

January 2018

The Official Newsletter of the City of Duenweg, Missouri

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An undated photo from our collection of historical photos shows students of the old Duenweg School. We love to see pieces of Duenweg history or to show the historical photo collection on display at City Hall.

City Officials & City Staff

- Mayor - Russell Olds
- City Clerk - Shirley Lewis
- Ward One Aldermen - Don Johnson, Karen Edge
- Ward Two Aldermen - William Haldeman, Dellaca Reynolds
- Administrative Assistant - Veronica Miller
- Publics Works Manager & Water Facilities Director - Dennis Hutson
- Office Clerk - Adrienne Weston

Test Your Winter Weather Knowledge!

How big can snowflakes get?

The largest snowflake ever observed is believed to have been 15 inches wide and 8 inches thick. It was reported in Montana in 1887.

No two snowflakes are exactly alike – myth!

In 1988, a scientist found two identical snow crystals from a storm in Wisconsin.

How much snow falls in the U.S.?

Approximately 1 septillion crystals (1,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000) fall from the sky each winter!

What makes a blizzard a blizzard?

In order for a storm to classify as a blizzard, it has to impair visibility for at least ¼ mile, deliver winds in excess of 35 miles per hour, and last at least 3 hours. Otherwise, it's just a snowstorm.

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 Duenweg, MO 64841
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 Police - Non-emergency
 (417) 623-2263
 Fire - Non-emergency
 (417) 623-7408
 Emergencies - Dial 9-1-1

News From The...

Board of Aldermen...

The December 2017 Council Meeting was held on December 28, 2017 and the following were discussed:

- The Board of Aldermen approved the expenditure for 2018 Missouri Municipal League Membership.
- The Board of Aldermen ratified the invoice for new tires on patrol car #712.
- The Board of Aldermen discussed the demolition of 217 Webb Street.
- The Board of Aldermen accepted bid from B&D Yardbuilders for the demolition of 307 Irwin Street.
- The Board of Aldermen discussed the home at 624 Irwin Street.
- The Board of Aldermen adopted the 2018 Proposed Budget for the City of Duenweg.
- The Board of Aldermen discussed and approved the expenditure to place graphics on patrol car #712.

The January 2018 council meeting will be on Thursday, January 25, 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.

Public Works Department...

With the winter weather approaching, please use caution when parking on the streets especially when there is snow in the forecast. Park off the street when possible to ensure the snow plows can properly clear the roadways.

WCA Trash Pickup Reminder

Trash day is on Wednesday unless a major holiday falls on Wednesday, in which case service will run the next day. If the holiday falls on a Monday or Tuesday, service will still run on Wednesday but may be later in the day. Please still have carts out at their normal time.

January 2018

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

	1	2	3 Trash Day	4	5 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting 7:30-10:00 am @ Fire Department	6
7	8	9	10 Trash Day	11	12 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting 7:30-10:00 am @ Fire Department	13
14	15 Martin Luther King, Jr Day	16	17 Trash Day	18	19 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting 7:30-10:00 am @ Fire Department	20
21	22 Municipal Court 5:30 pm	23	24 Trash Day	25 Board of Aldermen Meeting 7:00 pm	26 Mayor's Morning Coffee Meeting 7:30-10:00 am @ Fire Department	27
28	29	30	31 Trash Day			



JANUARY BIRTHDAYS



- 6 Elizabeth Fowler
- 9 Samara Dodson
- 11 Ellen Webb
- 13 Adrienne Weston
- 18 Amy Klein
- 24 Gary Nichols
- 26 Brenda Olds
- 26 Edith Terry
- 28 Tyler Atkinson
- 29 Mike Riley
- 31 Howard Reding
- 31 Robert Thompson



JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES



- 21 Ron & Amy Klein

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 third 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.

Past Due Notices 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 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 January 2018 From almanac.com

Jan 1-5	Flurries, frigid
Jan 6-12	Sunny, mild
Jan 13-19	Rain, then sunny, mild
Jan 20-22	Snow showers, cold
Jan 23-31	Rain, then sunny, mild
January	temperature 34° (5° above avg.) precipitation 2" (1" above avg.)

