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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

THE LEAVES ARE FALLING! It's that time of year again... falling leaves. Please help keep our city beautiful by raking up your leaves and keeping the drain grates free of debris.

SHORTER DAYS/DARKER STREETS

Attention Walkers and Joggers: Please walk against the traffic so that you may easily be seen by oncoming vehicles. Also when walking at dawn or dusk wear bright reflective clothing. Bancroft is a beautiful city to get out and walk and enjoy the fall foliage but please be safe.

TAX TIME!

If you have not yet paid your City of Bancroft 2024 taxes, please do so by December 1, 2024 to avoid late fees and penalties. Need another copy of your bill or have any questions, please contact Clerk Tuthill.

NOTES FROM THE MAYOR

We have now gone past the election and we will have one vacancy that will need to be filled in January. Current commissioner, Gerrie Leppert was re-elected and Eric Berryhill, one of our neighbors, was elected as well. This year we had one registered "write-in" candidate and he received the votes needed to become a commissioner; and that would be resident Brad Baker.

I cannot publicly give out the police duty schedule, but I can assure you that it is not a regular "8 to 5" job. I think you will all agree with me that Chief Mudd is a great addition to our city but like you and me, he is only one person. As a reminder, let me tell you that by contract, LMPD covers our city just as they cover Metro, whenever our police are not on duty. Also, I implore you to contact him if there is an issue and do it by phone/text. I know we all like Facebook and other public forums, but he needs to be informed privately so gossip/imagination doesn't play a role in your issue.

This month I believe one of our residents had a car stolen. Make sure you are aware of your surroundings, and your property is safe. That means your empty cars need to be locked. That is strike 2 for the would be trouble makers. Nothing to steal and difficulty getting into a car frustrates them. Additionally, I will tell you that my wife watched a man park and walk a bag of trash to the end of Maria and dump it. Upon his return to his pick-up, parked by our home, he incurred the wrath of my wife and in the end, walked back, picked his trash up and drove away with it. She, on the other hand copied his license plate and passed the information on to the police. Let's all continue to be alert and continue to keep this city as one of the safest in the county.

September Meeting Minutes

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FROM THE CHIEF:

Once again we've had people go through the neighborhood looking to commit larceny. I want to remind people of some simple ways to make Bancroft a less appealing target.

1. Make sure your garage doors are closed at night.
2. If cars are parked outside, make sure they are locked.
3. Remove valuables from vehicles, or at very least keep them out of sight. Never leave a weapon in your vehicle unattended.
4. Make sure you don't leave vehicle keys inside the vehicle.
5. If you see anything suspicious, or find your vehicle has been entered (even if nothing was taken) report it to law enforcement immediately.

Thanks for your help in keeping Bancroft safe.

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

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December 9

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Questions? Contact Rumpke 1-800-828-8171

NEXT COMMISSION MEETING

Wednesday, November 13, 2024

7 p.m.

St. Albert the Great Catholic Church

Sacred Heart Center

1395 Girard Drive

Louisville, Kentucky 40222

November Meeting Agenda

Have a New Neighbor?

Let them know about our mailing list.

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 chief@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

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

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