

THE BARBOURMEADE NEWS

JANUARY 2016

A Word from The Mayor

I am very pleased as to what the Commission has been able to accomplish during the past year. We are on schedule with the repaving of the streets in the City of Barbourmeade pursuant to the City's long term paving plan. Again, the Commission has been able to continue to provide services to City residents without increasing the tax rate. I would like to thank each and every member of the Commission and our support staff for their dedication, hard work and support throughout 2015. Thank You!

I would encourage any resident who has not signed up for Reach Alert to do so as soon as possible. The City uses the Reach Alert system in order to alert City residents as to issues that are of importance in our City. The City offers this service at no cost to you.

Winter is once again upon us and as such the City is prepared to deal with any issues related to snow so that our streets will be safe during inclement weather.

If you have any issues that need to be addressed, please feel free to contact me at anytime as I am here to serve you.

Sincerely yours,

----- Bryan N. Coomer

City Contact Info

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Commissioner of Roads/Maintenance & Animal Control	Lisa Crockett	439-4894	roadmaintenance@barbourmeade.org
Commissioner of Safety & Insurance	Dan Streit	426-4323	safety_insurance@barbourmeade.org
Commissioner of Sanitation	Pam Ward	689-4479	sanitation@barbourmeade.org
City Attorney	Stan Chauvin	584-6394	cityattorney@barbourmeade.org
City Engineer	Ted Trautwein	425-2742	cityengineer@barbourmeade.org
City Treasurer	Chris Russell	897-9495	citytreasurer@barbourmeade.org
City Clerk	Brian Davis	424-7181	cityclerk@barbourmeade.org
Graymoor-Devondale Police Department		327-COPS (2677)	

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: REACH ALERT PROGRAM



You mean you haven't signed up for REACH Alert yet....what are you waiting for?! Below is information regarding this service and how you can sign-up at absolutely no cost to you. That's right...it is free!

REACH Alert will be used to send you timely information about events and emergencies impacting our city. As a user of REACH Alert, you will be in control of how you receive your messages from us. This means you will be able to:

- **Three ways to receive your messages** – email, voice call, text messaging.
- **Add up to four devices** – email addresses and/or phone numbers that you want to receive your messages with.
- **Update your contact information at anytime** – add an email address & phone number when you register, then login to update your info today or three years from now.

If you don't register, you won't receive our messages or the benefits above.

To register, go to www.reachalert.com and click on the blue text, "Create an account." When prompted, please use the following information to register for our Network.

Network Name: Barbourmeade

Role: Resident

If you chose to receive text alerts, REACH Alert will send a text message to your cell phone immediately upon completion of your registration. Please enter the 4-digit number on the registration screen and then click the word **VALIDATE**. If you do not receive this message, please call REACH Alert.

If you are interested in signing up but do not have access to a computer, please contact Commissioner Pam Ward at (502) 689-4479.

And finally, if you have an item that you would like to send out via the REACH Alert system, please contact Pam Ward at (502) 689-4479 or sanitation@barbourmeade.org.

Safety

To see or speak with a police officer or to file a report, PLEASE call 327-COPS (2677). The dispatcher will contact the Graymoor-Devondale Police Department who are on duty 24 hours a day – 7 days a week. Please advise Graymoor-Devondale Police Department of the details of the crime reports taken by other police departments so they are aware of crimes in our City. Also, please advise Dan Streit, Safety Commissioner.

PLEASE OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING:

- **Do no park on the street during snowy weather.**
- **Do not speed or run stop signs – citations will be written.**
- Do not park within 30 feet of stop or yield signs (state law).
- Park in the same direction as the traffic flow (state law).
- Do not impede traffic when parking on the street.
- Do not place garbage cans or yard waste on the street.
- Burning leaves, branches and/or trash is illegal.

SAFETY SUGGESTIONS

- Have adequate outdoor lighting.
- Do not open your door to strangers – City has a No Solicitation ordinance.
- Keep valuables out of sight.
- Do not leave items (such as bicycles) in your front yard.
- Close and lock all doors at night and when you are away, including car doors.
- Have your house number visible from the street.
- All guests should park on the same side of the street.
- Upon request, Graymoor-Devondale Police will check your house when you go out of town.

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Emergency (Police, Fire and EMS):	911
Non-Emergency Police:	327-COPS (2677)
Louisville Water Company:	583-6610
Metropolitan Sewer District:	587-0603
Louisville Gas & Electric:	
Street Light Outage:	589-1444
Electric Trouble:	589-3500
Gas Trouble:	589-5511
American Red Cross (they need blood):	589-4450

----- Dan Streit

Beautification

Fall and winter flowers have replaced the begonias and add a little color through the dark months. The beautiful red begonias will be back in the spring as well as some other changes

Holiday decorations are up and will remain until the first week-end of the new year. The delay on some was due to illness. As with the entrance sign lights, please report any holiday lights out or damaged or missing décor. Time and weather have not been kind to the decorations and most will be replaced, updated, and supplemented next year.

We will discuss continuing the special mailbox program through Brownsboro Hardware as well as the tree replacement program through Greenscapes if there is enough interest. If you have an interest please e-mail me at Beautification@Barbourmeade.org .

Most damaged and missing shrubs along Highway 22 have been replaced.

Many of those shrubs had been damaged by cars and accident reports had not been made therefore tax dollars pay the cost of replacements. If you see or know of a traffic accident that damages city property please notify me as soon as possible so we can attempt to have the damage covered by insurance. If you report an accident PLEASE also notify the Graymoor-Devondale police at 327-COPS (2677).

Happy Holidays to all!

----- Tom Budniak



Roads & Maintenance

The contract for the Sorrento/Coronado/Breeland area repaving project has been accepted and work will begin this spring.

Also, we have a new snow removal contractor for this winter season. There are three levels of snow removal: Major Intersections, Major Intersections Plus Tricky Spots, and Everything. If you have any questions about the snow removal options, or if you need to report stubborn ice/snow after an event, please contact Commissioner Lisa Crockett at 439-4894 or roadmaintenance@barbourmeade.org.

----- Lisa Crockett

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Sanitation

It is hard to believe that it is already 2016. I hope you and your family had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Below you will see the 2016 Rumpke Holiday and Recycling Schedules. You can also find these at any time on the Barbourmeade website (www.barbourmeade.org).

If you have any questions, concerns or problems with trash, recycling and yard waste pick up please contact me at 689-4479 or sanitation@barbourmeade.org.

----- Pam Ward

2016 RECYCLING CALENDAR

January 2016							February 2016							March 2016						
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October 2016							November 2016							December 2016						
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(The shaded weeks are the weeks we have recycling pickup in Barbourmeade.)

Pickup will be delayed by one day on the following holidays: Memorial Day, Independence Day, and Labor Day.