

WEEKLY REPORT

Week of May 21, 2018

Upcoming

- Raymore Parks & Recreation will host the annual [Walter Buck Memorial Fishing Derby](#) 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. at the event.



Administration

- Mayor Kris Turnbow and Councilman Tom Circo attended the Joint Cities/Ray-Pec School District/County Commission quarterly meeting.
- Mayor Kris Turnbow, Councilmen John Berendzen and Reginald Townsend, and City Clerk Jeanie Woerner attended the Missouri Municipal League Westgate meeting.
- Members of the City Council and City staff attended a reception hosted by the Morningview Homeowners Association. The event was in celebration of an agreement between the HOA and City to take over maintenance of streets and other infrastructure.

City Clerk

- Deputy City Clerk Erica Hill attended the International Institute of Municipal Clerks conference.
- City Clerk Jeanie Woerner, City Attorney Jonathan Zerr and City staff members met with agents from Missouri Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Control to review Chapter 600, Alcohol Beverages, of the Raymore City Code.

Communications

- Communications Director Mike Ekey attended a workshop hosted by the International City/County Managers Association discussing global changes in recycling regulations. These changes could affect curbside recycling in communities across the county.
- Communications Director Mike Ekey and Arts Commission Chairwoman Sharon Parys met to discuss the commission's recent workshop and future work plan, which will be placed on the commission's June 12 agenda for discussion and approval.

Community Development

- Director Jim Cadoret attended the Understanding the Site Selection Process training sponsored by Osage Valley Electric Cooperative Association.
- Building Official Jon Woerner obtained certification from the International Code Council as a Building Code Specialist.
- Director Jim Cadoret and Associate Planner David Gress participated in the Community for All Ages recognition cities bi-monthly meeting.

Parks & Recreation

- Non-profit Unlimited Play met with the Hawk Ridge Park Playground Committee to finalize the design on the all inclusive playground and began developing marketing materials. Unlimited Play has partnered with the City to design and develop the County's first All-Inclusive playground. This playground would exceed standards set out by the Americans with Disabilities Act and would foster a play environment for children and adults of all abilities.
- The Raymore Parks & Recreation Board met in work session and regular session on Tuesday. Topics of discussion included a review of the City Council/Park Board Memorandum of Understanding and approval of the proposed Five-year Capital Improvement Plan.
- Final preparations are being made for the Raymore Summer Camp that begins Tuesday, May 29. Staff held a First Aid/CPR training on May 22 for all summer camp staff.
- Recreation Coordinator Katie Pattrick continued working on the Walter Buck Memorial Fishing Derby.
- Recreational baseball/softball games began on Monday, May 21.

Police

- Recruit Officers Maurice Lang and Gary Cochran began field training.
- Master Police Officer Brent Worthley attended the Cops in Court training, provided by the Missouri Office of Prosecution Services, at the Parkville Police Department.
- Capt. Jim Wilson and Chief Jan Zimmerman participated in the Sexual Assault Response Team meeting in Pleasant Hill.
- Testing of a candidate was conducted for a Police Officer vacancy.
- Master Police Officers Jesse Walkingstick and Danny Foster attended the Road Wise training, provided by Calibre Press, at the Kansas City Regional Police Academy.
- Administrative Assistant Jennifer Lane, Capts. Roger Mayberry and Jim Wilson and Chief Jan Zimmerman attended the Galls Town Hall meeting in North Kansas City to discuss their store fire that destroyed the supply of local area law enforcement uniforms and equipment.
- Officers Jesse Walkingstick, Lance Goddard and Molly Brackeen attended the 2018 Child Passenger Seat Update class at the Kauffman Foundation Conference Center.
- Lt. Abdelgawad attended the Cass County Sheriff's Office Police Academy graduation, Class 1801, as a member of the Academy Advisory Board.
- Chief Jan Zimmerman participated in both the Greater Kansas City Public Safety Credit Union Annual meeting and the Board of Directors meeting in Kansas City.

Public Works

- Public Works hosted an appreciation luncheon for National Public Works Week.
- Demolition work started on the 155th Street Bridge. To learn more about the project, visit the [Current Projects section of our website](#).

