

December 2019

The Official Newsletter of the City of Duenweg, Missouri

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City Officials & City Staff

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- Ward Two Aldermen -
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Mayor's Office-
Justin Pryor
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- Court Clerk/Utility Clerk -
Traci Kessler
- Administrative Assistant-
Ron Klein

**Public Hearings for
Water Rates & Sewer Rates**

Public hearings for water rates & sewer rates will be held at the Duenweg Municipal Building, on the following dates

- December 13, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.
- December 19, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

The public is welcome and encouraged to attend these hearings. These public hearings are important for YOU to attend and voice YOUR opinion and/or comment in order for the Board of Aldermen to make informed decisions to represent YOU, their constituents.

Winter Weather

With the colder months coming, the threat of snow and ice increases. In the past, Duenweg Public Works has done a great job at keeping the roads clear and safe. A big part of this is thanks to the consideration of our residents in keeping the roads cleared. Please remember that moving vehicles or other items such as basketball goals from along the roadway helps our guys perform their job to the fullest extent.

December Holiday Hours

City Hall will be closed on Tuesday, December 24th and Wednesday, December 25th in observance of the Christmas Holiday. We will also be closed Tuesday, December 31st and Wednesday, January 1st in observance of the New Year. There is a payment drop box located on the front of City Hall for your convenience. You may also pay your bill over the phone or on our website for the same \$3 fee as in person with a card.

Please note the following important dates:

- Duenweg Municipal Court will be held on 12/16/2019 @ 5:30 pm.
- Water bill late fees will be applied on 12/23/2019 as normal.
- Shut offs for delinquent bills will be on Thursday, 12/26/2019 @ 8:00 am.
- Trash days are normal will be 12/26/2019 and 01/02/2020.

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 Police - Non-emergency
 (417) 623-2263
 Fire - Non-emergency
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 Emergencies - Dial 9-1-1

News From The...

Board of Aldermen...

The November Council Meeting was held on November 21st, 2019 and the following were discussed:

- Approved expenditures for the following:
 - Citation books for the police department.
 - Contracting to clear a portion of Magajupa District.
 - Street work and curb & gutter.
- Set Public Hearings for the increase of water rates and sewer rates. The dates are as follows:
 - Friday, December 13, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Municipal Building, 118 Webb Street.
 - Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 118 Webb Street.

The December 2019 council meeting will be on Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 7:00 pm. If you have any concerns or questions that need on the agenda please notify Shirley J 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.

Park Board...

The Duenweg Park Board meeting was held on November 13th, 2019 at 7:00 pm at the Duenweg Municipal Building, 118 Webb Street, Duenweg, MO and the following were discussed:

- Fencing at Barley Memorial Park.
- Discussion for basketball courts.
- Fountain replacement at Apple Park.
- Donating score board located at the ball parks.
- Future meeting dates

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 14th, 2019 at 7:00 pm.

The Twelve Days of Christmas

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U	O	V	R	T	R	R	I	Q	E	R
K	D	R	E	T	E	D	S	N	E	I
L	C	M	D	S	R	R	S	F	E	N
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D	D	N	I	M	B	S	D	M	D	S
I	J	J	M	I	E	S	D	G	U	X
A	T	U	R	E	Y	J	E	B	E	D
M	R	D	G	L	E	G	Y	M	J	H
D	S	K	B	P	S	R	E	P	I	P

PARTRIDGE	BIRDS	SWANS	LORDS
DOVES	RINGS	MAIDS	PIPERS
HENS	GEESE	LADIES	DRUMMERS

A PARTRIDGE in a pear tree.
 Two turtle DOVES
 Three French HENS
 Four calling BIRDS
 Five golden RINGS
 Six GEESE a-laying
 Seven SWANS a-swimming
 Eight MAIDS a-milking
 Nine LADIES dancing
 Ten LORDS a-leaping
 Eleven PIPERS piping
 Twelve DRUMMERS drumming

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Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

1	2	3	4 Trash Day	5	6 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting @ Fire Department 7:30 -10:00 am	7
8	9	10	11 Trash Day	12	13 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting @ Fire Department 7:30 -10:00 am ***** Public Hearing 10:00 a.m.	14
15	16 Municipal Court 5:30 p.m.	17	18 Trash Day	19 Public Hearing 6:00 p.m. ***** Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.	20 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting @ Fire Department 7:30 -10:00 am	21
22	23 Water Bill Late Fees Applied	24 City Hall Closed	25 City Hall Closed	26 Trash Day	27 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting @ Fire Department 7:30 -10:00 am	28
29	30 City Hall Closed	31 City Hall Closed	1 City Hall Closed			



DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS



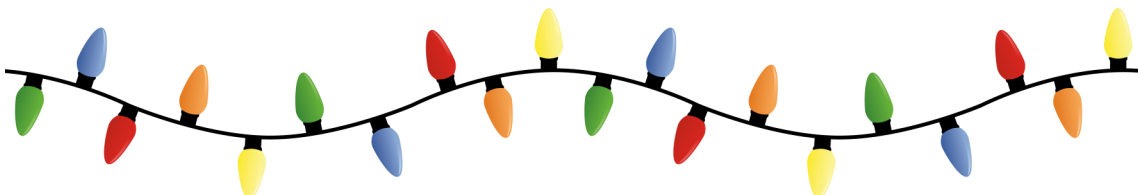
DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES



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|----|-----------------|----|-------------------|
| 1 | Dustin Webb | 16 | Robin Nolan |
| 1 | Letha Tessreau | 18 | Lilly Witham |
| 2 | Scott Dodson | 18 | Jon Moser |
| 6 | Rachel McPheron | 24 | Chelsey Powers |
| 6 | Nicholas Garcia | 25 | J.C. |
| 9 | McKayla Osborn | 26 | Justin Trombley |
| 9 | Becca Trotnic | 29 | Darren Walker |
| 12 | Melinda Ingram | 31 | Edward Joe Holder |
| 12 | Britney Atkins | | |

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| 6 | Gary & Joyce Nichols |
| 20 | Larin & Stephanie Trenary |
| 21 | David & Karen Drake |
| 22 | David & Syla Reel |

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 slewis@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 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!!!!

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 and past due notices are mailed out to those who have not paid their bills by that date. If the past due notices are not paid by the 25th of the same month at 8:00 a.m., 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 slewis@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.

Weather Almanac for December 2018 From almanac.com

Dates	Weather Conditions
Dec 1-2	Sunny, cold
Dec 3-7	Rainy periods, mild
Dec 8-14	Snow, then flurries, cold
Dec 15-17	Sunny, mild
Dec 18-20	Snow showers
Dec 21-31	Rainy periods, mild
December	temperature 35° (3° above avg.) precipitation 1" (0.5" below avg.)