

KIRKSVILLE CITY COUNCIL **NEWSLETTER . . .**

Mari E. Macomber, City Manager
September 13, 2013

SUBJECTS:

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DATES TO REMEMBER

9/20 – Ribbon Cutting United Way Event at noon Courthouse
9/23 – Work Session with County Commissioners
9/24 – Ribbon Cutting Central Food Bank Buddy Bank at 11:30 am Lincoln Square
9/25 – USDA Grant Award to MREIC for Computers @ 9 am EDA Building
9/28 – Baconfest Downtown Square
9/28 – Downtown Car Show – Awards at 4 pm
10/7 – Regular Council Study Session and Meeting

COUNCIL PLANNING MEETING

On Monday the City Council will meet to discuss plans for next year. The agenda and relevant materials will be handed out on Monday. In the meantime, the Council is asked to think about the upcoming 2014 fiscal year and what you would like to see for the year.

HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

The Kirksville Historic Preservation Commission has an opening for a member after the resignation of Cole Woodcox. The Commission meets at least 4 times a year and usually a few more. Members are required to attend at least 50% of the meetings. Members need to have an interest in historic buildings or property and assist the commission in their goal of identifying and retaining Historic properties and buildings. We are hoping to find someone to fill this vacancy and if the City Council has anyone you would like to consider please let me know.

AIRPORT

Below are the passenger numbers for July 2012 compared to July 2013. The number of flights completed in 2013 was greater than 2012 as was the number of passengers per day. I could not find the 2012 numbers for August and have requested them. It is good to know though that the overall numbers for August were very good.

Month	Scheduled Flights	Actual Flights	Deplaned Passengers	Enplaned Passengers	Number of Passengers per Day	Passengers Per Flight
July-12	180	174	418	453	28.10	5.01
July-13	186	183*	440	476	29.55	5.01
Aug-13	186	181	483	520	32.36	5.54

The Airfest, though scaled down from previous years, was another success with several hundred guests attending. One of the highlights of the day was an appearance by Senator Sam Graves, who is a pilot and care taker of a T6 trainer plane. The T6 was designed as a basic training aircraft and but used in a number of other roles including: advanced trainer, fighter, interceptor, fighter-bomber, forward air control aircraft and counter-insurgency aircraft. Senator Graves is a huge supporter of general aviation and we were so pleased that he along with a few friends was able to fly-in to our airfest and add to the excitement.



Senator Graves is in the foreground. His yellow T6 trainer plane is in the background.

PERSONNEL CHANGES

Glenn Balliew started on August 26 as our new Airport Director and Alan Griffiths began work as our new Public Works Director on September 9. Angie Whisnant was hired to fill the Assistant City Manager position and will begin work on November 4. Randy Behrens will retire on October 25, 2013 and Ed leans has given notice that he has accepted a position with Raymore and will be leaving us September 27. Katie Myers will stay on in a remote/contractual capacity until we fill the Finance Director position.

Steve Farnsworth was promoted to Deputy Police Chief and Mark Wellman was promoted to Police Lieutenant. Matt Kellison was promoted to Police Sergeant filling the vacancy left by James Holzmeier. Justin Osborn was hired for the Traffic Control Technician position vacated by Thomas Hendren and Steve Allen was hired to fill the Inspector vacancy resulting from the resignation of Reid Yardley. Robin Snyder is being hired to the Accounts Payable Clerk position vacated by Melissa Hocker.

WELLNESS COMMITTEE UPDATE

The City wellness committee in partnership with the Adair County Health Department is sponsoring a Big Loser Club activity that will run through the end of the year and a Softball event for October. The annual employee meeting has been tentatively set for December 6.

LINCOLN SCHOOL

Attached is a letter from the Missouri Department of Natural Resources announcing nomination of the Lincoln School for placement on the National Register of Historical Places.

PROJECT HOMELESS CONNECT

The Kirksville/Adair County area has been chosen by the Missouri Governor's Committee to End Homelessness as a host of Project Homeless Connect (PHC). The event will be held on Friday, October 4, 2013, at The Crossing from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. All homeless individuals and families in the Kirksville area are welcome and encouraged to attend a free, one-day event to connect with and receive free services and social assistance. The goal of PHC is to reduce barriers and improve access to services and housing for homeless individuals and families. During Project Homeless Connect, homeless individuals and families will have access to free services such as: medical screenings, haircuts, a hot lunch, housing assistance, identification assistance, food, hygiene products and much more. The PHC Committee is currently seeking service providers, volunteers, donations and sponsorships. If you would like to help change the lives of members in your community, or are looking for more information visit www.facebook.com/ProjectHomelessConnectKirksvilleMo today! In addition the Mayor has been asked to speak to the group at about 9:30 in the morning.

KDIC CAR SHOW

The Kirksville Downtown Improvement Committee will hold the Kirksville Main Street 2013 Classic Car Show & Swap Meet on Saturday, September 28th, 2013, in conjunction with Bacon Fest. The Car show will take place at the Missouri/Main Street Parking Lot, and the swap meet will be held on the Bank Midwest parking lot. Proceeds from the car show will benefit NEMO Senior Services, the I Think I can Foundation and KDIC, as well as a donation to local law enforcement. Participants are being asked to donate a can of food to the food bank as well. There will be prizes and drawings held throughout the day. Registration is 8 am to 12 pm, and awards at 4 pm. The Mayor has been asked to select the Mayor's Award.

WATERSHED EVENT

The City's Watershed Commission, along with its partner agencies (Missouri Department of Conservation and Missouri Department of Natural Resources) held an event at 1000 Hills State Park on Saturday. The Commission is charged with educating the public on our two watersheds and the importance of good stewardship. The event included free hot dogs/peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, boat tours of the lake and access to information from the Commission, Missouri Department of Natural Resources and the Missouri Department of Conservation.

FALL BROADWAY IN THE PARK

Tickets for the Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department's fall Broadway in the Park performances are on sale now at the Kirksville Aquatic Center. *The Kids Left. The Dog Died. Now What?* will be performed at Jackson Stables. Dinner theatre performances will be held on September 20, 21, 27, and 28. Tickets are on sale now through September 25 and are \$20. Seating is limited, so please get your tickets early. Tickets may not be purchased at the door. There will also be two non dinner performance on September 19 and 26 for \$5 a ticket. *The Kids Left. The Dog Died. Now What?* is a musical comedy that salutes those valiantly struggling with divorce on their hands, gravity on their bodies, grandchildren on their self-images and the dating scene on their egos. This entertaining musical about those facing a host of midlife crisis takes a humorous and heartfelt look at the day-to-day concerns of the over-fifty 'empty-nester' crowd including everything from retirement and AARP, dating to divorce, plastic surgery and grand parenting. Sounds like a perfect night out! Again, make sure you get your tickets early. Seating is limited and historically tickets have sold out. For more information contact the Parks and Recreation office at (660)627-1485 or see the attached flyer.

MDA COLLECTIONS

The Fire Department participated in the Annual MDA boot drive at the end of August. Each shift was given the time to go out on Baltimore and Illinois and collect funds from passing drivers. The Department raised a total of \$7,385.88 for the three day event. Most of the work was done with on duty personnel but there were a few individuals who came in on their off duty time to participate. This is one way the City and the local union.

RED BARN ARTS

This past week, the City sent out an email to members of the Kirksville Downtown Improvement Committee reminding them of the sidewalk rules as they pertain to special events. In the past two years, there has been one vendor who has chosen to ignore the rules making it difficult for the Red Barn Arts and Crafts Festival personnel. This year we thought we would get ahead of the game and remind everyone prior to the event. Basically, downtown merchants are allowed to use the sidewalks in front of their stores for display of goods so long as they leave a 4' path. The exception to this is during City Council approved Special Events, like Red Barn, who has been given the right to use the area. This means the merchants cannot sell or display their wares during this event.

ENVIRONMENTAL OPPORTUNITY

Professor Harker from Truman State University has sent the following email to me this past week asking for the City to consider participating in the Earth Hour City Challenge through the World Wildlife Federation (WWF). The WWF website it states the following: The Earth Hour City Challenge is a year-long competition among cities to promote renewable energy and prepare for climate change. U.S. cities that participate are recognized for their efforts in spreading the global movement to create more sustainable, resilient cities and compete for the title of U.S. Earth Hour Capital as well as grants from WWF. Would the Council like to participate in this program and/or need more information?

Sep 12, 2013

Ms. Mari Macomber
201 South Franklin Street
Kirksville, MO 63501-3514

Dear Ms. Macomber,

This message was sent from charker@truman.edu

Thank you for your efforts to improve our community. As a resident, I am writing to express my deep concern about the threat that the impacts of climate change pose to our community.

That is why I urge you to enroll our community in World Wildlife Fund's Earth Hour City Challenge (<http://worldwildlife.org/citychallenge>), which offers a platform to recognize and reward cities for the work they do. The City Challenge builds on the annual Earth Hour event where millions around the globe turn out their lights for one hour in a call for action to protect the planet.

All cities that share their sustainability efforts through the Earth Hour City Challenge will be publicly recognized and have a chance to compete for one of three \$30,000 grants and be crowned an Earth Hour Capital!

Learn more and enroll our city at
<http://worldwildlife.org/citychallenge>

Participating in this initiative can help raise the profile of our existing sustainability efforts and encourage us to do even more to advance renewable energy and prepare for climate change. I sincerely hope you will visit the website and take advantage of this great opportunity.

Sincerely,

Dr. Christoine Harker
402 S Stanford St
Kirksville, MO 63501-3877

Attachments

City Information

Sales Tax Reports

Building Permits Report

Newsletter Paragraph Attachments

Mo Dept of Natural Resources re: Lincoln School

Project Homeless Connect

Car Show Flyer

Watershed Brochure

Fall Musical

Information items

Letter from Larry Groom re: Human Rights Ordinance

Letter from Dan Ross, MML

Letter of Thanks from Lauren Kramer

MoDOT Project News

Humane Society Report

USDA Grant Award Presentation Flyer

Baconfest Flyer

Senator Munzlinger Event

Welcome Sign

SALES TAX COLLECTIONS						
One-Cent General Sales Tax						
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
BUDGET	2,578,240	2,584,485	2,466,000	2,476,280	2,523,820	2,588,620
January	241,502.73	266,740.40	259,347.52	177,293.93	231,297.39	268,619.22
February	219,903.17	195,734.29	200,778.78	259,901.05	229,342.20	206,324.87
March	132,002.16	147,892.81	156,669.64	160,805.35	147,321.44	135,401.12
April	253,028.44	246,130.84	232,500.31	258,496.85	288,635.98	288,365.52
May	220,972.61	216,847.11	233,120.21	239,462.58	216,676.28	243,679.88
June	148,541.83	142,964.71	143,943.57	149,702.34	141,482.89	137,532.65
July	279,431.55	279,236.50	265,660.28	259,437.07	285,063.79	299,328.74
August	222,179.31	203,838.29	208,953.81	218,429.47	203,154.15	
September	140,078.56	146,129.55	131,838.50	174,444.14	162,346.70	
October	235,788.79	237,555.14	252,020.17	270,826.30	264,153.60	
November	209,464.69	222,488.00	207,549.97	223,163.42	209,821.80	
December	204,920.17	153,163.14	199,574.20	159,898.86	177,081.78	
TOTAL	2,507,814.01	2,458,720.78	2,491,956.96	2,551,861.36	2,556,378.00	1,579,252.00
VARIANCE from BUDGET						
Growth/(Loss)	(70,425.99)	(125,764.22)	25,956.96	75,581.36	32,558.00	(1,009,368.00)

Current collections up \$39,432 or 2.6%

SALES TAX COLLECTIONS						
1/2-Cent Economic Development Sales Tax						
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
BUDGET	1,212,420	1,214,550	1,208,610	1,238,140	1,261,910	1,279,163
January	113,937.61	122,232.45	120,629.29	85,289.72	106,319.67	123,086.03
February	100,131.60	90,946.94	94,738.04	119,191.04	108,595.67	96,917.30
March	64,680.35	70,542.11	75,660.91	75,145.16	73,294.33	66,517.25
April	120,202.33	119,106.87	111,043.36	123,657.91	137,601.31	134,781.29
May	105,049.44	103,701.31	113,459.81	115,552.14	104,128.45	116,088.24
June	73,007.59	70,605.96	71,562.71	74,772.94	69,846.97	68,273.27
July	134,460.71	134,027.00	125,457.62	121,737.17	134,281.22	141,657.83
August	107,711.01	96,360.14	100,267.58	104,086.50	97,048.04	
September	68,385.21	71,667.19	64,600.41	85,700.82	79,800.20	
October	113,078.49	113,685.10	122,354.30	129,064.24	125,444.41	
November	100,602.46	107,619.38	100,293.80	106,591.45	100,920.32	
December	97,351.19	74,051.55	94,262.91	77,056.78	87,889.14	
TOTAL	1,198,597.99	1,174,546.00	1,194,330.74	1,217,845.87	1,225,169.73	747,321.21
VARIANCE from BUDGET						
Growth/(Loss)	(13,822.01)	(40,004.00)	(14,279.26)	(20,294.13)	(36,740.27)	(531,841.79)

Current collections \$13,253 or 1.8%

SALES TAX COLLECTIONS						
1/4-Cent Capital Improvement Sales Tax						
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
BUDGET	638,115	639,660	636,140	619,070	630,955	621,790
January	56,977.54	61,226.84	60,321.62	42,654.08	53,168.78	61,555.22
February	50,068.09	45,520.89	47,373.58	59,595.62	54,297.80	48,458.31
March	32,296.20	35,294.84	37,830.34	37,572.42	36,646.97	33,258.85
April	60,175.98	59,580.80	55,521.89	61,828.87	68,800.89	67,390.34
May	52,524.95	51,886.50	56,725.39	57,776.21	52,064.46	58,047.79
June	36,504.33	35,332.27	35,781.46	37,386.59	34,923.47	34,136.51
July	67,230.26	67,042.64	62,729.01	60,868.81	67,140.45	70,829.86
August	53,855.58	48,207.69	50,134.10	52,043.23	48,524.12	
September	34,194.01	35,843.40	32,300.12	42,850.45	39,900.26	
October	56,539.23	56,842.83	61,177.23	64,532.14	62,722.37	
November	50,301.03	53,809.77	50,146.96	53,698.45	50,460.08	
December	48,675.38	37,025.73	47,131.61	38,528.47	43,944.70	
TOTAL	599,342.58	587,614.20	597,173.31	609,335.34	612,594.35	373,676.88
VARIANCE from BUDGET						
Growth/(Loss)	(38,772.42)	(52,045.80)	(38,966.69)	(9,734.66)	(18,360.65)	(248,113.12)

Current collections up \$6,634 or 1.8%

SALES TAX COLLECTIONS						
1/2-Cent Transportation Sales Tax						
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
BUDGET	1,276,230	1,279,320	1,272,280	1,238,140	1,261,910	1,239,620
January	113,955.17	122,453.83	120,637.22	85,308.17	106,337.62	123,110.89
February	100,135.90	91,041.61	94,746.83	119,191.19	108,595.52	96,917.27
March	64,592.11	70,589.85	75,661.05	75,145.01	73,294.29	66,517.15
April	120,351.14	119,161.44	111,043.15	123,657.82	137,601.32	134,781.30
May	105,049.27	103,773.48	113,451.22	115,552.90	104,128.69	116,095.57
June	73,008.24	70,664.70	71,562.61	74,773.02	69,846.79	68,273.27
July	134,460.59	134,084.90	125,457.80	121,737.11	134,281.29	141,659.90
August	107,711.16	96,415.03	100,268.06	104,086.49	97,047.92	
September	68,387.66	71,686.79	64,600.41	85,700.82	79,800.32	
October	113,078.38	113,685.64	122,354.25	129,064.29	125,445.04	
November	100,602.42	107,619.35	100,293.67	107,396.30	100,920.34	
December	97,351.22	74,051.52	94,262.96	77,056.53	87,889.24	
TOTAL	1,198,683.26	1,175,228.14	1,194,339.23	1,218,669.65	1,225,188.38	747,355.35

Current collections up \$13,270 or 1.8%

SALES TAX COLLECTIONS					
Local Use Tax					
	1%-City	.5% Eco Dev	.25% CIST	.5% TST	2013
BUDGET	0	0	0	0	0
January	7,300.82	3,649.59	1,824.79	3,649.59	16,424.79
February	9,857.40	4,927.59	2,463.79	4,927.59	22,176.37
March	17,318.44	8,657.27	4,328.64	8,657.27	38,961.62
April	17,666.43	8,831.22	4,415.61	8,831.22	39,744.48
May	20,096.96	10,046.22	5,023.11	10,046.22	45,212.51
June	15,683.81	7,840.14	3,920.07	7,840.14	35,284.16
July	17,019.05	8,507.62	4,253.81	8,507.62	38,288.10
August					0.00
September					0.00
October					0.00
November					0.00
December					0.00
TOTAL	104,942.91	52,459.65	26,229.82	52,459.65	236,092.03
VARIANCE from BUDGET					
Growth/(Loss)	104,942.91	52,459.65	26,229.82	52,459.65	236,092.03

New collection no previous history

SOUTH 63 CID

FY 2013	
Budget	90,000.00
Actual Collections:	
January	12,422.40
February	6,001.12
March	3,000.71
April	9,346.36
May	8,879.82
June	1,407.58
July	11,542.23
August	
September	
October	
November	
December	
Total Tax Collections	\$52,600.22
Variance	
Growth/(Loss)	(\$37,399.78)

Current collection is down \$12,599

BUILDING PERMITS FOR AUGUST

The following is a listing of new construction in Kirksville for the period August 1, 2013 through August 31, 2013:

Date: August 15, 2013
Owner: A.P. Read Homes
Use: Duplex
Address: 609-611 W. LaHarpe
Permit No.: 7949
Const. Co.: Self

Date: August 20, 2013
Owner: Cynthia Cooper
Use: Garage
Address: 407 E. Harrison
Permit No.: 7956
Const. Co.: Trumascape

Date: August 23, 2013
Owner: Sam Jacobs
Use: Garage
Address: 1027 N. Edgar
Permit No.: 7960
Const. Co.: Self

Date: August 27, 2013
Owner: Adam Boyer
Use: Single-Family
Address: 2717 Breezewood Dr.
Permit No.: 7963
Const. Co.: John Boyer Construction

STATE OF MISSOURI
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Kristina W. (Jay) Nixon, Governor • Sara Parker Pauley, Director

www.dnr.mo.gov

September 6, 2013

REC'D SEP 9 - 2013

Hon. Richard Detweiler
Mayor, City of Kirksville
201 S Franklin St
Kirksville, MO 63501-3514

Re: Lincoln School, 907 South Wabash St.; Sojourners Club, 211 South Elson St.; Drs. George and Blanche Laughlin House, 706 Halliburton St., Kirksville, Adair County

Dear Mayor Detweiler:

We are pleased to inform you that the above named properties will be considered by the Missouri Advisory Council on Historic Preservation for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places. The National Register of Historic Places is the Federal government's official list of historic properties that are significant in American history, architecture, culture, engineering and archaeology.

Listing in the National Register of Historic Places is primarily honorary, providing recognition of a place's historic importance. National Register listing also provides protective review of Federal projects that might adversely affect the character of the historic property. Also, certain Federal and state investment tax credits are available to encourage the rehabilitation of historic properties. **Listing in the National Register does not place restrictions or limitations on the use or maintenance of a property.**

The Missouri Advisory Council on Historic Preservation will consider the nominations at their meeting on **Friday, November 8, 2013**. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. at the Lewis and Clark State Office Building, LaCharette Conference Room, 1101 Riverside Drive, Jefferson City, Missouri. This is a public meeting and property owners are invited to attend. Attendance, however, is not mandatory.

Additional information about the National Register of Historic Places and the results of listing is outlined in "National Register of Historic Places Commonly Asked Questions" (enclosed). The attachment also includes the procedure by which a property owner may comment on or object to listing in the National Register. Please read the enclosure carefully. If you have additional questions after reading the enclosure, please contact Michella Diedrich, Historic Survey and Registration Coordinator, State Historic Preservation Office, P.O. Box 178, Jefferson City, MO 65102, michelle.diedrich@dnr.mo.gov, or by phone at 573-526-1680.

Sincerely,

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE



Mark A. Miles
Director and Deputy
State Historic Preservation Officer

MAM:cms

Enclosure: as stated

ONE DAY...
ONE STOP...
ONE COMMUNITY...



SAVE THE DATE!

**Project Homeless Connect
Kirksville/Adair County**

Friday, October 4, 2013

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The Crossing Church—Kirksville, MO

Project Homeless Connect is a one stop shop where homeless individuals and families have access to free services and assistance.

Get connected with housing, employment, documentation assistance and social services.

Free medical services, haircuts, lunch, housing assistance and many other services will be available.

Some services may require valid identification. Bring any proof of identification you may have, such as a photo ID, and/or 2 pieces of mail with the same address.

Kid's Zone available for free child care during event.

**Recruiting Service Providers & Volunteers!
Donation and Sponsorship Opportunities
Available.**

Sign Up To Help Today!

<https://www.facebook.com/ProjectHomelessConnectKirksvilleMo>

For Questions or more info contact:

Services: Mandy @ 660-627-5757 ext 30 Donations: Cynthia @ 314-571-7660

Volunteers: Paula @ 660-626-0602 General Info: 816-759-7203

Kirksville Main Street 2013 Classic Car Show & Swap Meet

Benefiting

NEMO Senior Services, I Think I Can Foundation, KDIC
local law enforcement programs and the local food bank

Saturday, September 28th, 2013

In conjunction with the Kirksville Bacon Fest
200 Block of Main St., downtown Kirksville

Registration 8am—12pm

Awards At 4 pm

Entry Fee—Donation collected at Registration



Join us for a full day of Classic Cars, Golden Oldies,
and Special Guest Appearances throughout the day.

Donate a can of food to register for a door prize!!

For More Info Contact Angie at 660-216-9016, Phil at 660-341-8567 or Jim at 217-341-8597

Ongoing Work of the Watershed Commission :

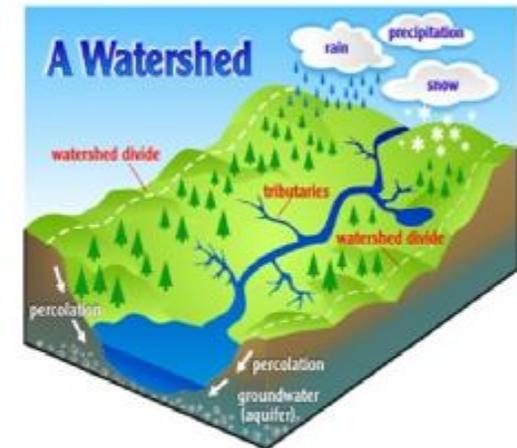
- Developing & writing comprehensive Watershed Management Plans for the Hazel Creek and Forest Lake watersheds
- Obtaining approval from the City Council & Missouri DNR for implementation of these plans
- Advising the City Council on important issues involving our two water supply reservoirs
- Soliciting input from citizen stakeholders on issues and questions about water quality
- Holding public events to educate and inform citizens of our public water supplies

Closing Remarks:

- We hope everyone leaves this event with a greater appreciation of the importance of clean water.
- We should all protect and preserve our water reservoirs by conducting our lives in a manner that does not contaminate or degrade the quality of our water supplies
- We now have abundant supplies of clean water... let's keep it that way!



Kirksville Watershed



Contact Numbers:

Public Works—627-1291
Watershed Chair — 665-7944
(Clayton Dillavou)

Ways You Can Make a Difference!

Tips for Saving Water:

- Take quick showers
- Wash only full loads of laundry
- Fix dripping faucets & leaking toilets
- Don't use the toilet as a waste basket
- Don't leave the faucet running
- Refrain from watering your lawn
- Use a bucket, not a hose to wash your car
- Use a broom, not a hose, to clean your driveway
- Use low flow water devices

Things You Can Do and/or Avoid Doing to Protect Our Water Reservoirs:

- Don't dump anything harmful in the yard, such as oil, antifreeze, toxic chemicals, etc. that could end up in our water supply
- Remember, wherever we live, we are in ours or someone else's watershed!!! Water runs downhill and ends up in a lake or stream!
- Minimize use of pesticides, herbicides and fertilizers on your lawn or garden
- If you are on a septic system, clean it out on a regular basis to minimize contamination of our lakes or streams
- Septic tanks are not an effective treatment of sewage unless they drain into a treatment pond that does not overflow under average conditions
- **"Over the hill"** sewage drainage is very hazardous to you and to our environment



Introduction to the Watershed Commission:

First & Foremost, What is a Watershed?

A watershed is any area of land that water flows across or through on its way downhill. Water trickles and flows toward a common body of water such as a stream, river or lake. To summarize, watersheds capture water, store it and eventually release it further downhill.

About Us

Our Watershed Commission members consist of nine voting citizens and thirteen plus Ex-Officio's. The members represent a number of agencies that provide technical support and guidance to the Commission.

We meet at least bi-monthly at the Adair County Annex Building, on the third Thursday of that month, at 5:30 p.m. to discuss and determine ongoing watershed projects.

We welcome the public and media to all meetings, and post all of our minutes on the city website: www.kirksvillicity.com.

Kirksville Parks and Recreation Dept. Presents:



Dinner Theatre Performances:
September 20th-21st and 27th-28th

<u>Pre-Sale Dates:</u> August 26th-31st \$18/ticket	<u>General Sale Dates:</u> September 2nd-25th \$20/ticket
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Tickets MUST BE purchased in advance!
Door opens at 5:30pm.
Family style dinner served at 6pm.
The show will follow.

Don't forget to bring your manners as your table hosts will expect nothing but the best when

Non Dinner Performances:
September 19th and 26th

\$5/ticket
Tickets can be purchased in advance
or at the door, if available.

Doors open at 6:30pm.
Show begins at 7:00pm.
Winery will be open.

Tickets can be purchased at the
Kirksville Aquatic Center.

August 19, 2013

Kirksville City Council
Kirksville, MO 63501

REC'D AUG 22 2013

Dear Mayor Detwiler and council members,

As a citizen and long term resident of this community, I wish to express my deep regret over the vote the majority on the Council made creating an special ordinance to change the way the city does it's business. There were many good citizens who gave good justification to keep the status quo and your original vote.

I know you may have even felt there was justification for your actions and I'm sure it was not an easy vote. However, now our community will have to live with the certain consequences of law suits against private citizens, business owners, and apartment renters when they stand on their Christian principles. No one wants to alienate a section of our society as was made clear from many arguments but no one needs special rights. The GLT community has the same rights and privileges as I do to co-exist with other community members if they do not tout their gender differences and follow the same rules everyone else abides by. Many of them, however, desire to be intolerant of our traditional Christian views by alleging we are intolerant and discriminatory. This is simply NOT TRUE!

Another reason why I was praying that the vote would be different was that we have alienated a Holy God who has the last word regarding this issue. This is a religious issue because it infringes on free exercise of religious beliefs and free speech. God's Word states that "Blessed is the nation (city) whose God is the Lord." He desires holiness and calls this lifestyle "sin." I think if you look into your conscience, you know this lifestyle is unnatural and wrong as Romans (Chapter 1) states. I want my children/grandchildren to recognize this fact and not be taught differently. It's really unfortunate that the city couldn't have waited to put this to a public vote at the next election. There would have been a much different outcome.

Very Sincerely,


Mrs. Joyce Groom



Growing Our Communities Together

The Missouri General Assembly set a modern-era record today by overriding ten of Gov. Jay Nixon's vetoes. They did so, however, while failing to override the two most highly publicized bills considered during the veto session. Those bills were HB 253, which would have cut Missouri's corporate and individual income taxes, and HB 436, which would have nullified the application of federal gun laws in Missouri.

I want to thank each of you who contacted their representative and/or senator to express concerns regarding the impact of the bill. The Missouri Municipal League is an active participant in the Coalition for Missouri's Future, a group of approximately 40 organizations who opposed HB-253. The proponents have vowed to change some provisions (like the tax on pharmacy) of the bill and bring it back in the next session so it appears we will be opposing a slightly different version of the same bill in the 2013/2014 session of the General Assembly. It was the grass roots work that MML members and other organizations did that made the difference.

BILLS OF MUNICIPAL INTEREST THAT WERE OVERRIDDEN

- [HB 278](#) - prohibits state or local governmental entities from restricting the mention of any federal holiday.
- [HB 1035](#) - allows a taxing authority to submit an amended filing with the state auditor's office if it included clerical errors.
- [SB 170](#) - allows members of governmental bodies to cast roll-call votes via videoconferencing.

The legislature overrode the Governor's vetoes on the following bills:

- [HB 19](#) - \$1,000,000 appropriation for the reconstruction of the Pike-Lincoln Technical Center in Eolia.
- [HB 329](#) - raises the fees that payday loan companies can charge customers.
- [HB 339](#) - requires uninsured drivers to waive the ability to have cause of action or collect non-economic damages against an insured motorist.
- [HB 650](#) - shields the Doe Run Company from punitive damages related to old lead mining sites in Missouri.
- [SB 9](#) - allows foreign companies to purchase up to one percent of Missouri agricultural land and criminalizes animal trespassing.
- [SB 110](#) - establishes procedures for child custody and visitation cases for military personnel.
- [SB 129](#) - establishes the Volunteer Health Services Act to allow for licensed health care professionals to provide volunteer health care services.

Sincerely,

Dan Ross
Executive Director, Missouri Municipal League

Dear Supporters,

Wow! I had a busy summer this year. It was such an honor to start it off with my National History Day (NHD) trip to Washington, DC. I want to thank everyone for their support – physically and financially. I couldn't have done it without you!

I had a wonderful time. There were over 3,200 students from all over the world who attended – American Samoa, Guam, China, and South Korea, as well as all 50 states. I competed against 96 other students in the individual website category! Although I did not make it into the finals, I had a great experience.

One highlight of NHD is button trading with the other students. The goal is to collect all the buttons from the other states and territories. I didn't get them all, but I ended up with several! I also enjoyed seeing as many Washington, D.C. sites as I could cram in! I really liked the DC Zoo's panda exhibit. I also went to the Smithsonian Natural History Museum, Air and Space Museum, had a personal tour of the Capitol building provided by Senator Blunt's office, Scottish Rite Home Temple, and walk the National Mall several times!

Again thank you for your support of my local project on William Preston Hall. It is now a permanent website, which can be found at <http://59781931.nhd.weebly.com/>.

Thank you again for your generosity,

Lauren ♥

Lauren Kramer



MoDOT PROJECTS IN OUR AREA

BRIDGE WORK

Weather permitting; beginning the week of Sept. 16, MoDOT crews will be working on pavement repairs on the following bridges in Adair County on the dates indicated. All work will be completed between 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

MO 6 - Sept. 16; one lane traffic at the overpass west of Wal-Mart for patching operations

MO 11 - Sept. 18; one lane traffic at the Linn Creek Bridge for sealing operations

MO 11 - Sept. 18; one lane traffic at the North Fork Salt River for sealing operations

MO 11 - Sept. 18; one lane traffic at the Mussel Fork Bridge for sealing operations

Route B - Sept. 19; one lane traffic at the Hazel Creek Bridge for sealing operations

MO 11 - Sept. 19; one lane traffic at the South Fabius River Bridge for sealing operations

Route J - Sept. 19; one lane traffic at the North Fork Fabius River Bridge for sealing operations

Pavement Repair

On Sept. 23-Oct. 4, crews will also be doing pavement repair on MO 6 beginning 1 mile west of MO 157 to Business 63.

All lanes will be open to traffic at the end of the workday. Please use caution when traveling through these areas, and obey all work zone signs and MoDOT personnel. This work is weather dependent and could be delayed or rescheduled.

Board of Directors, Ambassadors,
and Community Supporters:

Please join us for a ribbon cutting for:

United Way of Adair Co/NEMO

Courthouse Lawn

Kirksville, MO 63501

Friday, September 20th

at 12:00 PM.

Come join the Chamber and John
Dungan for a ribbon cutting!

Board of Directors, Ambassadors,
and Community Supporters:

Please join us for a ribbon cutting for:

**The Food Bank for Central North
East Missouri Presents Their New
Buddy Bank**

Lincoln Square

508 S. Baltimore

Kirksville, MO 63501

**Tuesday, September 24th
at 11:30 AM.**

Come join the Chamber and Susan
Dublin for their grand opening!

ADAIR COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY

P.O. Box 481

Kirkville, Missouri 63501

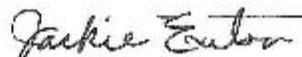
September 5, 2013

TO: Kirkville City Manager

FROM: Adair County Humane Society

RE: August Shelter Report

Brought to Shelter	Dogs	17
	Cats	34
	Puppies	3
	Kittens	10
Reclaimed by Owner	Dogs	0
	Cats	0
	Puppies	0
	Kittens	0
Euthanized from City	Dogs	10
	Cats	27
	Puppies	0
	Kittens	4
Brought to Shelter Dead	Dogs	0
	Cats	3
	Puppies	0
	Kittens	0
	Other	18


Jackie Eaton, Treasurer

INVITATION TO ATTEND

Missouri Rural Enterprise and Innovation Center Rural Business Enterprise Grant

*USDA Rural Development invites
you to join us at*

Economic Development Alliance

***on Wednesday, September 25, 2013
at 9:00 a.m.***

*For an award presentation of funding that
will be used to purchase laptop computers and software to
provide training to small businesses and entrepreneurs in
various locations.*



The Economic Development Alliance is located at:
315 S Franklin
Kirksville, MO 63501

[Click here](#) for an interactive map to the event.



United States Department of Agriculture
Rural Development



3rd Annual Kirksville BACON FEST

Saturday, September 28, 2013

Downtown, south side of Courthouse

Rain Location: Pickler's Famous, 114 W. Harrison

10 am - 2 pm

Main Purpose: Raise awareness of the hunger problem in the area and make this festival the largest local food/cash drive for our local food pantries.



**Miss Sizzle,
Young Miss Sizzle &
Little Miss Bacon Bits
Pageant**

10 am on Courthouse steps

BACON RECIPE CONTEST

Judging takes place at our sponsor's location, King Appliance & Furniture, 114 N. Franklin

Winners announced on Courthouse steps at 11:45 am.

Forms to participate in Pageant, Car Show, Recipe Contest

Can be found at www.kirksvillechamber.com

"Like" our Bacon Fest facebook page



BLT SANDWICHES

Exchange your food donation/cash for a BLT Sandwich

provided by

**Kraft Foods, NRMC, Hy-Vee,
Colton's Steakhouse, Wendy's, &
Pancake City. Serving starts at 11 am**

Kirksville Main Street 2013

**Classic Car Show
and Swap Meet**

200 N. Main Street
8 am - 4 pm

Sponsored by Kirksville Downtown
Improvement Committee



Health Zone:

Cardio Booth by



Northeast Regional Medical Center

Body Mass Index Machine by
Complete Family Medicine

Kids Zone: Balloon Animals by

Balloontique & Facepainting

*Sponsored by Century 21 Whitney Agency
& Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce*

Attention Municipalities!
Concerned about wastewater issues?



*Missouri Department of Natural Resources
will be in Edina, Missouri on*

Wednesday,

September 18, 2013

11:00am-1:00pm

*to talk to you about your
city's wastewater systems, EPA regulations,
and available assistance programs.*

Knox County Community Center

207 N. 4th Street, Edina, Missouri 63537



Hosted by State Senator Brian Munzlinger.

Lunch will be served.

RSVP by September 1, 2013:

573-751-7985 or emily.lewis@senate.mo.gov

NEW WELCOME SIGN AT THE CORNER OF HIGHWAY 63 and Illinois

