# **WIGMO** Citizen

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The Official Newsletter of the City of Duenweg, Missouri

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# Voter Registration

General Municipal Election Day is Tuesday, April 2, 2019. There will be Aldermen elections for both wards on the ballot. The deadline to register to vote for this election is March 6, 2019. Registration can be done at City Hall or at www.sos.mo.gov/elections. You may also check your registration status at that web address.

This infographic has been provided by the Duenweg Volunteer Fire Department. Check out these helpful tips to help first responders in the event they are needed at your residence.

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#### City Officials & City Staff

Mayor -Russell Olds City Clerk -Shirley Lewis Ward One Aldermen -

Don Johnson

Karen Edge Ward Two Aldermen -

William Haldeman Dellaca Revnolds

Administrative Director to

Mayor's Office-Justin Pryor

Police Chief -

Robert Vice

Publics Works Manager & Water Facilities Director -

Dennis Hutson

Utility Clerk -

Adrienne Weston

Administrative Assistant-Ron Klein

City of Duenweg PO Box 105 106 Webb Street Duenweg, MO 64841 (417) 623-2027 www.duenwegmo.com Police - Non-emergency (417) 623-2263 Fire - Non-emergency (417) 623-7408 Emergencies - Dial 9-1-1

#### HELP US HELP YOU!

**DUENWEG VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT** 303 WOLFE DR, DUENWEG, MO 64841 PHONE: 4174-623-7408

#### MARKING YOUR HOME WITH YOUR ADDRSS

#### THE LARGER THE NUMBERS THE BETTER!

#### RECOMMENEDED FOR MAILBOXES/POSTS

SIZE: FROM 6FT AWAY 1" LETTERS SEEM FINE BUT IN AN EMERGENCY VEHICLE AT NIGHT 1" LETTERS ARE EXTREAMLY HARD TO READ. A MINIMUM OF 3" REFLECTIVE BLOCK-STYLE LETTERS ARE RECOMMENDED.

VISIBILITY: USE CONTRASTING COLORS AND BE SURE THAT THE NUMBERS ARE NOT OBCURED!

#### RECOMMENEDED FOR BUILDINGS

SIZE: 4"-6" BLOCK STYLE-LETTERS

VISIBILITY: USE CONTRASTING COLORS AND BE SURE THAT THE NUMBERS ARE NOT OBCURED!

#### LET US KNOW HOW TO CONTACT YOU!

PASS ON YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION TO US! IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGECY OUR DISPATCH CENTER CAN PROVIDE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION TO **RESPONDERS SO YOU CAN BE NOTIFIED!** 

#### HAVE A STORM SHELTER?

CONTACT US AND HAVE YOUR STORM SHELTER LOCATION ADDED TO OUR SECURE COMPUTER AIDED **DISPATCH SOFTWARE!** 





#### HAVE A HIDDEN KEY?

IF YOU HAVE A HIDDEN KEY THAT RESPONDERS CAN USE TO ACCESS YOUR HOME IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY? LET US KNOW! KEY LOCATIONS ARE STORED IN A SECURE COMPUTER AIDED DISPATCH SYSTEM AND CAN ONLY BE ACCESSED BY EMERGENCY SERVICES PERSONEL.

#### DON'T FEEL SAFE HAVING A KEY HIDDEN?

IF YOU DON'T FILL SAFE HAVING A KEY HIDDEN AROUND YOUR HOUSE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FIRE STATION AND ASK ABOUT A KNOX BOX!

#### HAVE A GARAGE CODE OR KEYPAD CODE?

IF YOU HAVE A GARAGE OR KEYPAD CODE THAT RESPONDERS CAN USE TO ACCESS YOUR HOME IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT TO HAVE THE CODE ENTERED INTO OUR SECURE COMPUTER AIDED DISPATCH SOFEWARE





#### News From The...

#### Board of Aldermen...

The January Council Meeting was held on January 24th, 2018 and the following were on the agenda:

- Sewer connections on South Prigmor Road.
- Discussion for parking on street in the 100 block of Webb Street
- Ann Townsend, requesting waiver for setbacks on property she is purchasing within the citylimits of Duenweg, Missouri.
- Bill NO. 2019-001. An ordinance establishing an application for permit and permit for extension, construction, planning or development of public or private utilities and infrastructure within the corporate limits of the City of Duenweg, Jasper County, Missouri.
- Bill NO. 2019-002. An ordinance annexing certain adjacent territory into the City of Duenweg, Jasper County, Missouri.

The February 2019 council meeting will be on Thursday, February 28th, 2018 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.

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 January 8th, 2018 at 7:00 pm at the Duenweg Municipal Building, 118 Webb Street, Duenweg, MO and the following were discussed:

- Options to replace the toilet in the bathroom
- Signs for Bartley Memorial Park.
- Process for reserving Apple Park.
- Agreement made with Casey's to take down wooden fence in front of Bartley Park and replace it with a decorative entrance.
- Information presented about cost and details of the option to install a splash pad.
- Election of officers as follows:

President—Jeff Routledge

Vice President—Mary VanFleet

Secretary—Kirstie Lutz

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7:00 pm.

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# In Remembrance of Gary Kenney...

Gary Kenney, 68, died January 15, 2019 after battling pancreatic cancer for 2 years. Gary was born January 27, 1950 in St. John NB, Canada. He was survived by his wife of 40 years, his 2 sons, and his greatest joy, his grandson. Gary was active in the local ministerial alliances as well as in his church. Gary spent many years working in various broadcasting roles, including starting the first locally owned TV stations in southwest Missouri (Trinity Broadcasting Network, PAX TV, ION TV, and Retro TV) with his wife Debbie. Gary was a friend of the City of Duenweg, always willing to spread the word about community events and attending the Mayor's Morning Coffee on a regular basis. Pictured here is Mr. Kenney at a City Council meeting where he was the first person to appear before the council in the newly renovated municipal building. The City extends our condolences to his family and friends.



# February 2019

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24	25 Delinquent Water Bill Shut Offs ****** Municipal Court 5:30 pm	26	27 Trash Day	28 Board of Aldermen 7:00 pm		



# **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**







## FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES



James & Shirley Lewis 12 Doug & Lori Hennen 14

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 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. 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.

# Weather Almanac for February 2019 From almanac.com

Dates	Weather Conditions		
Feb 1-6	Flurries, then sunny, mild		
Feb 7-13	Rain arriving, mild		
Feb 14- 18	Rain to snow, then sunny, cold		
Feb 19- 24	Sunny, turning warm		
Feb 25- 28	Showers, mild		
February	temperature 38° (7° above avg.) precipitation 1.5" (avg.)		