Weekly Report



Week of March 20, 2017

Upcoming

 Enjoy an evening of food trucks and live music at T.B. Hanna Station Park. The second annual Friday Food Fest will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday, March 31. The Interstate 49 Band will playing throughout the evening.

Confirmed food trucks include:

- o <u>Cajun Cabin</u>
- o KC Pinoy
- American Fusion
- The Carlsons
- o Slaters Pizza & Wings
- CoffeeCakeKC



For more information, visit www.Raymore.com and click on the calendar or call 816-322-2791.

Administration

- The City Council Parks & Recreation Board and City staff attended a hardhat tour of Centerview to see construction progress at the new community event space on Municipal Circle. The tour included updates from DRAW architecture and Strub Construction. The building is expected to be open early this summer and can be rented by residents for a variety of events and community gatherings. Centerview will also be the new administrative headquarters for the Parks & Recreation Department. For more information about Centerview, visit www.Raymore.com/BondProjects.
- City Manager Jim Feuerborn, IT Manager Jim Mayberry and Chief Jan Zimmerman met with representatives from Comcast about network connectivity for Centerview.
- IT Manager Jim Mayberry met with Steve Welch regarding security cameras for the Public Works facility.
- Communications Director Mike Ekey and Public Works Director Mike Krass appeared on Foxwood Spring TV to discuss a number of projects throughout the City. To learn more about upcoming Public Works projects, visit www.Raymore.com/PublicWorks and click on Current Projects.

Community Development

- The Planning & Zoning Commission met Tuesday and approved the <u>Community for All</u>
 <u>Ages Master Plan</u>. The Plan will be submitted to the Mid-America Regional Council for
 Raymore to achieve Gold Level recognition as a Community for All Ages.
- Three <u>variance applications</u> have been submitted to the Board of Adjustment for consideration at its April 8 meeting.
- Director Jim Cadoret participated in the Wireless Facilities in the Right-of-Way webinar sponsored by the Municipal Officials Training Academy.
- Building Official Jon Woerner reviewed construction plans for Mod's Pizza to locate in the Raymore Marketplace Center at 1937 W. Foxwood Drive.

Parks & Recreation

- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen, Recreation Superintendent John McLain and Parks Superintendent Steve Rulo met with representatives of the Missouri Department of Conservation and the architect team, Confluence, regarding projects at Hawk Ridge Park. To learn more about the project at Hawk Ridge, visit www.Raymore.com/BondProjects.
- Parks & Recreation Director Nathan Musteen and Parks Superintendent Steve Rulo met with Rosehill Gardens, Draw Architecture and Straub Construction to develop the landscaping plans at Centerview.
- Athletic Coordinator Michael Hedrick constructed game schedules for recreational soccer, volleyball, flag football and competitive baseball. Coaches returned equipment for youth basketball on Tuesday night. Staff also held a coaches' meeting for volleyball on Thursday.
- The concession stands were prepped for the upcoming season and baseball tournaments. A technician from Pepsi set up the new fountain machines and delivered the first round of soad products for the season.
- Recreation Coordinator Jerri Keith held interviews for summer camp counselor and director positions.
- Recreation Superintendent John McLain and Parks Superintendent Steve Rulo met with Grand Slam Tournament organizer Randy Bates to go over this year's tournament schedule and rental agreements.
- Park staff lined and painted the soccer fields for games beginning April 1. Staff also prepared the baseball fields for a tournament on March 31.
- Park staff mulched the roundabouts and trimmed a oak trees in the island on Walker Drive.
- Staff worked with Kansas City Power & Light to take remove a security light at the Recreation Park baseball concession stand to make room for the Shade Structures. The light will be removed the week of March 27.
- Park Staff pressurized and tested the irrigation system at City Hall.

Police

- Chief Jan Zimmerman was the keynote speaker at the Downtown Marriott Hotel, for the opening ceremony at the annual conference of Alpha Phi Sigma, the National Criminal Justice Honor Society.
- Capt. Roger Mayberry participated as Treasurer in the meeting of the Cass County Emergency Services Board in Harrisonville.
- Emergency Management Director Ryan Murdock held a training at Foxwood Springs showing residents how to use and program weather radios. Murdock also appeared on Foxwood Springs TV to discuss the upcoming severe weather season.
- Capt. Roger Mayberry attended the Safety Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) meeting in Harrisonville.
- Chief Jan Zimmerman participated in the Greater Kansas City Public Safety Credit Union Board meeting in Kansas City.
- Emergency Management Director Ryan Murdock attended the Regional Homeland Security Coordinating Council meeting at the Mid America Regional Council.

Public Works

- Taking advantage of the warm weather, Public Works crews completed sidewalk repairs, street repairs, sewer jetting projects and street sweeping projects throughout the City.
- Director Mike Krass and Assistant Director Steve Welch attended training at Mid-America Regional Council for the Operation Green Light Traffic Signal Software.