

## WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Dec. 25, 2023

### Upcoming

- **City Hall will be closed Monday, Jan. 1 in observance of New Year's Day. There will be no trash/recycling/yard waste service for Constable Sanitation customers Jan. 1.** Trash service will be delayed by one day this week for all residents. Bulky item pickup is always the first trash pickup day of the month. Find more information on bulky items at [www.raymore.com/trash](http://www.raymore.com/trash) under the BULKY ITEMS drop down tab.
- **Holiday hours at The Rink at T.B. Hanna Station, 214 S. Washington St.** Skate rentals are \$5 per person (cash only) and available in sizes toddler 8 to adult 14.
  - 1-7 p.m., Dec. 29, Dec. 30
  - 1-5 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 31
  - 1-7 p.m., Monday, Jan. 1 - Wednesday, Jan. 3

Regular ice rink hours resume Friday, Jan. 5. Learn more and check for weather-related closures at [www.raymore.com/skate](http://www.raymore.com/skate)

- **Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) meeting, 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 4, 2024, at Centerview, 227 Municipal Cir.** Interested in serving as a volunteer if a disaster situation, such as a tornado, were to happen in Raymore? The CERT program trains volunteers in basic disaster response skills like fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization and disaster medical operations. Learn more at our CERT meeting. [Click here to visit our website for details and the meeting agenda.](#)
- **The General Municipal election for the City of Raymore for the offices of City Council will be held April 2, 2024. Filing for this election opened at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 19, and continues through 5 p.m. on Jan. 16, 2024 (City Hall is closed Jan. 15).** 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:  
Councilmember Ward 1, 2-year term: currently held by Reginald Townsend  
Councilmember Ward 2, 2-year term: currently held by Tabitha Forster  
Councilmember Ward 3, 2-year term: currently held by Jay Holman  
Councilmember Ward 4, 2-year term: currently held by Sonja Abdelgawad  
For more information, visit the [City Clerk's website.](#)

### **City Clerk**

- The regularly scheduled City Council work session for Monday, Jan. 1 has been canceled.
- Occupational licenses expire on Dec. 31. Please visit our [website](#) for occupational license renewal information or contact City Clerk Erica Hill at 816-331-3324 or [cityclerk@raymore.com](mailto:cityclerk@raymore.com).

### **Parks & Recreation**

- Park Maintenance crews painted interior walls at Centerview.
- Park Maintenance crews participated in the snow event earlier this week.
- Recreation staff worked on upcoming programs and office organization.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen worked with Engineering staff on a trails project. Musteen also worked on the comprehensive plan.

### **Police**

- Communications Supervisor Adrienne Rinehart and Chief Wilson attended the retirement ceremony of Lieutenant James Kirkpatrick of the Peculiar Police Department.
- Chief Wilson evaluated several Federal Bureau Investigations National Academy Associates training classes submitted for the 2024 National Conference.
- Officers conducted traffic enforcement for the MoDOT Holiday Impaired Driving Campaign.

### **Public Works**

#### **Engineering**

- The Dean Avenue Access Modification meeting was held between Wilson & Company, Walmart and the City of Raymore. Design for this project will take place during the first half of 2024.
- City staff are working with the Parks & Recreation Department on a project to fix the trails in Memorial Park and Recreation Park.
- The new traffic signal at North Cass Parkway and Dean Avenue is scheduled to become fully operational on Jan. 3, 2024.

### **Operations and Maintenance**

- 12 City Hall Work Orders



- 42 Locates
- 8 Service Requests
- Prepped vehicles and equipment for winter event
- Snow stand by
- Winter event 12/26/23 - 12/28/23
- Cleaned and unloaded snow equipment off vehicles