



# CITY OF ASH GROVE NEWS

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JULY 2021  
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**Mayor**

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**Council**

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Jerry Kane  
William Wagner  
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**City Clerk**

Melissa Mau

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**Clerk**

Jennifer Martin

**Court Clerk**

Jennifer Martin

**Public Works**

Larry Harrison  
Bill Dunfield

**Police Chief**

Darin Chance

**Officers**

Andrew Benjamin  
Matthew Adkins  
Sergeant Bob Bell  
Riley Benton

**Reserve Officers**

Matt Coombes  
Felisity Cordell  
Joseph Mahan  
Melinda McElroy  
Denny Lawson  
Megan Collins

**Resource Specialist**

**E M Director**

Jacob Marler

**Park Board**

Sue Van Strohe

**Planning &**

**Zoning Board**

Dan Downing

**Fire Department**

Tony Monnig

**EMERGENCY 911**

**Liberty Electric**

1-800-206-2300

**WCA (Trash)**

1-800-323-7548

**Spire**

1-800-582-1234

**SESQUICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION**

150th Anniversary of Ash Grove, Missouri was celebrated with a two day event with several folks participating in the many activities centered around "Sparks In The Park". Many thanks to the historic town committee and all the vendors, performers, & volunteers for such a great event that ended with spectacular fireworks!

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**CITY ORDINANCE SECTION 210.570**

It shall be unlawful for any person owning or possessing any fireworks to explode, detonate, discharge, or combust fireworks within the City Limits, which shall specifically include city parks, schools, streets, public property, except that fireworks may be used by individuals on their own residential property as provided in Section 210.580. The time line to discharge fireworks shall be from June 28th thru July 7th. No fireworks shall be exploded or discharged after the hours of 10:00 pm except on the 4th of July until midnight.

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**SWIM LESSONS**

Reminder: Swim Lessons will be the week of July 12 - 16 from 6-8 pm with a cost of \$30.00 per child. Please contact David Raper at 751-3052 during pool hours to reserve your child's spot as soon as possible.

Pool Hours: Tuesday thru Saturday 12 pm to 6 pm

Sunday 1 pm to 6 pm, CLOSED on Monday's

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**CITY BUSINESS LICENSES DUE BY JULY 1, 2021**

**CHARGE IS \$25.00—PICK UP AT CITY HALL**

Senate Bill 30-Sect. 144.083.2 RSMo, effective January 1, 2009 states; "The possession of a retail sales license and a statement from the department of revenue that the licensee owes no tax due must be presented when renewing your city license." For more information on receiving a CERTIFICATE OF NO TAX DUE contact The State of Missouri Department of Revenue in Jefferson City at 573-751-9268 and ask them to fax your copy to Ash Grove City Hall at 417-751-3814. You cannot pick up your license WITHOUT THIS FORM. Failure to apply for any license required by June 30 will result in a penalty of 5% of the deficiency, and for every month thereafter, 5% shall be added to the penalty not exceeding 25%

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**Nathan and Olive Boone Historic Site, 7850 N State Hwy**

Summer Hours: April 1 - October 31

OPEN Wednesday - Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm

Sunday from 1 pm to 4 pm,

Closed Mon. & Tues. 751-3266

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

- \* Sunday, July 4 - Happy 4th of July!
- \* Monday, July 5 - City Hall CLOSED for Independence Day Holiday
- \* Tuesday, July 6 - Water Bills Due by 4:30 pm
- \* Tuesday, July 6 - American Legion Meeting 6:30
- \* Tuesday, July 6 - City Council Meeting 7 pm
- \* Wednesday, July 7 - Water Bill penalty applied
- \* Thursday, July 8 - Water Bill calculated/mailed
- \* Tuesday, July 13 - P & Z Meeting 7 pm
- \* Wednesday, July 14 - Siren Test 10 am
- \* Thursday, July 15 - Municipal Court 3 pm
- \* Thursday, July 15 - Park Board Meeting 7 pm
- \* Saturday, July 17 - Food Pantry Distribution at 121 W. Main, 9 am to 11 am, Valid Drivers License, SS numbers, & proof of Greene Co. Residency. BY APPOINTMENT AT 379-4421
- \* Monday, July 19 - Council Study Session 7 pm
- \* Monday, July 26 - Fire Department Meeting 6 pm
- \* Tuesday, July 27 - P & Z Meeting 7 pm
- \* Monday, August 2 - City Council Meeting 7 pm
- \* Saturday, August 28 - 100 Mile Garage Sale

**BARGAINS AND BLESSINGS**

Thursday thru Saturday 10 am to 2 pm. Donations are always welcome and they directly help local citizens!

**SUNSHINE CENTER REOPENS JULY 1ST**

If you are 60 or older and would like meals for pickup or delivery please call 751-3826.

**RECYCLING CENTER**

The Ash Grove Recycling Center, 704 Industrial Drive is open Monday-Friday 9-4pm, Saturday 9-12pm (Closed on Holidays)

Rent the Barham House for \$65.00, Fax \$1.00 per 3 pages

**DIAPER BANK DRIVE UP ONLY**

The United Methodist Church Diaper Bank distribution will be on Saturday, July 17th. Pre-register by July 11th by mailing your name, address, and phone number, and the name and product size for baby/child/adult to agfriendsandneighbors@gmail.com.

**Contact Information for City of Ash Grove**

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★ INDEPENDENCE DAY ★