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# BANCROFT CITY COMMISSION REVIEWS ARPA-FUNDED LIGHTING STUDY

The Bancroft City Commission is currently reviewing a comprehensive lighting study made possible by American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding. This initiative, aimed at enhancing our city's lighting infrastructure, has been completed and the commission is now carefully considering the recommendations.

As part of this ongoing effort, the city is already in the process of upgrading our streetlights. Crews will be working to replace the existing bulbs with energy-

efficient LEDs, which will provide brighter, more sustainable lighting throughout Bancroft. This upgrade is a crucial first step and will be completed before any further decisions are made based on the study's findings.

## **MAYOR'S NOTES**

My appreciation and thanks go out to Commissioners Magers and Berryhill. They are excellent purveyors of city information on our Facebook page. As Commissioner Berryhill said, the commission is moving forward updating our lighting and subsequently looking at the need that might exist to add new lighting.

We are so very fortunate to have a largely incident free city. Much of that goes to our police presence and diligence in controlling good traffic. So much comes from the simple act of observing traffic and discussing possible violations with those who need the talk.

On a personal note, while we do not have an overnight on-street parking ordinance I drive along our streets and see where there are serious "oil" leaks along curbs that have customary overnight parking. Our tax money goes to maintain the streets and it isn't in-expensive. If one of your cars happens to have a leak and it is commonly parked on the street, please put something under it to protect our roads. I know it will be a hassle, but the next repaving will likely cost us in the range of \$400,000 or more. And, when the cars are gone the appearance of a neighborhood that doesn't care, and I know we do.

Thanks to all for being good neighbors, Mayor Ed Evers

## **TAX BILL REMINDER**

Please watch your mailbox for a copy of your tax bill within the next. Please remember it is your responsibility to make sure your City of Bancroft taxes are paid prior to the due date even if you feel you did not receive a copy. You can always contact Clerk Tuthill for tax information. We greatly appreciate all our residents assistance with this.

## Attention Dog Owners...

Bancroft has a nuisance ordinance that prohibits frequent and persistent barking dogs in the city. Your dog may be deemed a nuisance if it is allowed to continuously bark.

**July Meeting Minutes** 

## NOTES FROM CHIEF MUDD

#### FROM THE CHIEF:

I would like to make everyone aware of a community meeting with LMPD Chief Paul Humphrey on September 18th, 2025 at 7PM at City of Lyndon City Hall, 515 Wood Road, Lyndon, KY. Chief Humphrey will discuss Louisville Metro Police Department's Crime Plan and Community Safety Commission. I urge all residents to try and attend to learn more and ask questions you may have about crime in our community.

Chief Mudd

### **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.

## **HOW CAN WE CONTACT THE POLICE?**

## 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.

## TRASH SERVICES

## **RECYCLING**

September 2

September 15

September 29

October 13

October 27

#### **YARD WASTE**

Collected weekly Starting April 1

Questions? Contact Rumpke 1-800-828-8171

#### **NEXT COMMISSION MEETING**

Wednesday, September 10, 2025 7 p.m.

St. Albert the Great Catholic Church
Sacred Heart Center
1395 Girard Drive
Louisville, Kentucky 40222

September Meeting Agenda

## **Have a New Neighbor?**

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 <u>fill out the form on the City of Bancroft website</u>. Or, email Chief Mudd at <u>chief@cityofbancroft.org</u> 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.

**Visit our City Website** 

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Richard Schiller

## 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 some residents who live just outside Bancroft city limits to join as well.