

Town of Stonewood



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From the Office

City Hall, upon recent approval from City Council, will provide pamphlet displays on the front wall of the office. This will include information from the churches of our town, public information from government entities as well as information from local businesses. If you would like to display any pamphlets or business cards, please feel free to stop at City Hall or contact our office at (304) 623-2919.

Please keep in mind that if a holiday falls on a regularly scheduled pick up day, that garbage will be picked up on the next business day following the holiday. Please continue to put garbage out the night before or by 6:00 am the day garbage is due to be picked up.

We would like to recognize those residents who are 90 years and older. Happy Birthday to you!

JEAN HYMAN 11/28

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

COUNCIL MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
AUGUST 21ST 2018
7 P.M.

SEWER BOARD MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
AUGUST 21ST 2018
4:30 P.M.

LABOR DAY SEPTEMBER 3RD 2018

STONEWOOD CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY SEPT. 3RD IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY

COUNCIL MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
SEPTEMBER 4TH 2018
7 P.M.

COUNCIL MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
SEPTEMBER 18TH 2018
7 P.M.

SEWER BOARD MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
SEPTEMBER 18TH 2018
4:30 P.M.

COUNCIL MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
October 2ND 2018
7 P.M.

COLUMBUS DAY OCTOBER 8TH 2018

STONEWOOD CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY OCTOBER 8TH, 2018 IN OBSERVANCE OF COLUMBUS DAY

COUNCIL MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
OCTOBER 16TH 2018
7 P.M.

SEWER BOARD MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
OCTOBER 16TH 2018
4:30 P.M.

COUNCIL MEETING

STONEWOOD CITY HALL
NOVEMBER 5TH 2018
7 P.M.

ELECTION DAY NOVEMBER 6TH 2018

STONEWOOD CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON TUESDAY NOVEMBER 6TH, 2018 IN OBSERVANCE OF ELECTION DAY

VETERANS DAY NOVEMBER 12TH 2018

STONEWOOD CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY NOVEMBER 12TH 2018 IN OBSERVANCE OF VETERANS DAY

Information on Ordinances

Recent ordinances passed:

Fireworks

Littering

Oversized/Overweight Vehicles

Theft of Utilities

All Terrain Vehicles

Curfew

Deferred Payment plans for Water and Sewer

Returned Check Policy

Water Utility Leak Adjustment Policy

Sewer Utility Leak Adjustment Policy

Obscene, anonymous, harassing and threatening communications by computer, cell phones and electronic communication devices

Trespass on property other than structure or conveyance

It is unfortunate that we have numerous areas experiencing high volumes of litter. We have received assistance from numerous organizations like the Stonewood Lions Club, who try to assist in the maintenance of Route 58. Any violators caught littering will be cited and prosecuted in Municipal court.

City Council is in the process of preparing and considering a City ordinance on cats. Please keep in mind, if you take responsibility for any animal, be considerate of your neighbors in providing proper care for said animal.

All ordinances can be viewed on our website at www.cityofstonewood.com under the More Tab.

Code Enforcement Notice

We still have about two more months of the grass cutting season. This summer has been more successful in keeping properties in compliance than last summer. We hope to continue along this path.

In the past year, we have set out to rid the City of inoperable and unlicensed vehicles and have been successful. All the vehicles in violation have been licensed or taken out of the City. We thank everyone for their compliance and cooperation in handling this matter.

We are working with the owners of dilapidated and unsightly structures to tear down or fix them. We have seen one property starting to be torn down on Woodland Avenue and are almost finished. A few other property owners have made plans on what needs to be fixed up for the structures to be code compliant. We are working to get these done in a timely manner.

If you have any questions regarding code violations, feel free to contact me at (304) 623-2919.

Thank you,

Robert Leonard, Code Official

Certain residents have worked really hard to maintain City sidewalks. The City would like to personally thank those that have taken time to dedicate past, present and future time to the maintenance of our Town. If you are not able to physically help or help by monetary means, please contact the City so we can assist you with any maintenance necessary.

We can now accept Visa, MasterCard and Discover credit card payments for water bills in office or over the phone. The same rates apply if you call in or make a payment online. The rate is \$3.95 for payments up to \$131.75 and 3% for payments over \$131.75. The City of Stonewood does not receive this fee. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office.

Life on the Stonewood Beat

Chief M. A. Secreto

Children will begin school on Wednesday August 15th, 2018 and there will be traffic delays on Cost Avenue as well as heavier than normal traffic. Officers will monitor speed (15 MPH school zone) and stop traffic on Cost Avenue for the children walking to Norwood Elementary School between the hours of 7:00 am to 8:00 am and 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm. Please manage your times for these traffic delays by allowing yourself extra time for travel. Please be aware of school buses stopping will loading and unloading students. Do not violate school bus red lights.

The Stonewood Police Department would like to thank Colombo Law for providing bicycle helmets for children under the age of 15 years old riding bicycles on the roadway. If you know of a child in need, please contact City Hall to make arrangements for a helmet.

Please remember that if you see someone or something suspicious to call 911.

Thank you and God bless!



Churches and Locations

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

8092 Third Street

(304) 623-2334

Church of the Nazarene

9254 Cost Avenue

(304) 624-0430

Congregational Missionary

8086 Hazelwood Avenue

(304) 622-7256

Bible Baptist Temple

1450 Cost Avenue

(304) 623-2630

Christian & Missionary Alliance

8273 Hazelwood Avenue

(304) 624-5966

Pentecostal Church of

Living God

8144 Stout Street

(304) 884-8154

From the Maintenance Department

It has been a busy summer and the Maintenance department would like to thank you for your patience as we're making our way through the "to do" list around the City.

As a reminder, recycling is picked up every Friday so please put your bins out on Friday and not on your regular trash collection day. If there is recycling set out with the garbage, it will be left and picked up on that Friday.

With the changes of the season around the corner, please do not discard your leaves in the garbage; we cannot dispose of grass clippings or leaves. Also, with the winter months approaching please check your outside faucets to guard against freezing and water leaks. If you have exposed lines that could freeze, don't forget the heat tape!

Please report any issues for the Maintenance department to the office.

DO YOU RECYCLE?



Currently we estimate that 30% of the 964 Stonewood residents are recycling. The City pays 93% more for one dump at the landfill versus the whole month of recycling. It is a significant savings to the City to remove recycled products from our weekly waste collections and you're helping the environment. Please have recycling out Thursday evening or Friday morning by 6:00 am. If you need a recycle bin, please call the office and we'll deliver a bin for your Friday pickup. Thank you!

Acceptable materials: Pourable plastic containers with #1 or #2 on bottom (ex. Plastic soda bottles, plastic milk jugs, etc.) Newspapers, aluminum cans, bi-metal and steel cans and corrugated cardboard.

Unacceptable materials: Foam, plastic grocery bags, pizza boxes, egg cartons, butter tubs and glass and oil containers.



Stonewood Volunteer Fire Department

Considering becoming a Volunteer Fire Fighter? Training requirements are demanding but the service is very rewarding. Contact the Stonewood Volunteer Fire Department today at (304) 622-1199 to find out how you can become a member.

The station has undergone major renovations recently with more improvements to come. Be on the lookout for an Open House notice coming soon. We would love to see the community come out and support their local volunteer fire department.

October is Fire Prevention Month

Remember to change the batteries in your smoke detectors. If assistance is needed with installation or placement of your smoke detector, please contact the Fire department for assistance.

Calls for the month of July 2018

City Calls	21
Total Calls	45

Check us out on Facebook by searching @STWFDCO12 for information as well as pictures of the recent remodel.