

## SPRING NEWSLETTER



## **UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER**

04/03	Road District Meeting (6:00 PM)
04/04	Claycomo General Municipal Election
04/08	Fire Department Pancake Day
04/09	HAPPY EASTER
04/10	Board of Trustees Meeting (7:00 PM)
04/11	Municipal Court (5:00 PM)
04/17	Zoning Board (7:00PM)

04/20 Neighborhood Watch Meeting (7:00 PM)

04/24 Board of Trustees Meeting (7:00 PM)

Municipal Court (5:00 PM)

04/26 EDC - Economic Development Council (6:30 PM)

05/01 Road District Meeting (6:00 PM) 05/02 Municipal Court (5:00 PM)

05/08 Board of Trustees Meeting (7:00 PM)

05/14 HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY 05/15 Zoning Board (7:00 PM) 05/16 Municipal Court (5:00 PM)

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05/22 Board of Trustees Meeting (7:00 PM)05/29 MEMORIAL DAY—City Hall CLOSED

05/31 EDC - Economic Development Council (6:30 PM)



# Village-Wide Garage Sale

Our summertime villagewide garage sale will be Saturday, June 3rd.



#### Village-Wide Clean Up

Village-wide Clean up day is coming up on Saturday,
June 10. There will also be
2 dumpsters available for your large items in the City
Hall Parking Lot.



### **Highlights Inside**

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We have a new Motorcycle officer, Jared Sartin! Wave to him if you see him out and about. The Motorcycle came to us at no cost to the Village, it belongs to Officer Sartin, so that was a big blessing.

Spring is coming! Just a reminder on a few nuisance violations that occur around this time every year—you are not allowed to leave grass clippings in the roadway after you mow your yard.



**Sec. 21-2 Prohibited.** (q) The dumping of any junk, refuse, garbage, waste, animal or vegetable matter, or dead animals on any streets, highways, or other property within the limits of the village.

Also, your grass is not allowed to grow more than 10 inches (It used to be 18 inches).

#### Sec. 21-18. Permitting Growth of High Vegetation, Grass, Etc., Prohibited.

**A.** It shall be unlawful for any owner, lessee or occupant, or any agent, servant, representative or employee of any such owner, lessee or occupant, having control of any lot, piece of land, or any part of any lot, to allow rank or uncultivated vegetation, or grass to attain a height greater than ten inches or more on:

- 1. Any developed lot or land; or
- 2. That portion of any undeveloped land which portion is located within 50 feet of the centerline of any adjacent street or alley unless such land is not safely accessible.
- 3. Whenever private property abuts a public right-of-way or easement be longing to the Village, or any other public entity, and there exists in such right-of-way or easement a tree, lawn or grassy area between the private property line and the midline of said right-of-way or easement, then such tree, lawn or grassy area shall be considered, for purposes of this section, to be a part of the private lot which abuts the right-of-way or easement, and it shall be the duty of the responsible under this section forth trimming of tree limbs to at least 8 feet above the public sidewalk or public place, and mowing of the private lot to equally maintain the tree, lawn or grassy area within the abutting right-of-way or easement, and all of the provisions of this section shall apply with equal force and effect to said tree, lawn or grassy area.
- 4. The provisions of this section shall not apply to publicly owned grassy medians. In addition to any other available remedies, any person violating this section shall be punished as provided by section 21-15.

Matt Coonce — Chief of Police



## **Claycomo Pancake Day**

Claycomo Fire Fighters Annual Pancake Day is BACK!! Come see us, Saturday, April 8 from 8:00 AM- NOON at the Claycomo Community Building (28 S. Drake Claycomo, MO 64119). Breakfast is FREE to the public!! This is a fundraiser for our Fire Department. \$10.00 Donation, per person is suggested. Residents and non-residents welcome!

## **Special Presentation**

On February 27, 2023 at our Board of Trustees Meeting, Fire Chief Shaumeyer presented new Fire Fighters with a special Pinning Ceremony. It is the Presenting of Helmet Front, Badge and

Collar Brass. The following Fire Fighters were honored:

Captain Apurou Johnson (unable to attend)

Firefighter/EMT Brett Lockard

Firefighter/EMT Sawyer Lundeen

Firefighter/EMT Dayton Shireman

Firefighter/EMT Jackson Lee

Firefighter/EMT Jason Jaycox

Firefighter/EMT Ryan Schultz

Firefighter/Paramedic Charles Rush

Firefighter/Paramedic Scott Robbins (unable to attend)

















## **Community Reminders**

## DIRECTORY INFORMATION

#### EMERGENCY—CALL 911

Police Dispatch Non-Emergency (816) 781-7373

Fire Dept. Non-Emergency (816) 452-4612

\*Identify Yourself as a Claycomo Resident or Business

#### **Village of Claycomo**

115 E US 69 Highway
Claycomo, MO 64119
(816) 452-5539 Main
Email: VillageClerk@Claycomo.org
Office Hours M-F 8AM to 5PM

#### **Municipal Court**

(816) 452-4539 Municipal Court is Closed on Fridays.

#### **Police Administration**

115 E US 69 Highway (816) 452-4613

#### **Claycomo Fire Station**

333 E US 69 Highway (816) 452-4612



There will be a Neighborhood Watch Meeting on Thursday, April 20 at 7:00 PM, at Mildred Keeney Park. Other upcoming meetings are Thursday, July 20 at 7:00 PM, at the Community Center, Thursday, October 19 at 7:00 PM, at Mildred Keeney Park.

## Holiday Trash Pickup Schedule

Monday, May 29 (Memorial Day) Trash pickup will be delayed by one day. If you have any questions about your trash or recycling pickup schedule or other services, want to add new services, or need to change your service. Please contact Republic Services at 816-254-1470.



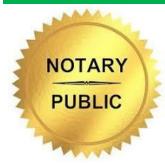
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## **Claycomo Community Building**

If you have an upcoming event, consider our Community Building. Call 816-452-5539 to see if your date is available.

Do you have questions about our village? *Check our website!* Visit <a href="https://www.claycomo.org">www.claycomo.org</a> to see the Village calendar, Trustee meeting minutes, how to file for a police report, the cost for renting the Community Building and so much more!

## **Community Reminders** (continued)



## **Notary Services Available**

Our Village Clerk, Melody Wymore and our Deputy Village Clerk, Tammy Hamilton are both Missouri Notaries for Clay County. You can find them at City Hall 8:00 AM-5:00 PM, Monday through Friday. This service is free to Claycomo Residents.

Appointments preferred. Call 816-452-5539.



## **Changes are Coming to our Trash Services**

Effective April 1, 2023, Republic Services will be charging for extra trash bins. The Village pays for 1 trash bin, per household. Any additional bins are \$50.00/year. If your current trash bin is damaged and needs to be replaced, contact Republic Services at 816-254-1470. They will issue a replacement bin for your address, on your next trash pick-up day. Also beginning April 1, Republic will no longer offer Recycling pick up. Currently, there are less than 25 residents using Republic for their recycling needs. There are several places in the area, available to take your recycling items. Some locations are: KCMO/4707 Deramus Ave., Pleasant Valley/5400 NE Pleasant Valley Rd., Gladstone/Metro North area. To keep trash pick up free for Claycomo residents, we have renewed our contract with Republic, as no other company offered bids for our business. There will be hotline information coming soon.

# JUNE 17 VOLUNTEER STREAM CLEANUP

#### **Stream** Team **News**

Stream Team will meet on Saturday, June 17 to clean up our local creeks, rivers and streams. Volunteers are needed.

If you would like to volunteer your time, contact Melody at 816-452-5539.

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## **Community Reminders** (continued)

#### **CLAYCOMO BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

#### **Board of Trustees**

Terry Bradich, Chairman
Mark Benton, Chairman Pro-Tem
Larry Barrera, Trustee
Renee Hoppe, Trustee
David Jett, Trustee

The Board of Trustees meetings are set the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays each month, and begin at 7:00PM.

Meetings are held at the Claycomo Community Building located at 28 S Drake St, and are open to the public.

The Board of Trustees encourages all of our residents to attend the meetings, and become involved in our community.

Contact Information for all of our Trustees can be found on our web page, at

www.claycomo.org.



### **Election News**

Village of Claycomo General Municipal Election will be held on April 4, 2023. Make sure you're registered to vote! Claycomo's voting station is in Claycomo Community Building (28 S. Drake Street).





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