



CITY OF WAYNESVILLE

601 Historic Route 66 West, Waynesville, MO 65583

JANUARY 2013



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Farmer's Market Open, Sat am
City Council, Third Thursdays,
6:30 pm at City Hall

HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE
STAFF AND CITY COUNCIL!

DREAM TEAM MEETS WITH CITY AND COMMITTEE

Waynesville was selected as a DREAM city by the State of Missouri in 2010. This program was begun in 2006 by Governor Blount as an effort to revitalize downtown areas. A local committee, headed by Tim Berrier, has been overseeing the progress of the DREAM initiative for the City. Andy Struckhoff, Waynesville's consultant, led a meeting recently at City Hall. He brought with him a Retail Analysis Study for the downtown area. He also brought several boards and displays laying out a design for a wayfinding signage program for the downtown area. The signage program had been identified by the Waynesville Downtown Business Association and the Economic Development Committee as a high priority. The City plans to design and budget this program in the coming year and implement it in 2014.

The DREAM committee will soon be hearing financial opportunities for financing many needed improvements to the downtown area. With renewed interest in the downtown area, the WDBA has identified several areas of focus, including lighting, decoration, crosswalks, parking, facades, etc. The most important document will be a strategic plan for the downtown area, highlighting future growth and plans.

The members of the DREAM committee are Berrier, Beth Wiles, Cecilia Murray, Mayor Hardman, Jake Lebioda, Mary Miller, Tom Campbell, Pam Seda, Mike Dunbar, Schenley Green, Keith Osborne and Jan Primas.



COUNCIL CONTACTS

Mayor Hardman 774-2103

Dr. Jerry Brown 774-2040 Diana Stanford 774-2216	Ward 1
Tim Mann 774-3436 Tony Skinner 842-9459	Ward 2
Ed Conley 774-2890 Martin Elmore 528-6281	Ward 3
Mike France 774-3327 Michael Curtis 528-3573	Ward 4

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CHRISTMAS SEASON IN WAYNESVILLE

The annual Lions' Club Christmas Parade took place December 2 to a packed crowd. Estimates of over 2000 citizens lined the streets as the parade wound to the downtown square. Vino Alan, our X Factor contestant, was the special guest. He posed with everyone, including Mayor Sanders and Mayor Hardman. The Garden Club decorated the City welcome sign, as only they can do. The Mayor and her elves, Rylee and Patrick. The Annual Christmas on the Square hosted an estimated 4000 attendees, Dec. 6th. Congratulations to the Waynesville Downtown Business Association for their successful first sponsorship of this event.



"Your success and happiness lies within you." Helen Keller



CITY COUNCIL NOTES
 *honored retiring employee Willie Taylor
 *presented canned goods to the Good Samaritan Center from our City employees
 *appointed Councilman Dr. Jerry Brown to the Pulaski County IDA board
 *passed ordinances to define concealed weapons, using state statutes
 *passed ordinances to govern net-metering, the sale of privately generated energy back to the City
 *reported the purchase of 12 new fire hydrants to replace damaged ones
 *reported the purchase of 8 LED streetlights, these are energy savers
 *discussed the completion of many goals for 2012 and the setting of goals for the coming year in January. Among 2012 projects: a new dog shelter, new City banners, selling of land to the B and B Cinema and PCRMC, work on electric feeder lines, purchase of back up transformers for the City, starting grant projects of sidewalks, Bridge Lighting, airport renovation, a new pavilion and toddler playground, \$36 million in new construction.

ADOPT A SPOT
 The Waynesville Park Board has begun a volunteer clean up program for the parks and the downtown square, similar to the MoDOT Adopt a Highway program. The City will place your name on a sign. Your commitment will be two years of scheduled clean-ups in your area. There are only two spots left. First to call gets the spots. We are looking for churches, organizations, neighborhoods or families.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS INFORMATION
 Sign up for municipal positions opened on December 11 and run through the business day of January 15.
 The following positions will be filled: Councilman in Ward 1 (2 year term), Councilman in Ward 2 (2 year term), Councilman in Ward 3 (2 year term) and two Council positions in Ward 4 (a 2 year term and a 1 year term).
 Council positions also bring membership on key committees within the City that meet once a month. Council meetings are always the third Thursday of each month, at 6:30.
 For any other questions, please call City Clerk Carol Welch at 774-6171.

CITY PROJECTS
 The sidewalks in West Waynesville are taking shape around the Middle School. Retaining walls have been built and driveways laid as the project is managed by Maggi Construction. They have also begun work in Laughlin Park.



The new pavilion in the Roubidoux Park is completed.



KNOW YOUR COUNCIL
 Mike Curtis joins the City Council to fill the vacated seat in Ward 4. Mike is a longtime resident of Waynesville and serves as the lead photographer at Fort Wood. Mike and his wife, Kathy, are parents of Casey and Craig and have three grandchildren.
 They are avid bicyclists and recently cycled across Iowa. Mike will serve on the Economic Development and Utilities Committees.



MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE CITY STAFF!
KNOW YOUR STAFF
 Stephanie Leuthen is the Finance Officer for City. She began working for the City in 2008. Stephanie is a life long resident of Crocker. She is active in various organizations and loves to garden and shop for antiques. Under unusual hobbies, Stephanie and her son collect cigars.



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 - Police Department
774-2414
 - Fire Department
774-2479
 - Utility Office
774-5217
 - Airport
329-4216
 - Building Department
774-6009
 - Municipal Court
774-6158
 - Animal Shelter
774-6509