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BANCROFT EVENTS

Thanks again to everyone who came out for our rescheduled Fourth of July Bike Parade. We hope you had a good time. Feel free to share any photos or videos you got to our Bancroft Facebook page.

Keep an eye out in your email for details about our August 12 end of summer celebration.

MAYOR'S NOTES

July brought us our Independence Day bicycle parade that was attended by a large group of children and their families. Fortunately, the day was beautiful; no rain and not too much heat. Commissioner Jaimie Schapker did a great job of organizing the parade, complete with patriotic red, white, and blue decorations for any bikes that wanted it.

July saw an accident on Bancroft Lane. A contractor had a problem of control arise in his pickup. It swerved out of control and ran into 2 of our mature trees. There was some

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damage earlier in the year has kept our newest commissioner busy. She is doing stellar work keeping the city in good shape.

As many of you know, we have a home that has been in foreclosure for some time. The court finally had approval to sell it on July 21. With no advance notice the lender on the home cancelled the sale however, saying they will have it on the market soon. Today, 7/26 the receiver file a report stating that the home is now ready for sale. Soon, maybe?

Finally, before I write again, school will have started. I remind you all that stop signs are there for everyone's safety. With children on the streets going to or coming from school, we need to pay close attention to the road. Enjoy the summer. You do know it will go away again.

Ed Evers, Mayor

REACH ALERT!

Have you signed up for Reach Alert? We recently had a tree fall in Bancroft completely blocking Maria Avenue. A Reach Alert was sent right away advising residents to avoid the area. This reminded me what a great tool this is and that so many of our residents do not receive the alerts. Please take a moment to go to Reach Alert.com to sign up. If you have any questions on how to join, please email clerk Tuthill at clerk@cityofbancroft.org.

INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX FEES

We are asking for your help to ensure that your insurance company is aware that you reside in the *City of Bancroft*, not the City of Louisville. This allows Bancroft to receive the tax fee instead of Louisville.

POLICE NOTES FROM CHIEF MUDD

August 9th is the first day of school, and I urge all Bancroft residents to take a little more care in navigating the streets of the city during the hours when kids are walking to and from bus stops. There were complaints last year of vehicles not yielding to school buses as they loaded and unloaded children so I will be monitoring traffic for this offense in particular. It seems we have more and more "cut through" traffic each year so give yourself a little extra time to get to school or work. I wish everyone a safe and happy Back to School season.

As always, if anyone has any questions, please feel free to call me on the city phone, (502) 263-3663.

For immediate police assistance:

1. Emergency: Dial 911

2. Non-emergency police assistance: Dial 311

For non-urgent neighborhood concerns:

1. Call our police line at **(502) 263-3663.** Leave a voicemail with your name and phone number. Chief Mudd will call you back when he is on duty.

For your safety, please call 911 or 311 to have police dispatched. If Chief Mudd is working, then they will dispatch him to help you, otherwise, they will dispatch a Metro police officer. Do not personally seek out Chief Mudd to get assistance for an emergency.

June Meeting Minutes

TRASH SERVICES

RECYCLING

August 7

August 21

September 5

September 18

Please note there is no collection on Labor Day, September 4.

Collection will be the following day September 5.

REMINDER: Trash and recycling will not be collected if left on the ground and not in a container

YARD WASTE

Collected weekly starting April 1

Questions? Contact Rumpke 1–800–828–8171

NEXT COMMISSION MEETING

Wednesday August 9, 2023

7 p.m.

St. Albert the Great Catholic Church
Sacred Heart Center

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August Meeting Agenda

Have a New Neighbor?

We have so many new families moving into our neighborhood. Many do not know about our newsletter or Facebook page. If you have a new neighbor please let them know about our mailing list. They can contact Clerk Shannon Tuthill to add them to the email list and directory.

House Watch

If you are going to be away from home for any length of time, it is important to let Chief David Mudd know as soon as possible. You may fill out the form on the City of Bancroft website. Or, email Chief Mudd at cityofbancroft.org with the following important information:

- Name
- Address
- Emergency phone numbers
- Is anyone supposed to be there while you are away
- When you are leaving and when you plan to return

Rental Property Registration

Renting your home? Bancroft Ordinance requires you apply for a permit. This will ensure Chief Mudd knows who to contact in case of an issue or emergency. Rental permits can be found on the City of Bancroft website.

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Join the City of Bancroft Facebook group!



Reminder: To join you have to answer the prompt: Which street do you live on. This ensures only those approved to join live in the neighborhood. We do allow

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