



# CITY OF EUREKA NEWSLETTER MAY 2018

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## **BIKE TO BREAKFAST EVENT**

May is National Bike Month! Join us for our first Bike to Breakfast event. Ride your bike to the Community Center in Legion Park for a free breakfast of pancakes, sausage and coffee on Saturday, May 19th from 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. This event is sponsored by the City as part of our Enhancement Initiative. For more information please contact Economic Director Julie Wood at [jwood@eureka.mo.us](mailto:jwood@eureka.mo.us) or 636-938-5233.

## **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

City offices will be closed on Monday, May 28th in observance of Memorial Day.

## **TRASH AND RECYCLING HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

In observance of Memorial Day, Monday, May 28th, all service days will be changed from their scheduled day to the day following. If your service is normally scheduled for Monday it will be picked up on Tuesday of that week, Tuesday's pickup will be on Wednesday, Wednesday's pickup will be on Thursday, Thursday's pickup will be on Friday, and Friday's pickup will be on Saturday.

## **PAY WATER/SEWER/TRASH BILLS ELECTRONICALLY**

For your convenience the City is accepting automatic payments (EFT) for water/sewer/trash bills. For additional information, please visit the City's website at [www.eureka.mo.us](http://www.eureka.mo.us) (link at bottom of home page) or contact City Hall at 636-938-5233.

## **ILLEGAL DUMPING**

It is illegal to dump yard waste such as stumps, limbs, grass, leaves and bush and flower clippings into ditches or creeks as they often cause drainage problems at a later date. When rain events occur, the City has experienced major issues caused by the overabundance of such debris being washed into our storm sewers and drainage ditches causing flooding and damage to residences. It has been brought to our attention that pet waste is being dumped into the storm sewer which is also illegal. Pet waste should be bagged and disposed of with household trash. We encourage anyone who witnesses this type of activity to report such to City Hall, anonymously if you so choose, so that we may take the appropriate action against the individuals who are engaged in this activity to help prevent these situations from occurring in the future.

## **TRASH COLLECTION REMINDERS**

As the summer months are approaching, lawn sprinklers will soon be turned on. Please be mindful of the fact that if you place your paper yard waste bags near an area that is sprinkled they may fall apart, leaving debris in your yard and the street when the trash hauler attempts to transport them to the truck. To avoid this type of situation, please place paper yard waste bags in an area not affected by the sprinkler. If you feel you have an excessive amount of bulky trash to be picked up which might require more than one person to load the items onto the truck, please call Waste Connections at 636-321-2100 so they can evaluate the situation prior to the regularly scheduled pickup and remove the articles in a timely fashion.

## **TRASH RECEPTACLE STORAGE**

As stated in the Eureka Municipal Code, all items are to be placed at the curb between the hours of 6:00 p.m. the day prior to collection and 6:30 a.m. the day of pick up. Empty trash containers must be removed from the curb no later than 8:00 p.m. the day of collection. If your containers are stored outdoors, they must be stored in the rear or side yard, and placed or screened so as to not be visible from the street fronting the principal structure.

## **EXTERIOR APPEARANCE PROGRAM**

As a reminder, before any property can be sold, an inspection must be performed by the Building Department to determine if there are any deteriorated conditions that need to be addressed prior to closing. An option is available for the buyer to accept responsibility for any issues that are identified. For additional information, please contact the Building Department at 636-938-5233.

## **WATER METERS**

The Public Works Department has noticed that water meters are being covered up when yard work is being performed. Please be aware that when meters are not visible it makes it very difficult for the department to locate and read them.

## **BOARD OF ALDERMEN ACTION**

Adopted the following by Ordinance:

- Authorizing entering into a Contract with St. Louis County for Provisions of Next Generation 9-1-1 Services
- Authorizing entering into a Contract with St. Louis County for Mental Health Court and Jail Diversion Program Participation

## **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PUBLIC NOTICE**

The City of Eureka will hold a public hearing to discuss the allocation of \$20,000.00 in Community Development Block Grant funds, which will become available after January 1, 2019. The public hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m. on June 19, 2018 at Eureka City Hall. To further its commitment to fair and equitable treatment of all citizens, the City of Eureka has enacted and/or enforces the following: (1) A Fair Housing Ordinance prohibiting unlawful discrimination against any person because of race, sex, color, religion, disability, familial status or national origin; (2) A Policy of Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Disability in the admission or access to, or employment in, its federally assisted programs or activities; (3) A Policy of Equal Opportunity to Participate in Municipal Programs and Services regardless of race, color, religion, sex, age, disability, familial status, national origin or political affiliation; (4) A requirement for bidding on CDBG activities that promotes employment opportunities created by HUD funding and that these opportunities be afforded to low-income community residents and businesses.

If you would like information regarding the above policies or if you believe you have been unlawfully discriminated against, contact the following municipal official or employee who has been designated to coordinate compliance with equal employment opportunity requirements referenced above: City Administrator Craig E. Sabo, 100 City Hall Drive, P.O. Box 125, Eureka, MO 63025, cesabo@eureka.mo.us or 636-938-5233. If you are a person with a disability or have special needs in order to participate in this public hearing, please contact City Clerk Ralph Lindsey at rlindsey@eureka.mo.us or 636-938-5233 no later than 10:00 a.m. on June 15, 2018. For more information call: 636-938-5233 - RELAY MISSOURI VOICE 1-800-735-2466 or RELAY MISSOURI TDD 1-800-735-2966. The City of Eureka is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

### **FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS - MAY 11TH - JUNE 2ND - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BARBEQUE**

The Eureka Knights of Columbus are hosting their annual barbeque every Friday and Saturday beginning May 11th through the weekend of June 2nd. The stand will be open from 11:00 a.m. until sunset between the ball fields and Highway 109, near the intersection of Highway 109 and S. Central/Augustine Road. The lunches/dinners include pork steaks, ribs, brats, hamburgers, hot dogs and chicken with or without sides. Drinks and carry-out service is also available.

### **MONDAY, MAY 28TH - MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY**

The Eureka Memorial Post 5468 (VFW) and American Legion Post 177 will host their annual Memorial Day Ceremony, Monday, May 28th at 10:00 a.m. in the Memorial Garden at Legion Park. They will honor their deceased members by reading their names. Anyone who would like a name read, please call the VFW at 314-288-9703. This ceremony is open to the public and everyone is urged to attend. Refreshments will be available.

### **SATURDAY, JUNE 2ND - PLANT SALE**

The Good Earth Garden Club of Eureka will hold a plant sale on Saturday, June 2nd from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon at 745 Southern Hills Drive in The Legends. Come rain or shine, there will be a variety of perennials and other beautiful plants available, most under \$5.00. The club's goals are to share a love of gardening and to give back to the community through the maintenance of two community gardens, the donation and upkeep of bluebird houses at Berry Park and other projects. For more information, please email GoodEarthGdnClub-Eureka@yahoo.com or call 636-938-7401.

### **SATURDAY, JUNE 2ND - ALL YOU CAN EAT BREAKFAST**

The Eureka Masons are hosting a breakfast the first Saturday of each month from 7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the Masonic Lodge (across from Farmers and Merchants Bank). Adults are \$7.00 and children are \$3.00 (ages 5 and under are free). Eggs, bacon, sausage, French toast, pancakes, home fries and biscuits & gravy will be served.

### **MONDAYS - THURSDAYS, JUNE 4TH - 7TH & JUNE 11TH - 14TH - FREE SWIMMING LESSONS**

The Eureka Lions Club is sponsoring its annual free swimming program Mondays through Thursdays, June 4th - 7th and June 11th - 14th at the Wildwood Family YMCA located at 2641 Highway 109 in Wildwood. Lessons are offered to Eureka area youths ages 6 - 12. An adult must be present during the class who is responsible for the child. Transportation is not provided. Classes are filled on a first come, first served basis. To register or for additional information, please call 636-458-6636, Monday through Friday.

### **SATURDAY, JUNE 9TH - RUMMAGE SALE**

The Most Sacred Heart Women's Club will host their annual Parish Rummage Sale on Saturday, June 9th at 350 E. Fourth Street from 7:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. For additional information, please call 636-587-6003.