



# THE WIGMO CITIZEN

**MAY 2022**

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## The Official Newsletter of the City of Duenweg, Missouri

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Visit [Duenwegmo.com](http://Duenwegmo.com) or **Duenweg Missouri** on Facebook for up to date information on events, community news and links to access Court information or pay your utility bill.

### City Officials & City Staff

- Mayor - **Russell Olds**
- City Clerk - **Shirley J Lewis**
- Ward One Aldermen - **James Williams**  
**Karen Edge**
- Ward Two Aldermen - **William Haldeman**  
**Dellaca Reynolds**
- Administrative Director to Mayor's Office- **Justin Pryor**
- Police Chief - **Jeff Pearce**
- Publics Works Manager & Water Facilities Director- **Ron Klein**
- Court Clerk  
Utilities Clerk  
**Kim Albrecht**
- Administrative Assistant  
Prosecutor's Assistance  
**Katelyn Slifer**
- Building Department  
**Colton Harbin**



***Memorial Day Holiday!***  
***City Hall will be closed on Monday May 30, 2022 observance of Memorial Day.***

## *News From The Board of Aldermen...*

February 24, 2022 minutes:

- ⇒ Bill NO. 2022-002. An ordinance to annex 7380 E 20<sup>th</sup> Street, 180 Church, into the City of Duenweg. Ordinance NO. 2022-002 was adopted and in full effect as of February 24, 2022.
- ⇒ Resolution NO. 2022-004 was adopted by the Board of Aldermen regarding the matter of the proposed annexation of certain unincorporated territory to the City of Duenweg.
- ⇒ UBMax utility software three year support was authorized for payment for \$1,386.00.
- ⇒ 2022 MML membership was authorized for payment.
- ⇒ A storm water discussion was held regarding North Irwin was held and approved for \$21,000.00 to complete the project.
- ⇒ A bucket for the Bobcat Skid Steer was approved for \$3,600.00.
- ⇒ Crack fill was authorized for North Prignor from 7<sup>th</sup> Street to Cedar Road/Newman Road for \$3,500.00.
- ⇒ Two” trash pump was authorized to purchase for \$1,400.00

March 24, 2022 Draft Agenda:

### *Meeting to be held on March 31, 2022*

*(Following is the agenda as this newsletter was printed before the council meeting was held.)*

- ◇ Resolution NO. 2022-005. A resolution to amend major street plan.
- ◇ Resolution NO. 2022-006. A resolution to appoint check signers for the City of Duenweg, Jasper County, Missouri, on the Show Me Court Account of the Jasper County Circuit Court, Duenweg Municipal Division, Jasper County, Duenweg, Missouri.
- ◇ Police Department server and recovery of data discussion.
- ◇ Well discussion.
- ◇ New city hall discussion.

The April Council Meeting will be held on Thursday April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022 @ 7:00 p.m.  
at the Duenweg Municipal Building, 118 Webb Street, Duenweg, MO.

### *Park Board...*

The April meeting is scheduled for April 12th, 2022 at 7:00 PM  
at the Duenweg Municipal Building, 118 Webb Street, Duenweg, MO.

If you have any concerns or question please attend the meetings and make your voice heard!

### *Duenweg: Small town living at its best Duenweg Police Department*

The past month in our neighboring community and across the state, law enforcement agencies were left to mourn the loss of fellow officers due to senseless acts of violence. Our Duenweg Police Officers selflessly serve and protect our community and the citizens within it on a daily basis. We would like to take a moment to say thank you to our Officers at the Duenweg Police Department for your dedication and service. You are loved and appreciated.



# March St. Patrick's Day Contest: WINNER

We had a lot of really great guesses and some were pretty close but we only had one eligible winner!!

Congratulations to Ramona Hunley for her guess of 300 skittles in the Leprechaun's jar!

\*\*\*\*Actual number of skittles was 299\*\*\*\*



## April Contest :

**The Easter Bunny has lost 3 eggs from his basket that are each filled with different items and we don't know what is inside them!  
We need you to come and shake the Easter Egg and guess what you think the Easter Bunny has hidden inside the Egg!**

Beginning Friday April 1st, 2022 Entry forms are available at City Hall for you to fill out. To win the contest, you need to guess the correct item inside each egg. If we have more than one person guess the contents of each egg correctly, each of the names will be entered into a drawing and one name will be chosen at random to be declared the winner.

**This month's winner will receive a gift card donated by The Nutrition Fix Along with a City Of Duenweg 20 oz Tumbler.**

**\*\* Entries must be filled out on the entry form located at City Hall and placed in the contest box by the close of business on April 15th, 2022 to be eligible to win.**

- \* Winners must be a resident of Duenweg to be eligible to win prizes.
- \*\* Employees of the City of Duenweg and their immediate family members are not eligible to win.
- \*\*\* All prizes and contest supplies are donated to the City by various community members and organizations. No costs are incurred by the City.

If you would like to donate a prize for upcoming contests, please call or email Kim Albrecht at [Kalbrecht@duenwegmo.com](mailto:Kalbrecht@duenwegmo.com) or 417-623-2027.  
*We appreciate your kindness!*



# APRIL 2022

Sun      Mon      Tue      Wed      Thu      Fri      Sat

					1	2
3	4	5	6 Trash Day	7	8	9
10	11	12 Park Board Meeting @ 7 PM	13 Trash Day	14 Planning Board Meeting @ 7:00 PM	15	16
17	18	19	20 Trash Day WATER BILLS DUE	21 Late Fees Applied @ 8 AM	22	23
24	25 Shut Offs @ 8 AM Court @ 5:30 PM	26	27 Trash Day	28 City Council Meeting @ 7 PM	29	30



- 7 Roma Nolan
- 13 Thomas Jefferson
- 14 Jaxon Ross Trombley
- 15 Kash Hosey
- 19 Karen Drake
- 19 Mackenzie Vice
- 20 Susan James
- 21 Samantha Wilcox
- 23 Ron Klein
- 27 Christal Fiala
- 29 Marty Bland
- 29 Summer Tyndall



- 1 Rob & Melinda Ingram
- 24 Russell & Brenda Olds

## Newsletter Content

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## Important Reminders...

### Trash Pick-Up Dates —

Trash Day is Wednesday. If there is a holiday on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday, then Trash Day is still on Wednesday. If the holiday is on Wednesday then the trash day will be on Thursday. If you have any questions, please call 417-623-6620.

### Storm Sirens —

Just a reminder, we will continue to test the storm sirens on the **second Wednesday of the month at 10:00 a.m.** If you doubt one of the storm sirens is not working properly please notify City Hall at (417) 623-2027.

### Want to Get Involved?

The Planning Board and the Park Board frequently have open seats. Interested in knowing more? Ask at City Hall what you have to do to get an assignment. Get Involved! This is **OUR** City — be a part of its future!

### IF YOU USE PAYPAL

To pay your water, sewer, trash bill with the City of Duenweg, PLEASE set it up for payment by the 14th of the month so it will clear and be posted to the CITY'S account before your bill is past due! We do NOT receive notifications that a payment has been made UNTIL that payment is DEPOSITED into OUR account, therefore, if you pay your bill using PayPal after the 13th of the month, we may not receive notice that you have paid that bill until after we have processed it for late payment! This does NOT affect payments made in person or over the phone using your debit or credit card.

*Thank you!!!!*

**Will April bring lots of showers for May flowers?**

### Meeting Times & Schedules

The City of Duenweg Board of Aldermen (Council) meets on the **FOURTH** Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. If you would like to be listed on the agenda, please notify City Hall at (417) 623-2027 two business days before the meeting.

The City of Duenweg Park Board meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. If you would like to address the Park Board, please notify City Hall at (417) 623-2027 by the Monday before the meeting to be listed on the agenda.

The City of Duenweg Planning Board meets on the **THIRD** Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. If you would like to be listed on the agenda, please notify City Hall at (417) 623-2027 two business days before the meeting.

All Board Meetings are held in the Municipal Building at 118 Webb Street.

### City Water Bill Payments are Due Upon Receipt

Bills can be paid online through the City's web site and PayPal or in person at City Hall. Beginning on the 21<sup>st</sup> of each month, or on the Monday following that date if it falls on a weekend, a late charge of 10% is applied. If the past due amounts are not paid by the 25<sup>th</sup> of the same month at 8:00 AM, then your water service will be discontinued on the 25th or the next business day if it is on a weekend or holiday. There is a reconnect fee of \$25.00, if your water is turned off for non-payment.

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### SPECIAL NOTICE....

**The Public Works Department would like you to know that if you have issues with City Utilities after hours, please call 417-623-2263 so the proper authorities can be notified.**

### EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

With storm season upon us I wanted to take a moment to inform every one of the cities policies on warning sirens. Our sirens are for outdoor warning. If you are indoors you need to rely on television or a NOAA weather radio. The sirens will sound when a tornado warning is received for our portion of our county or surrounding counties or when winds speeds reach 70 MPH or higher. We will not issue an all clear.

**The city residents have access to the storm shelter owned by the Joplin School District, located at 801 S Irwin. The fire station is not a shelter.** If you go to the fire station you will be sent to the shelter at the school. The shelter will be opened when severe weather approaches our area. The school district has a policy that any animal in the shelter must be in a cage or carrier. This is for everyone's safety. If you have any questions or concerns please let us know. Let's all work together to make this a safe season for all.

—Ron King

# CHILDREN'S COLORING CONTEST

Parents and/or Grandparents: Please have your child 0 to 12 years to color this page and bring to Duenweg City Hall so we can display their talent. Write their name, your name, and phone number on the back so we can contact you for the prize!

