



Hurstbourne Acres Post

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Next City Meeting
Thursday, August 9, 2018
City Hall
at 6:30 pm

Notes from the Mayor

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the City Picnic in September.



Stay Safe!

Check-Out the City's Website

All newsletters, ordinances, treasurer's reports, and warrants are published online at the city's website:
www.hurstbourneacres.org

Parks & Recreation

Troy Eskridge

**The City of Hurstbourne Acres Picnic
Sunday September 30th from 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Stanley Welch Park**

Starting at 2:00

New for this year: The first 100 adult residents to arrive at the park will receive a City of Hurstbourne Acres Summer Picnic T-shirt!

We will also have face painting, caricatures, and balloon sculptures for the kids (ends at 4:00). Adults can enjoy corn hole, a closest to the pin game, and music by Brothers J.

Starting at 4:00

Heitzman's bakery will cater the food. They will be featuring pulled pork, chicken fingers, hamburgers, and all the fixins'. Please bring a dessert to share. There will be a contest for the best homemade dessert (see details below).



Prizes:

We have a large number of gift cards for our door prizes. The grand prize is a \$100 gift card to Meijer. Other sponsors include: Great Clips, Thomas Car Wash, Pieology, Half Price Books, Jason's Deli, Wing Stop, Gigi's Cupcakes, Liquor Barn, and Potbelly.

Best homemade dessert contest: To enter, you must register your dessert at the check-in table before 3:00 p.m. and bring a recipe or a brief description of the dessert. Winners will be chosen by a panel of judges. Judges will decide on the winner based on taste, appearance, and originality.

Note: We will be drawing for door prizes during the Brothers J set breaks. You do not have to be present

to win. We will announce the winners at the picnic and via Reach Alert. (If you still haven't signed up for Reach Alert, Commissioner Terry McAllister will be signing people up at the registration table.)

The Police Officers and Commissioner Teresa Renninger will again be delivering plates of food to our Golden Watch members. If you know of someone who would like a plate, but is unable to attend because of illness or injury, please let them know.

Golden Watch

Teresa Renninger

In Memory of Past Commissioner Marty Dunn

On July 2, 2018, the City lost a great friend and past commissioner, Marty Dunn. His love for the city was proven in his service to the Hurstbourne Acres community. Marty served the city as commissioner for twenty-five years. During this time he was Police, Parks, Streets, and Sanitation Commissioner. Marty worked tirelessly for the city to prevent an all-night restaurant from being built at the corner of Hurstbourne Lane and Taylorsville Road. He worked to keep a water tower from being built in our city. He attended many meetings on Cornerstone 2020 and was our voice during those important meetings. Marty attended many city meetings and was always there to add historical information or to just add plain common sense advice.

Marty Dunn, the city of Hurstbourne Acres will truly miss you.

Keep an Eye on your Neighbors

When the weather is extremely hot, please keep an eye on your neighbors as they work in their yards. If your neighbors are elderly please remember to check on them in this extreme heat, as well. When you are cutting your grass please stay hydrated.

As always, *When You See Something, Say Something!*

Police

Chief Steve Griffin

It seems like summer took a long time to get to us this year but now August is upon us. As we move into August, remember that school will be starting and children will be traveling to and from school again. The first day of school for JCPS is August 15th. Please remember to use extra caution when driving during the morning and afternoon when children will be walking to or from school or catching the bus. We all know that youngsters will sometimes not pay attention to traffic especially if they are in groups and start playing around. Please allow a little more travel time and drive safely because potential tragedy is often only moments away.

We are actively in the process of hiring new officers in our quest to provide 24/7 police coverage in the city. I am hopeful that we will have some new officers hired shortly. It is, however, a lengthy process to insure that we get only the best officers possible. I will keep you informed of our progress.

If you see something, say something!

Streets and Lights

Donna Nichols

I am certain that some of you have noticed that the striping on our streets is beginning to fade. It was last done about 3 yrs ago and guaranteed to last only 2 years! I am planning to have it done again this fall.

I noticed in the last Newsletter that BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR consisted of cans being put out no earlier than the night before it is picked up. I feel BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR also means understanding your neighbor's situation. We have older residents who hire their yard work done. These cans appear to be heavy and are put out by the person who was hired to do the work, when finished. Being considerate of your neighbor's

situation is BEING A GOOD NEIGHBOR also. Our residents' needs are different, and that is what makes them special!!!

Sanitation

Terry McAllister

I am having a business development group meeting on August 23rd at City Hall, 1916 Hurstbourne Circle at 6:30 PM. If you are a business owner and would like to attend, contact me for details. (502) 744-4418

Kentucky State Fair's Free Concert Line-up for 2018

This year, the concerts will be hosted in a new spot next to Kentucky Kingdom called Bluegrass Village. The concert series used to be inside of Cardinal Stadium. The State Fair says that Bluegrass Village "highlights local craft breweries, bourbon distilleries, culinary and Kentucky retail."



All concerts are still free with admission to the State Fair. Here is the lineup:

Gary Allan and Walker Montgomery - Aug. 16

112 and Midnight Star - Aug. 17

Great White, Vixen, and Goldyllocks - Aug. 18

The Oak Ridge Boys, Larry Gatlin and the Gatlin Brothers - Aug. 19

Casting Crowns and Bonray - Aug. 20

Happy Together Tour - Aug. 21

Chris Janson and Carly Pearce - Aug. 22

Chevelle and The Cunning - Aug. 23

Josh Turner and Dillon Carmichael - Aug. 24

The Commodores - Aug. 25

Mercy Me with special guest Stars Go Dim - Aug. 26

For more information visit www.kystatefair.org. The Kentucky State Fair runs from August 16 through August 26.

Quote of the Month: *“The secret of staying young is to live honestly, eat slowly, and lie about your age,”* Lucille Ball

Election News

Have you ever thought about being a Commissioner or the Mayor of our City? August 14 is the filing deadline for all five of these paid positions and all will be on the ballot on November 6. You can get more information and additional filing instructions at: elections.jeffersoncounty.org or by calling 574-6100 to have an informative packet mailed to you.

CITY OF HURSTBOURNE ACRES July 12, 2018 Minutes DRAFT

The regular meeting of the City Commission was called to order at 6:30 PM on July 12, 2018 at the meeting room of the Hurstbourne Acres City Hall/Police Department, 1916 Hurstbourne Circle, Louisville, Kentucky, with the following persons present:

Sean Fore, Mayor
Troy Eskridge, Commissioner
Terry McAllister, Commissioner
Donna Nichols, Commissioner
Teresa Renninger, Commissioner
Steve Griffin, Police Chief
Steve Emery, Attorney

Michael Bolten, Clerk
Lenny Miles, Resident
Kim Bloomer, Resident
Margaret Carter, Resident

Promotions:

Police Chief Griffin presided over the ceremony which promoted Sergeant Christopher Flowers to the new position of Lieutenant, and Officer Kevin Mills to the rank of Sergeant.



Lieutenant Flowers, Chief Griffin, Sergeant Mills

June 14, 2018 Minutes

Commissioner Eskridge requested a change to the published minutes. Under the Park Commissioner's Report, the minutes should read that residents and/or small parties can reserve the gazebo and picnic tables, but not the Park as a whole. (When reserved, other residents or individuals can still use the Park, generally.) The size of the party would be restricted due to the lack of parking facilities. Commissioner Nichols made a motion to accept the minutes as corrected. The motion was seconded by Commissioner McAllister and carried without opposition.

Treasurer's Report

Mayor Fore read the report for June, 2018 and copies were made available for all people in attendance. Commissioner Renninger made a motion to accept the report as presented. The

motion was seconded by Commissioner McAllister which carried unanimously.

Warrants

Mayor Fore read the warrants for June, 2018 and copies were made available for all people in attendance. A motion to accept the warrants as outlined was made by Commissioner McAllister and seconded by Commissioner Nichols. The motion carried unopposed.

Police Report

Police Chief Griffin reported the following for June, 2018:

- Offense reports 0
- Accident reports 2
- Arrests 5
- Traffic stops 25
- Citations issued 17
- Warnings issued 8
- Contacts with other agencies 6
- House watches 7
- Courtesy notices 0
- Directed patrols 1
- Calls for service 25
- License plates confiscated 1
- Motorists assists 4
- Funeral watches 0

June Highlights

- All officers completed Kentucky League of Cities recommended monthly training
- Officer Mills completed his annual 40 hour in-service training
- All ABC license renewals were processed and new ABC licenses were issued
- Directed patrol was for speeders on Bunsen
- All Golden Watch residents checked on weekly
- All businesses in shopping centers checked on daily
- Explorer and Taurus are in good working order

- “Slow, Children Playing” sign has been installed on Cardwell Way.

Attorney’s Report

Steve Emery indicated that the case management conference for the sidewalk project will either be at 10:30 am on July 30 or August 30. As soon as Attorney Emery receives clarification, his office will notify Mayor Fore and Commissioner McAllister so that they can attend. In a question from Commissioner Renninger, Attorney Emery said that he has not yet checked on the delinquent property taxes. He promised to work on that right away.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Parks

Commissioner Eskridge reported that the City picnic date has been set for September 30. In addition to the usual picnic activities, Commissioner Eskridge is working on a couple of surprises to incentivize residents to arrive early (the beginning of the scheduled picnic time). Lastly, he mentioned several limbs that were down in the Park. There are also a couple of dead trees on the berm. Stump Busters will take care of both problems at the same time to reduce the cost.

Sanitation

Commissioner McAllister advised that he was getting push back on the cost mentioned for putting a garbage can out by the bus stop bench on Hurstbourne Parkway just north of Hurstbourne Circle. He said that he will do more research, and advise at a future monthly meeting. The idea of starting a business networking group or businessman’s association here in Hurstbourne Acres was suggested by Commissioner McAllister. He stated that he has a speaker lined up at no cost. The idea is that the City would host the meeting at City Hall on the evening of August 23. Following a discussion, Mayor Fore asked Commissioner McAllister to develop a letter or flyer that Chief Griffin and his department can deliver to the businesses. From this, interest in a networking

group can be evaluated so plans can move forward, if indicated.

Streets

Commissioner Nichols has been contacted by several residents about having the light at Taylorsville Road and Blowing Tree Road changed to include a 'blinking yellow light'. Residents believe that this will be needed more than ever once the median is finished on Taylorsville Road as this will prevent a left turn onto Hurstbourne Lane. She will start by contacting the State Highway Department.

In other news, the wrong type of 'No Outlet' or 'Dead End' sign at Blowing Tree Road and Wesley Avenue was installed. The sign vendor acknowledged the problem and agreed to replace it at no additional cost.

Commissioner Nichols talked with Butch from Stump Busters this past Monday who told her that he would trim back the tree limbs overhanging Bunsen Way in a couple of days. He also indicated that he would mulch.

In answer to a question from Mayor Fore, Commissioner Nichols said that she has contacted LG&E and is working on getting a light repaired. Finally, Commissioner Nichols said that the City website needs to be amended. Whenever a resident notices that a light is out, rather than contacting the LG&E number currently shown on the website, they should be directed to contact the Streets Commissioner.

Police

Commissioner Renninger reported that all of the paperwork is in regarding ABC and all licenses have been issued. The City has taken in \$10,400. Concerning the decision last month to allow commissioners and/or residents to attend the interviews (as observers only) for the new police officers, Commissioner Renninger asked for reconsideration. She made the case that the current process has been very successful over the years. Also, by including other commissioners and/or residents as observers, it would make the interview process potentially awkward and unprofessional. The interview committee now includes a person

from the business community, a resident, a former Police Chief and herself. After a discussion, 3 commissioners voted to leave the established process as is, 1 voted against, and 1 abstained. Therefore, the only persons present during the interviews will be the aforementioned committee members.

Lastly, Commissioner Renninger promoted "Music In The Park" as a way to help residents get together and socialize. This is in response to suggestions from last month's meeting.

OLD/NEW BUSINESS

Auditor Update

Mayor Fore and Treasurer Sharon Hollkamp talked with 2 separate auditors as a replacement for our current auditor. After learning that the cost of a new auditor would be significantly higher than what the City now pays, Mayor Fore decided to give our auditor one last chance. The City agreed to provide the auditor with the required information by September 15, and the auditor will provide the audit no later than November 15.

Nunnlea Issues

Mayor Fore talked with Butch from Stump Busters about the ditch in front of Nunnlea. After providing a quote to get the ditch cleaned out and then to maintain, Mayor Fore instructed Butch to proceed with the clean out and maintenance.

A resident on Hurstbourne Circle expressed her concerns about the noise and parking at and around Nunnlea during parties/weddings/events. Mayor Fore agreed to talk with Kathleen from the Beautification League about the problems.

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

Respectfully Submitted,
Michael Bolten, City Clerk