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The City of Hurstbourne Acres

Post-July 2023

Next City Meeting

Thursday – July 13, 2023

6:30 p.m.

Hurstbourne Acres City Hall

From the Mayor . . .

I would like to thank all the residents that came out to the May City meeting for being there. It's good to have input from the people of the community.

I do want to thank Kay Eskridge for doing the newsletter for us while we take applications for that position. Please let me know if you have an interest in taking on that Job. My contact information is on the newsletter.

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Golden Watch

Teresa Renninger

Summer Time Reminders

1. Stay Hydrated
Drink plenty of water whenever you are in the hot summer sun.
2. Use sunscreen and wear hats.
We all need to protect our skin from the harsh rays of the sun and wearing a hat will keep your head from getting sun burnt.
3. Protect your Eyes
Wearing sunglasses can protect your eyes from harmful UV rays and preserve your vision.
4. Wear the right stuff
Wearing light colored and loose fitting clothes will help you feel cooler and more comfortable.
5. Keep doors locked when working outside.
When working in the front of the house make sure the back is locked up
6. Apply Bug Spray

If you spend a lot of time outdoors, use mosquito repellent to help reduce the risk of getting bitten by a mosquito.

7. Don't forget your pets.

They also need to have plenty of water when they are outside playing.

Please remember to not leave your dog outside barking, just as you don't want to hear your dog bark, your neighbors do not enjoy it either. Be a responsible pet owner.

As always if you See Something, Say Something. Your police department is just a phone call away.

Parks and Recreation

Tom Theiss

Hopefully everyone is enjoying the beginning of summer. There's not much to report this month for a change.

We will be getting the Playground chips and broken swing replaced in the foreseeable future.

Police

Chief Steve Griffin

It is always enjoyable seeing our residents out walking, bike riding, and enjoying our quiet neighborhood and our beautiful city park. This time of year it is also important that drivers pay extra attention while looking out for pedestrians and bike riders. We have been receiving some complaints in reference to speeding in the neighborhood and particularly on Woodfield Road. Please be aware that we are will be increasing enforcement of traffic violations in the neighborhood. Our goal is to increase awareness of traffic safety issues in the area and not to cost our residents any of their hard earned money. With that being said, our main focus must always be on the safety of all of our residents and if writing traffic citations becomes the best solution to the problem, then that is what we will do. Just for reference, a citation for speeding 10 mph over the limit or coasting through a stop sign will cost the driver over \$150.00 in fines and court costs. Please be aware that the speed limit on all

streets within Hurstbourne Acres is 25 mph and that the stop signs in the neighborhood are there for the safety of all. Please drive safely, observe the speed limits, and come to a complete stop at all stop signs for the safety and benefit of all of our residents. **If you see something, say something!**

- Latex paint
- Batteries, light bulbs, oil-based paint, varnishes, stains, and other household hazardous waste
- Tree trunks
- Boats, hot tubs
- Items from businesses
- Trailers greater than 10 feet in length

Sanitation

Troy Eskridge

I want to thank everyone for their patience as we had our first large item pick up. We will be having another in the Fall. I have included some pictures of the truck and mechanical arm in action.

There will be a **delay in sanitation** services due to the Independence Day holiday. Yard waste and recycling will be on Monday July 3rd and trash will be on Wednesday July 5th. Below is a list of FREE drop off for items that may not have been included in our Large Item Junk Day.

Pop-Up Drop-Offs are **free recycling and large item disposal events** for residents of Jefferson County.

2023 Pop-Up Drop-Off Schedule

All events are 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. on a Saturday

July 22	Louisville Metro Fleet Services, 3515 Newburg Rd
August 26	UofL Shelby Campus, 440 N Whittington Pkwy
September 16	Sun Valley Park, 10401 Lower River Rd/Ashby Lane Baptist, 6617 Ashby Ln

Accepted Items:

- Up to 3 electronic items (recycled)
- Metal & appliances - no refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers or any items containing Freon
- Up to 4 passenger tires (recycled)
- Household recyclables (recycled)
- Yard waste wooden pallets (composted)
- Large household items (landfilled)
- Documents for shredding (recycled)
- Prescription medication (disposed properly)

Not Accepted:

- Garbage, loose debris (use curbside garbage collection or take to landfill)
- Concrete, bricks, rocks
- Construction debris
- Refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, or items containing Freon

Streets and Lights

Donna Nichols

I have spoken with the Project Manager at the paving company that I have used for the last three pavings, and there is really no acceptable way in which to remove the emission stains. If you take a look at Haviland from the Park entrance to Woodfield, this is what sealant looks like after less than 2 years. Echo Tech applied this sealant. There is a definite increase in delivery trucks using our streets, which I feel certain some have emission leaks.

I plan on getting the striping on the streets redone as soon, as I get some Road Fund Money from the State !!



CITY OF HURSTBOURNE ACRES

June 8, 2023

Minutes

The regular meeting of the City Commission was called to order at 6:30 PM on June 8, 2023 at the meeting room of the Hurstbourne Acres City Hall/Police Department, 1916 Hurstbourne Circle, Louisville, Kentucky, with the following persons present;

Terry McAllister, Mayor
Troy Eskridge, Commissioner
Donna Nichols, Commissioner
Teresa Renninger, Commissioner
Tom Theiss, Commissioner
Steve Griffin, Police Chief
John Bloomer, Treasurer
Finn Cato, City Attorney
Michael Bolten, City Clerk
Chris Brawner, Webmaster for City Website
Kim Bloomer, Resident
Doug Rogers, Resident
Lenny Miles, Resident
Shawn Helvey, Resident
Suzie Helvey, Resident
Steven Crump, Resident
Paul Schneider, Resident
Linda Schneider, Resident
Mike Hess, Resident
Jim Lynch, Resident
Ken Koch, Resident
Myron Koch, Resident
Ken Vetter, Resident
Christine Bohnenkamp, Resident

May 11 Minutes

Commissioner Renninger made a motion to accept the minutes as published. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Theiss and carried unopposed.

Treasurer's Report

John Bloomer read the Treasurer's Report for May. Commissioner Renninger made a motion to accept. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Theiss which carried unanimously.

Warrants

John Bloomer read the Warrants for May. Commissioner Eskridge made a motion to approve. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Theiss and carried unanimously.

Police Report

Police Chief Griffin reported the following for May;

- Offense reports-4,
- Accident reports-2,
- Arrests-2,
- Traffic stops-11,
- Citations issued-8,
- Warnings issued-3,
- Contacts with other agencies-0,
- House watches-7,
- Courtesy notices-2,
- Directed patrols-0,
- Calls for service-65,
- License plates confiscated-0,
- Motorists assists-3,
- Funeral watches-0,
- May Highlights

-All officers completed KLC recommended monthly training,
-The four offense reports were for a criminal mischief in the Meadows Apartments, a criminal mischief in the Taylorhurst Shopping Center, a theft of a vehicle in the East Chase Apartments, and an assault in the East Chase Apartments,
-Department completed a CJIS audit by Kentucky State Police,
-Department supported the city yard sale,
-All Golden Watch residents checked on weekly,
-All businesses in shopping centers checked on daily,
-All vehicles are in good working order.

Attorney's Report

Attorney Cato will be attending the upcoming Kentucky League of Cities Summer Conference. He said he would update the Commission with any pertinent information afterwards. Other issues will be discussed later in the meeting.

Public Comments

The following were comments that were made:

-A resident advised that the recent large item pickup did not go as planned suggesting that clarification is needed for how it is to work. Commissioner Eskridge and Mayor McAllister will get additional information,

-Some trees in the Park need to be staked up,
-Mayor McAllister and Attorney Cato will check ordinances regarding whether Airbnbs are acceptable in the City,
-A resident had a complaint about a dog barking at all hours of the day and asked whether anything could be done. Mayor McAllister said that there is a noise ordinance and asked the Police Department to visit the owner of the dog to resolve,
-There was a question about whether parking trailers in a driveway was against ordinance. Mayor McAllister and Police Chief Griffin clarified,
-Resident on Cardwell Way brought to the attention of the Commission a drainage problem with the the homes next to the school. Mayor McAllister said that he would start working on a solution.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Park

Commissioner Theiss advised that one of the swings in the playground area is in the process of being repaired. After approval by the Commission, new mulch will be purchased and laid for a price of \$2681. Tree work in the Park will continue soon once our vendor has caught up on other jobs. Commissioner Theiss stated that portions of the berm by the Park is not being maintained by the owners. He suggested that the City do the work and then bill the owners of the berm. Mayor McAllister said that he will send a letter to the property owners first to give them notice before any further action is taken.

Sanitation

Commissioner Eskridge was asked by his wife Kay to find out when the Commission wants the newsletter to be sent. Following a discussion, it was decided that the goal is to have the newsletter available by the first of the following month. Lastly, the Spring Junk pickup is scheduled for this Saturday (1 large item and several smaller items).

Streets

Commission Nichols confirmed that the light at the end of Bristol is now fixed. The only other item discussed was the sealing of city streets advising that the sealing product last between one and two years.

Police

Commissioner Renninger advised that she talked with the Nunnlea Beautification League about the crumbling steps to the Police Department. The process to get the steps

repaired/replaced is underway. Finally, All ABC renewal letters have been sent.

Old/New Business

Fence Permit

The Commission reviewed the Fence Permit Application for the property at 1811 Wesley Avenue which was subsequently approved. The Clerk was directed to notify the owner and issue the permit.

Sanitation Bid

With the issues that the City has recently had with our sanitation vendor, Commissioner Eskridge and Mayor McAllister will meet. They will discuss the bid process and specifics about what the City wants to include in a contract that would address some of the problems.

Annexation

Hurstbourne Acres is once again seeking to annex Arboro Place and Hallsdale Drive. Mayor McAllister will contact the residents there and then meet with Attorney Cato to determine the next steps.

Sidewalk Project

Attorney Cato is still waiting to hear back from the attorney for the prior owners of the Meadows Apartments as he is the best contact we have to get the sidewalk project moving forward.

PuppyGram

Attorney Cato sent a letter to the Attorney for the owner of PuppyGram on April 13, 2023 who then requested a copy of all correspondence from and to our Commission regarding PuppyGram. The correspondence was reviewed by their attorney and is willing to meet with Attorney Cato and Mayor McAllister for further discussion.

There being no further business or discussion, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Michael Bolten, City Clerk

