

WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Aug. 13, 2018

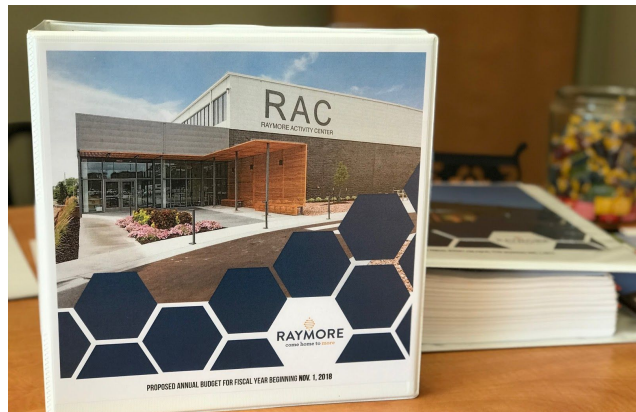
Upcoming

- **TODAY:** The **Mini Mud Run** returns to Hawk Ridge Park on Friday, Aug. 17 at 6:30 p.m. You can still register your 4-12 year old at the park! Walk-up registration is \$30 per child and opens at 5:30 p.m. this evening.



- **Child Safety Seat Checkup** Saturday, Aug. 18, from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the Raymore Police Department, 100 Municipal Circle. Join our officers who are nationally certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians at this free event and have peace of mind that your child is safely and properly secured in your vehicle.

- **Annual Budget Presentation:** The City Council will meet in its regular work session an hour earlier on Monday as staff presents the proposed operating and capital budgets for FY 2019. This meeting is the first of several public meeting during the next two months as the Council will deliberate on the budget before its final passage in October. **The work**



session will begin at 6 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 20 at City Hall. For more information, contact Communications Director Mike Ekey at 816-892-3109 or MEkey@Raymore.com.

Administration

- Raymore hosted the quarterly joint meeting with the City of Peculiar, Raymore-Peculiar School District and the Cass County Commission. The event was held at Centerview and gives each organization an opportunity to discuss current issues and successes.
- Staff members met with Holmes Murphy and Bob Charlesworth to discuss the upcoming benefit renewal.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur attended a Society of Human Resources Managers-KC luncheon.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur participated in a webinar on Generational Values.

City Clerk

- City Clerk Jeanie Woerner and Deputy City Clerk Erica Hill attended the Western Division of Missouri City Clerks and Finance Officers Association meeting.
- City Clerk Jeanie Woerner attended Missouri Municipal League's Board of Directors meeting and Strategic Planning session.

Communications

- Communications Director Mike Ekey and Communications Specialist Melissa McGhee met with the creative staff at LynchPin Creative to talk about updates to the brand and logo.
- Communications Director Mike Ekey met with staff from the KU Public Management Center to discuss their role in the upcoming Community Conversation on Oct. 1 at Centerview. For more information about this event, visit www.Raymore.com/Community.

Community Development

- GIS Coordinator Heather Eisenbarth attended the KC Metro GIS Meeting.
- Associate Planner David Gress participated in the Mid-America Regional Council Solid Waste Management District Board meeting. The Board toured the Kansas City Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) facility.
- Director Jim Cadoret and Associate Planner David Gress attended the Aug. 14 Parks & Recreation Board work session to discuss the parkland dedication requirement for new residential developments.

Parks & Recreation

- Parks staff prepared the course for the Mini Mud Run. Administrative staff have been taking registrations and gathering supplies for the upcoming event.
- Parks & Recreation staff met with South Metro Fire Protection District for a safety inspection of the Mini Mud Run obstacle course.
- The Parks & Recreation Board met in work session on Tuesday, Aug. 14. Topics of discussion included a briefing on parkland dedication by the Community Development Department staff, updates on T.B. Hanna Station design and the budget presentation to the City Council next Monday.
- Staff met with B.Dean Construction for a preconstruction meeting for the Hawk Ridge Park improvements. Construction is scheduled to begin later this month. A groundbreaking ceremony will be scheduled and announced at a later time.
- Athletic Coordinator Todd Brennon has been working on fall sports schedules, hosting coaches meetings and delivering Raymore United Uniforms.
- The Raymore Summer Camp finished up the last year of camp at the Park House this week. Next year's camp will be held at the Raymore Activity Center.

Police

- Officers Gary Cochran, Maurice Lang and John Keltner were released from training to solo status.
- Several members from the Raymore Police Department attended Active Shooter Incident Response Training, taught by Strategos International, with the RayPec School District teachers and staff at the elementary schools in Raymore and the East Middle School.
- Master Patrol Officer Allen Devor and Officer Nick Jones attended Traffic Occupant Protection Strategies and Officer Roadside Safety training, at the Blue Springs Police Department.
- Raymore officers attended the Mini Mud Run at Hawk Ridge Park, to assist with traffic control.
- With the start of the school year, officers increased traffic presence around all schools with particular attention to the change in "no parking" around Raymore Elementary.
- HR Manager Shawn Aulgur and Chief Jan Zimmerman met with Kay White to discuss training and applicant processing.

Public Works

- Public Works Director Mike Krass and Assistant Director Greg Rokos attend the Mid-America Regional Council's Surface Transportation Program meeting.
- Staff from Public Works, Parks & Recreation and Communications departments attended a pre-construction conference was held for the Hawk Ridge Park Amenities Project
- The City Hall Lobby and Front Entrance Modification Project was advertised for bid.
- No Parking signs were placed on Elm Street. The request for no parking signs came from the School District to help mitigate issues at the intersection of Elm and Madison streets in front of Raymore Elementary School.
- Crews began striping of 58 Highway from J Highway to Dean. Work will continue through next week.