

WEEKLY REPORT

Week of May 14, 2018

Upcoming

Raymore Parks & Recreation will host the annual <u>Walter Buck Memorial Fishing Derby</u> from 9-11 a.m., Saturday, June 2 at Johnston Lake at Hawk Ridge Park. Children 15 and under are invited to fish to win prizes at this **free** event. Registration starts at 8 a.m.



Administration

- HR Manager Shawn Aulgur participated in a planning meeting for the August IPMA-HR fall kickoff meeting as the newly elected Program Chair.
- IT Manager Jim Mayberry attended a meeting regarding Cyber Security at Midwest Public Risk.

City Clerk

• City Clerk Jeanie Woerner administered the oath of office for new Raymore Police Officers Maurice Lang, Jr. and Gary Cochran.

Communications

- Communications Specialist Melissa McGhee and Animal Control Officer Jamie Hasenyager attended the Humane Society of the United States Animal Care Expo 2018 at the Kansas City Convention Center.
- Communications Specialist Melissa McGhee met with members of the <u>Summer Scene</u> planning committee to finalize details for the arts and music festival on Saturday, June 9 at T.B. Hanna Station.

Community Development

- Associate Planner David Gress participated in the Mid-America Regional Council Solid Waste Management Board meeting.
- Building Official Jon Woerner commenced review of the building construction plans for the new Brightside Daycare building to be located at 861 E. Walnut Street.
- The Planning and Zoning Commission met Tuesday and approved the minor plat and site plan application for Brightside Daycare and recommended approval of the rezoning of 8.3 acres located north of 58 Highway, east of Sunset Lane, from Agricultural to Professional Office. The application will be considered by City Council on June 11.
- Director Jim Cadoret, Economic Development Director Matt Tapp and Associate Planner David Gress participated in the Planning Sustainable Places grant workshop held at the Mid-America Regional Council offices.

• Staff commenced work on the Unified Development Code annual review and report to be presented to the Planning and Zoning Commission.

Parks & Recreation

- Bridging the Gap and Heartland Tree Alliance partnered with the Parks and Recreation Department to plant 50 trees along the new trail areas at Recreation Park.
- General clean-up and new flowers were planted in several landscape beds on public grounds and parks.



- The large shade structure was put up at the baseball complex at Recreation Park.
- Youth baseball and softball uniforms were distributed to teams. Recreational games begin on Monday, May 21.
- Supplemental program guides were distributed to schools highlighting summer activities and registration deadlines.
- Centerview was host to several graduation parties last weekend and many more are scheduled for this weekend.
- Grand Slam Baseball held tournaments at Recreation Park last weekend and a tournament is scheduled for this weekend.
- Saturday, May 19 is the last day of games for recreational soccer.

Police

- Raymore Officers Maurice Lang, Jr. and Gary Cochran graduated from the Kansas City Regional Police Academy and began their field training.
- Capt. Jim Wilson participated in Child Abuse Case Review in Harrisonville.
- Animal Control Officer Jamie
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- Capt. Roger Mayberry participated as Treasurer and Capt. Jim Wilson, Communications Supervisor Starlith McAdams and Chief Jan Zimmerman attended the Cass County Emergency Services Board meeting to hear a presentation from IXP Consulting regarding radio consolidation.
- Capt. Jim Wilson participated in the Arson Task Force meeting at Lake Winnebago.
- The Department Command staff conducted a series of budget meetings.

Public Works

- A ribbon cutting was held for the new Fox Ridge Drive connection.
- Installation of lights along Municipal Circle was completed.
- Operations continues sidewalk and other concrete repairs in the Evanbrook/Canter Ridge Areas.
- Curb replacement crews are working in the Remington and Canter Ridge areas.