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YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Have you ever wondered how you can get involved and help improve our community? If you have, you should consider submitting an application to serve on one of our citizen committees! Most committees meet monthly and only require an hour or two of your time. These citizen committees discuss issues facing the City and make recommendations to the City Council. Most committee members serve terms ranging from three to six years.

A list of citizen committees is available at www.kirksvillecity.com/boards-committees, as well as, the application to serve. Your completed application can be submitted to the City Clerk at 201 South Franklin Street. Even if a committee is currently full, your name will be maintained on a list for contact whenever an opening may occur!

For more information on citizen committees, please contact Vickie Brumbaugh, City Clerk, at 660.627.1225, or by email at: vbrumbaugh@kirksvillecity.com

FIRE HYDRANT TESTING

It's important to test fire hydrants to ensure they are available and operational in the event of an emergency. That is why the Fire Department, in cooperation with the Public Works Department, conducts fire hydrant testing! The Fire Department is currently in the middle of conducting these tests on all fire hydrants across the City. We will be flow testing, or flushing, all hydrants to ensure they meet the requirements we have.

The firefighters use a diffuser on the outlet to avoid damaging yards. Before putting the caps back on, a special lubricant is applied to prevent the caps from seizing up during an actual emergency. As the fire hydrant testing progresses, occasional problems are discovered. When that occurs, the Public Works Department's Utility Maintenance Division repairs those problems. This process is repeated on an annual basis to ensure all City fire hydrants are in proper working order.

For more information on fire hydrant testing, please contact the Fire Department at 660.665.3734, or by email at: tcollins@kirksvillecity.com.

PARKS & RECREATION SUMMER PROGRAMS!

Summer is in full swing with an exciting lineup of Parks and Recreation programming! Upcoming events include:

Movie in the Park: *Apollo 13*: July 2

Art in the Park: July 6—31

Little Shop of Horrors: July 14—17

Memorial Park Block Party: July 24

Tennis Sundays: Every Sun. in July

Tennis Lessons—Session 2: July 5—28

P.C. Mills Park Block Party: July 10

Children's Theatre Camp: July 11—22

Performing Arts Camp: July 25—29

Registration: visit parks.kirksvillecity.com

TRASH RATE CHANGES

The City's trash rates are changing effective July 1, 2016. Advanced Disposal has made an annual CPI (consumer price index) based rate adjustment with an increase of 0.7% in accordance with their contract. The new rates are as follows:

- Residential: \$10.84
- Senior: \$8.97
- Two units: \$21.67
- Three units: \$32.51
- Four units: \$43.34
- Additional trash cart: \$3.02

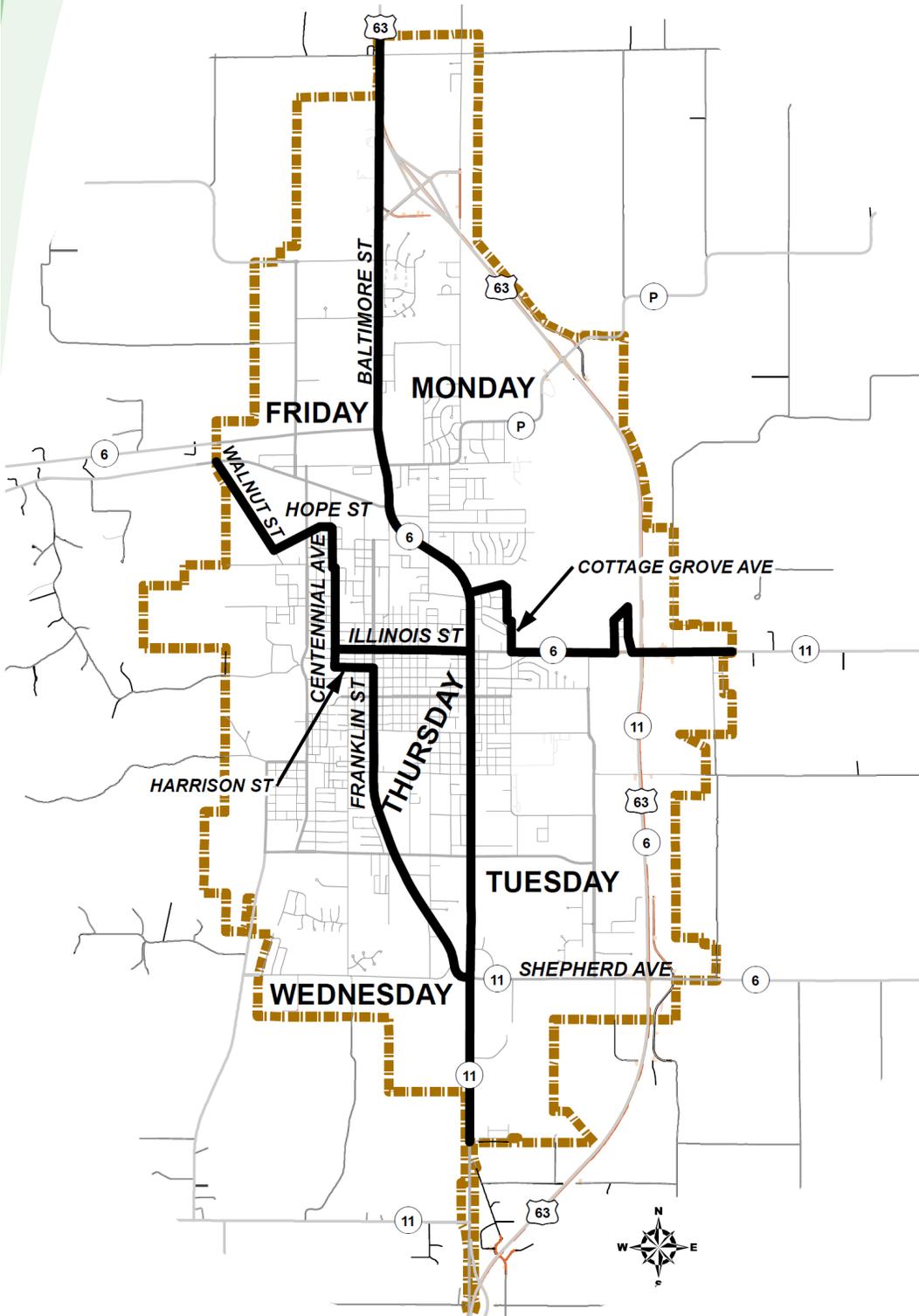


For more information regarding the City's trash rates, please contact Advanced Disposal at 800.778.7652.

NOTICE: TRASH ROUTE CHANGES

The City's trash routes will be changing for some residents effective July 18, 2016. Advanced Disposal has changed certain routes to even out the truckloads. We know this can be an inconvenience, but the change is necessary at this time. To ensure your trash pick-up stays on schedule. Included below is a new trash pickup map with the new dividing lines. Please note where your property is on the map. Not all households will see a change, but the line will move substantially in some areas.

For more information, please call the Codes Department at 660.627.1272. Again, the new routes are effective on July 18, 2016. Advanced Disposal will also be distributing door hangars to help inform residents in affected areas!



Important Dates :

- 07/02—All American Red, White & Blue Parade
- 07/02—Movie in the Park: *Apollo 13*
- 07/06—KHPC Meeting
- 07/10—P.C. Mills Park Block Party
- 07/11—Council Study Session
- 07/12—ATC Meeting
- 07/13—P&Z Meeting
- 07/18—Council Meeting
- 07/19—LPRC Meeting
- 07/24—Memorial Park Block Party
- 07/29—Monthly Warning Siren Test at 10:00 am

Contact Us :

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| Aquatic Center | 627-7665 |
| Business Licenses | 627-1251 |
| City Manager | 627-1225 |
| Codes/Inspections | 627-1272 |
| Econ Development | 627-1224 |
| Engineering | 627-1272 |
| Fire Department | 665-3734 |
| Human Resources | 627-1458 |
| Municipal Court | 627-1237 |
| Parks & Recreation | 627-1485 |
| Police Department | 785-6945 |
| Public Works | 627-1291 |
| Water/Sewer Bills | 627-1251 |
| Trash Service: | 800-778-7652 |

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- Police Department

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