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The Official Newsletter of the City of Duenweg, Missouri

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City Officials & City Staff

Mayor -
Russell Olds
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James Williams
Karen Edge
Ward Two Aldermen -
William Haldeman
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Mayor's Office-
Justin Pryor
Police Chief -
Robert Vice
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Water Facilities Director -
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Utility Clerk -
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Emergencies - Dial 9-1-1

Mark your Calendars!

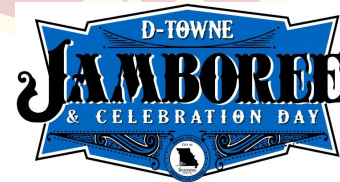
D-Towne Jamboree & Duenweg Celebration Day

Saturday, September 21st, 2019 @ 2:00 pm

Located at the Duenweg Fairgrounds

Music Lineup Includes:

- ◆ Members Only
- ◆ Diversity Band
- ◆ Erin Fitzgibbon
- ◆ Bailey Moore



There will be food trucks and free kids activities as well!

Admission is \$5 per vehicle, however we have teamed up with Ronald McDonald House so that for every item brought to the gate from their donation wishlist you will receive \$1 off the entry fee.

In Memory of Jack "Allyn" Reding

Jack "Allyn" Reding, age 63, of Duenweg, MO, passed away on Friday July 5, 2019 at Freeman Hospital, following a sudden illness.

Allyn was born on February 23, 1956 in Joplin the son of Jack D. and June (Cossey) Reding. He has been a lifetime resident of Duenweg. He graduated from Parkwood High School in 1974. He married his high school sweetheart, Mona VanFleet on June 6, 1975 in Duenweg. Together they raised three children. He instilled in his children the importance of a strong work ethic, and that it is important to lend a helping hand to others. Family was very important to Allyn. He was a wonderful grandfather.

Allyn began his working career at Atlas Powder Company where he worked for twenty-five years. He was dedicated to his community. He became a member of the Duenweg Volunteer Fire Department when he was a teenager. In 1998 he became the Chief of the Duenweg Volunteer Fire Department. He spent many years training and teaching others to be the best firefighters that they could be. He was a member of the Ozark Gateway Fire Chiefs Association and the Jasco Board.

Allyn leaves behind his wife of forty-four years, Mona Reding, Duenweg, MO; three children, Jason Reding and wife Starr, Duenweg, MO; Stefanie Allen and husband Gabe, Joplin, MO, and Corey Reding and wife Shelly, Joplin, MO, his parents, Jack and June Reding, Duenweg, MO; his mother and father in-law, Barbara and Jim VanFleet, Duenweg, MO; two brothers, Brent Reding, Carthage, MO, and Howard Reding and wife Bev, Carthage, MO; seven grandchildren, Cole and Harris Allen, Ryder, Kylie and Ayden Reding, and Emily and Haylea Reding; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

News From The...

Board of Aldermen...

The July 2019 council meeting was held on Thursday, July 25th, 2019 and the following were on the agenda:

- Ratify invoices from Associated Redi Mix, Inc. for concrete projects.
- Authorize payment of Metro Area Public Transit System invoice.
- Public Hearing set for setting of 2019 Property Rates.
- Well #1 discussion
- Bill NO. 2019-009. An ordinance for the election of the City Clerk for the City of Duenweg, Jasper County, Missouri.

The August 2019 council meeting will be on Thursday, August 22nd, 2019 at 7:00 pm. If you have any concerns or questions that need on the agenda please notify Shirley Lewis at 417-623-2027 or email her at slewis@duenwegmo.com. You are welcome and encouraged to attend all city meetings to learn more about OUR community and voice your desires.

Park Board...

The July 2019 Park Board meeting was held on Tuesday, July 30th and the following were on the agenda:

- Elect officers
- Appoint members
- D-Towne Jamboree
- General business

If you have any concerns or questions that need on the agenda for the next meeting please notify Shirley Lewis at 417-623-2027 or email her at slewis@duenwegmo.com. You are welcome and encouraged to attend all city meetings to learn more about OUR community and voice your desires.

Notices for all public meetings including Board of Aldermen, Park Board, and Public Hearings are posted on the notice board outside of the Municipal Building.

Duenweg Volunteer Fire Department....

The Duenweg Fire Department would like to thank the community for their show of support for Fire Chief Jack Allyn Reding. We would also like to thank all the area police and fire departments for their support, thoughts, and prayers during this difficult time.

We would also like to announce the hiring of Howard Reding to fill the position of Fire Chief. Howard has been a member of the Duenweg Volunteer Fire Department since 1973. He also was a member of the Joplin Fire Department for 20 years, retiring at the rank of Battalion Chief. We know that this department will continued to provide excellent service to the communities we serve.

August 2019

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				1	2 Mayor's Morning Coffee @ Fire Dept 7:30—10:00 am	3
4	5	6	7 Trash Day	8	9 Mayor's Morning Coffee @ Fire Dept 7:30—10:00 am	10
11	12	13 Park Board Meeting 7:00 pm	14 Trash Day	15	16 Mayor's Morning Coffee @ Fire Dept 7:30—10:00 am	17
18	19	20	21 Trash Day ***** Water Bill Late Fees Applied	22 Board of Aldermen Meeting 7:00 pm	23 Mayor's Morning Coffee @ Fire Dept 7:30—10:00 am	24
25	26 Shut Offs for Delinquent Water Bills	27	28 Trash Day	29	30 Mayor's Morning Coffee @ Fire Dept 7:30—10:00 am	31



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS



Jacob Crouch	1	Billie Ingram	19
Zach Miller	1	Mykah Campbell	19
Adria Trombley	2	Mona Reding	20
Christopher Garcia	2	Robert Olds	20
Gary Davis	3	Dakota Osborn	21
Shiree Dodson	4	Jerry Simon	21
Rene Johnson	4	Gavryan Nicholas	23
Cassie Mendenhall	5	Corey Reding	23
Kierstyn Hutson	6	Michael Campbell	24
Doug Simon	7	Courtney Campbell	24
Nancy Hirshey	9	Austin Bland	28
Mayor Russell Olds	11	Miranda Olds	28
Roy Nolan	12	Karen Edge	29
Jeff Powers	12	Everette Goade	30
Sierra Tyndall	13	Cici McPheron	30
Jennifer Bland	14	Jordan Garcia	31
Margie King	15	Chaz Miller	31
3 Barbara VanFleet	16		



AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES



Roy & Roma Nolan	9
Wayne & Charlene Thomas	21

If you have a birthday or an anniversary that you would like to appear in the newsletter, please contact City Hall at 417-623-2027 or aweston@duenwegmo.com.



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 13th 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!!!!

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 21st 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 bills are not paid by the 25th 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 if your water is turned off for non-payment. If you have any questions, please contact City Hall at (417) 623-2027.

Newsletter Content

If you have an article, information, or idea for the Wigmo Citizen, submit it to City Hall no later than the 15th of the month in order to be considered for the next month's newsletter. You can do this by dropping it off at City Hall, by mailing to PO Box 105, or by emailing the office clerk at aweston@duenwegmo.com

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.

BACK TO SCHOOL SAFETY TIPS

1. Don't Talk to Strangers
2. Wear a Helmet
3. STOP Before you Cross
4. Don't Play in the Street at the Bus Stop
5. Wear a Seatbelt in Carpools
6. Only Accept Rides from People You Know
7. Memorize your Phone Number and Address
8. Walk or Ride With a Buddy
9. Stand up to Bullies
10. Don't Keep Secrets from Parents

PlanningPlaytime.com