Activity Center Expansion, the skatepark and the disc golf course redesign project.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen presented a program for new scoreboards at Recreation Park to the City Council during the work session on Sept. 18.
- Parks maintenance fixed a water leak that occurred at Recreation Park.
- Parks crew prepared for an adult softball tournament that will be held at Recreation Park on Sunday, Sept. 24.
- Recreation Coordinator Corinne Harkins attended the National Recreation & Park Associations Young Professionals Networking meeting that was held over Zoom on Tuesday.
- Recreation Superintendent Todd Brennon ordered storage pods in order to store equipment that is currently being stored in the Raymore Activity Center. Due to the

construction of the Raymore Activity Center Expansion, the storage room will need to be cleaned out within the next couple of weeks.

- Athletic Coordinator Nick Cook placed food and drink orders for the concession stands at Recreation Park and the Raymore Activity Center.
- Athletic Coordinator Nick Cook completed volunteer paperwork for the LEAD program with the Raymore-Peculiar School District. Ray-Pec students will volunteer their assistance with the Parks and Recreation Department as part of their program through the LEAD Center.

### **Police**

- On Wednesday Chief Wilson, Capt. Abdelgawad, Capt. Billings and Lt. German attended a zoom meeting with Axon in regards to the installation of the new Fleet 3 in-car camera systems.
- Chief Wilson, along with Engineering members Pacal Smith and Trent Salisbury, met with representatives from Total Range Solutions by way of conference call regarding repair to the firing range start up process.
- Members of the Raymore Police Department command staff, IT staff and Axon all participated in a Zoom meeting to discuss the upcoming installation of the Fleet 3 cameras in the police patrol vehicles.
- Capt. Aly Abdelgawad taught Building Resilience; Surviving Secondary Trauma in Warrensburg, as part of their Basic Crisis Intervention Team training.
- Several members of the police department attended the Peculiar Lions Club First Responders Dinner at the Peculiar Lions Club Community Center.
- Chief Wilson attended the Cass County Fire Arson Investigator meeting in Raymore.
- Communications Supervisor Adrienne Rinehart attended several CentralSquare project meetings, the Cass County Emergency Services Board Meeting and the Cass County Dispatch Supervisors Meeting, all in Harrisonville.
- Chief Wilson attended the Cass County Emergency Services Board meeting in Harrisonville.
- Chief Wilson met with representatives from Nightstick in Raymore.

### **Public Works Engineering**

- Paving at Knoll Creek Phase 2 started and is expected to be completed by the end of next week.
- Work on the Hunter's Glen storm repairs is expected to be completed next week.
- Edge striping was completed on 155th Street.
- Assistant City Engineer Trent Salsbury attended a meeting for the MARC Solid Waste Management District Board on Wednesday.

#### **Operations and Maintenance**

- Utility staff continued the annual sewer jetting program.
- Staff responded to a water main break in the 400 block of West Foxwood Drive.
- Staff completed roadside mowing.
- Staff made preparations for the HHW event on Saturday.