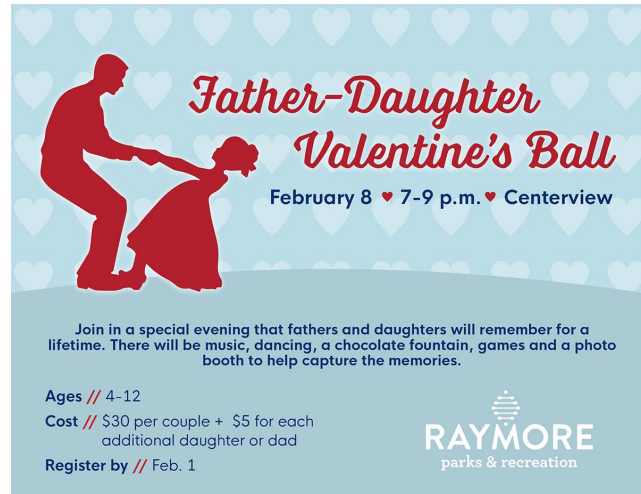


## WEEKLY REPORT

Week of Jan 14, 2019

### Upcoming

- **Father-Daughter Valentine's Ball, 7-9 p.m., Friday, Feb. 8.** [Register](#) by Feb. 1 for this special evening of dancing, games and fun for dads and daughters! Contact Katie VanKeulen for more information at 816-322-2791 or [KVanKeulen@Raymore.com](mailto:KVanKeulen@Raymore.com)



- **The free limb drop off for Raymore residents is closed for the weekend due to weather and will open again Tuesday, Jan. 22. The drop off service will be open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily from Jan. 22 to Feb. 1.** Residents will be required to show proof of residency, such as a driver's license or water bill, to use the dumpsters. **The dumpsters are for limbs and brush only.** No trash or bagged leaves are allowed. Limbs should not be longer than 4 feet. Larger branches and trunks will be accepted, but they also should not exceed 4 feet long. Residents are responsible for stacking their limbs and brush in the dumpsters. Please use caution when loading and unloading limbs and know your safe lifting limits. The City is not responsible for injuries or damage to vehicles from limbs, brush or other vehicles. *Future weather events could affect the hours and availability of the drop-off site.*
- **Jim's Disposal will be picking up Christmas trees** from the curb on regular trash days through the month of January. All tinsel, lights and ornaments must be removed and trees must be cut in half if longer than 8 feet.
- **City Hall's front entrance is closed for construction.** City Hall will be accessible through the Police Department entrance on the back (south) side of the building and City Council Chambers, Utilities, City Clerk, Court and other offices will still be accessible throughout the construction process. Please park in the rear lot to access City Hall. Residents wishing to avoid City Hall during this time are invited to make utility payments over the phone or

online. For more information, visit [www.raymore.com/pay](http://www.raymore.com/pay) or call 816-331-5182.

### **Administration**

- Councilmembers Jay Holman and Kevin Barber spoke with a local Webelo troop at St. Paul's United Methodist Church about City Council, civic service and several of the City's most recent and ongoing projects.
- IT Manager Jim Mayberry and Technician Noah DaMetz participated in the meeting with the Police Department and the Highway Patrol to discuss MULES.
- City Manager Jim Feuerborn, City Attorney Jonathan Zerr and Chief Jan Zimmerman participated in mediation at the Federal Courthouse in Kansas City.
- Human Resources participated in an EDI implementation call with USAble, Holmes Murphy and Avant.
- Human Resources Manager Shawn Aulgur, along with other IPMA-HR board members, conducted a site visit for the 2020 IPMA-HR Regional Conference that will be hosted in Kansas City.

### **City Clerk**

- Candidate filing for the April 2, 2019 Municipal Election ended January 15, 2019. The final candidates are:

**Mayor**-Kristofer P. Turnbow

**Council-Ward 1**-Dale Jacobson; **Ward 2**-Joseph William Burke, III and Loren Jones, II; **Ward 3**-Kevin Barber; **Ward 4**-John P. Berendzen and Kathy L. Eaton

- City Clerk Jeanie Woerner and Deputy City Clerk Erica Hill attended Missouri City Clerks and Finance Officers Western Division meeting, hearing a presentation by the Missouri Ethics Commission.
- If your business is located in the City limits or you are a contractor performing work in the City limits and have not renewed your occupational license, those licenses expired December 31, 2018. To renew your license, please contact the City Clerk's office at 331-3324 or email [cityclerk@raymore.com](mailto:cityclerk@raymore.com)

### **Communications**

- Communications Specialist Melissa McGhee attended *Lunch n' Learn: How to Drive Engagement in the Digital Age* hosted by Qualtrics in Kansas City.

### **Development Services**

- Director Jim Cadoret and Associate Planner David Gress attended the annual awards meeting for Kansas City area communities recently designated as Communities for All Ages.
- GIS Coordinator Heather Eisenbarth participated in the KC Metro GIS meeting.
- The Planning and Zoning Commission met Tuesday and recommended a continuance of the Dean Commercial Preliminary Plat to the Feb. 5 meeting.

### **Finance**

- Field work for the FY18 annual audit wrapped up on Friday, Jan. 18.
- Staff completed February utility billing for water, sewer and trash for zones 3 & 4. There is a memo included on the bill with the new trash rate of \$12.77 per month effective Jan. 1, 2019. For more information regarding trash service, visit [Raymore.com/trash](http://Raymore.com/trash).

### **Parks & Recreation**

- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen and Parks Superintendent Steve Rulo attended the Kansas Arborist Shade Tree Conference.
- Recreation Superintendent John McLain met with USSSA KC Sports, Midwest Sports Productions and Grand Slam Sports to reserve and schedule 2019 tournament dates and baseball complex rentals.
- Park Maintenance staff participated in the Public Works snow plow plan and the Building & Grounds facility coverage plan during the recent snow events.
- Athletic Coordinator Todd Brennon and Recreation Coordinator Katie VanKeulen participated in the KC Metro Area Programmers meeting in Fairway, Kansas.

### **Police**

- Communications Supervisor Starlith McAdams, Lt. Steve Donahoe, Capt. Roger Mayberry and Chief Jan Zimmerman met with Missouri State Highway Patrol representative Stephanie Vert and communications representatives from Belton and Harrisonville to discuss MULES.
- Chief Jan Zimmerman made a presentation on behalf of the Raymore Police Department at a ceremony for outgoing Homeland Security Assistant Special Agent in Charge Gilbert Trill at Argosy.
- Communications Officer Corinne Daut attended basic 40-hour dispatcher training at the Cass County Sheriff's Office in Harrisonville.
- Chief Jan Zimmerman met with Crime Commission Board Chair Boyd McGathey, President Rick Armstrong, Vice President Barry Mayer and SAFE Board Chair Angie Salmon.
- Capt. Jim Wilson and Chief Jan Zimmerman participated in the Ray Pec School Safety Task Force meeting in Peculiar.

- Emergency Management Director Ryan Murdock participated in National Weather Service webinars in preparation for winter weather.
- Capt. Roger Mayberry participated in the Cass County Emergency Services Board meeting in Harrisonville.
- Capt. Jim Wilson participated in the Cass County Fire Investigators meeting at the Justice Center in Harrisonville.
- All patrol officers, detectives and dispatchers received CPR and AED training at South Metro Fire Headquarters.
- Officer Nathan Rogers participated in the Chaplains meeting.
- Officer Cole Williams participated in Tactical Training at the Cass County Sheriff's Office in Harrisonville.
- Capt. Roger Mayberry, Lt. Steve Donahoe, IT Manager Jim Mayberry and Emergency Management Director Ryan Murdock met with representatives from Motorola to discuss the radio system for the communications vehicle.

### **Public Works**

- The framework was installed for the Amphitheater at Hawk Ridge Park.



- Public Works crews made preparations for the weekend snow event.