

# Guide to Local Services

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# **ELECTED OFFICIALS**

**MAYOR:** Sean M. Flower, 415 Cerromar Dr.

314-414-3417

# **BOARD OF ALDERMEN** (Meetings at 7:00 p.m. on 1st and 3rd Tuesday)

Ward 1: (North of Interstate 44 Right-of Way, west of the rear property lines of lots fronting on Orchard Lane, south and west of the EnderBush Estates Subdivision to include the properties of Hilltop Village and the southern property line of Forby Estates Subdivision where it meets and includes the property located at 300 and 401 Forby Road, following the northern boundary line of the City to include all properties within the northern boundary line where it meets the City boundary line to the west and Interstate 44)

Wes Sir, 1006 Misty Mountain Lane 314-570-8101 Jerry Diekmann, 5215 Footpath Court 636-675-4412

Ward 2: (Eastern and northern boundary line of the City including the Emerald Forest Subdivision, following the western property line of the Rockwood School District to the northern property line of 300 Forby Road traveling along the western and southern property line of EnderBush Estates Subdivision to the rear property line of homes fronting Orchard Lane, traveling along the northern line of West Fifth Street to where it crosses Interstate 44, including properties on the north side of West Main Street where it meets the northern property line of 215 Sheerin Avenue, to the property line of 353 Bald Hill Road, including all properties along Brock Road and Bald Hill Road to where it meets Highway 109/W and crossing to include the properties in Windswept Farms Subdivision, traveling north and crossing Highway W to include all properties within the City boundary line at the Meramec River where it meets the eastern boundary line of the City)

Carleen Murray, 626 Wallach Drive 587-9195 Kevin Kilpatrick, 811 William Drive 636-242-1231

**Ward 3:** (South of the southern Right-of-Way line of Interstate 44, and properties west of the rear lot lines of the properties located on Bald Hill Road and Brock Road, and properties north of the southern boundary line of the City)

Jerry Holloway, 780 Vista Hills Court	314-819-3141
Maria Ascrizzi, 699 Legends View Drive	314-497-2454

# CITY OFFICIALS (City Hall Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday-Friday)

City Administrator:	Craig E. Sabo	938-5233
Finance Director:	Barb Flint	938-5233
City Clerk:	Julie Wood	938-5233
Chief of Police:	Michael Wiegand	938-6600
Building Commissioner:	John Boggs	938-5233

#### **VOTER REGISTRATION**

Voter Registration Applications are available at Eureka City Hall from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, Rockwood Schools and St. Louis County Library branches during regular business hours and online at www.sos.mo.gov. St. Louis County Election Information: 314-615-1800.

# **VOTING POLLS** (OPEN 6:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.)\*

Rockwood Administration Center Annex, 500 North Central Avenue

The Timbers Recreation Center, 1 Coffey Park Lane

Eureka Community Center, 333 Bald Hill Road

Blevins Elementary School, 25 East North Street

\*Each voter is notified of his/her polling place before all elections. If you do not receive notification contact voter registration at 314-615-1800.

# PARKS AND RECREATION

## **CITY OF EUREKA PARKS** (Open daily from dawn to dusk)

To reserve park pavilions, ballfields or the Community or Recreation Centers, phone the Eureka Parks and Recreation Department at 938-6775.

**Berry Park:** Located at 401 Forby Road. Two (2) pavilions w/grills, playground, restroom, accessible loop trail with connection to Eureka High School

**Bowlby Park:** Located at 807A Williams Drive. Children's playground.

**Coffey Park:** Located off of Hwy. 109. One (1) pavilion and playground, plus The Timbers Recreation Center).

**Drewel Park:** Located on Hill Drive in Shaws Garden Subdivision. Tennis court, handball courts, basketball court, ballfield, pavilion, playground and trail loop.

**Hilltop Park:** Located at Meramec Blvd. and Hilltop Ridge Drive near Forby Road. Pavilion.

**Lions Park:** Located on the east side of Bald Hill Road. Extended hours available by special written permit for recreational activities that use controlled City-operated fixed lighting. Lighted tennis courts, two lighted ballfields, two (2) unlighted ballfields, pavilion and playground.

**Legion Park:** Located on the west side of Bald Hill Road. Four ballfields, pavilion, playground, and roller blade/basketball court.

**Kircher Park:** Located on Williams Road near I-44. Two (2) pavilions w/grills, a restroom and an accessible trail connection to Route 66 State Park.

**Soetebier Park:** Located on Williams Road south of Kircher Park.

**William F. "Bud" Weber Community Center:** Located in Legion Park. Available for rental for social events and meetings.

**The Timbers Recreation Center:** Located in Coffey Park. Available for rental for social events and meetings.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY PARKS (For information, phone 314-615-7275)

Greensfelder Park: Six Flags Road. For horse stable information call 636-458-3801.

**West Tyson County Park:** Interstate 44 and Lewis Road.

Lone Elk Park: Interstate 44 and Highway 141.

(For reservations for all St. Louis County parks call 314-615-4386)

# STATE OF MISSOURI PARKS

Rockwoods Reservation: Highway 109 in Glencoe: 636-458-2236.

**Hilda Young Wildlife Area:** Highway FF in Jefferson County: 636-458-2236.

**Babler State Park:** Highway 109: 636-458-3813.

**Shaw Nature Reserve:** I-44 at Gray Summit: 636-451-3512. **Route 66 State Park:** I-44 at Lewis Road Exit: 938-7198.

**MERAMEC RIVER ACCESS POINTS:** Allenton, Swiftwater Bend and Pacific Palisades. For information phone the Missouri Department of Conservation at 636-458-2236 or 636-441-4554.

# **CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS**

American Legion O'Brien Post No. 177

Contact: Greg Kitson

938-5546

www.legioneurekamo.com

American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 177 938-6689

Contact: Elsie Becker

Eureka Memorial Post 5468 938-6393
Veterans of Foreign Wars www.vfweurekamo.com

Contact: Rich Sax

Eureka-Pacific Elks Lodge No. 2644 938-6720

19 West First Street

BPOE P.O. Box 732, Eureka, MO 63025

Eureka West St. Louis County Lions Club 938-9270

Contact: Wes Sir

Meramec Lodge No. 313 A.F. & A.M. 636-671-0762

Eureka Masonic Temple www.mofreemason.com/meramec313

616 Stockell Drive, P.O. Box 713

Contact: Bob Bauer

Wednesday Club of Eureka www.wednesdayclubeureka.com

Knights of Columbus Council 3511 938-3096

Contact: Kevin Vescovo

Good Earth Garden Club 938-7401

Contact: Doris Samples

Eureka Historical Society Contact:	P.O. Box 4: Eureka, MO 63025
Eureka Food Pantry - Methodist Church	938-6377
BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS AND SERVICE Eureka Chamber of Commerce 113 Hilltop Village, Suite C, Eureka, MO 63025	ES 938-6062 www.eurekachamber.org
REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND SERVICE Driver's License Examination Stations West County - 703 Big Bend Road	CES 636-256-3951
Auto & Driver's License Renewals (Authorized Agency Ballwin - 12 Ballwin Plaza High Ridge - 1684 Gravois Road Pacific - 730 West Osage  Better Business Bureau 5100 Oakland Avenue	Offices) 636-230-5041 636-677-3339 636-393-4011 314-645-3300
Consumer Fraud Hotline	1-800-392-8222
Missouri Chamber of Commerce P.O. Box 149, Jefferson City, MO 65102	1-573-634-3511
St. Louis Regional Commerce & Growth Association 1 Metropolitan Square #1300, St. Louis, MO 63102	314-231-5555
Missouri Tourist Information Center Highway 270 & Riverview Drive P.O. Box 13495, St. Louis, MO 63138	314-869-7100
St. Louis Convention & Visitor's Commission 701 Convention Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63101	1-800-916-8938
Missouri Highway & Transportation Department 1590 Woodlake Drive, Chesterfield, MO 63017	314-275-1500
Missouri Highway Patrol - Troop C 891 Technology Dr., St. Charles, MO 63304	636-300-2800
Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) - Central Service 14 Sunnen Drive., St. Louis, MO 63143	314-647-3677
Agape House (Discount Items)	636-271-5315
Home Improvement Program (Low Income Families) De	ebby 314-615-4025
WIC (Women/Infants/Children)	314-615-0685/314-679-7900

ALL EMERGENCIES (Police, Fire, Ambulance) in Progress Eureka Police (Non-emergency) Eureka Fire Protection District (Non-emergency) Municipal Court (8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m., Monday - Friday) City Hall (8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m., Monday - Friday)	911 938-6600 938-5505 938-6600 938-5233
HOSPITALS AND HEALTH	
Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital Des Peres Hospital Missouri Baptist Medical Center St. Anthony's Medical Center Mercy Hospital St. Louis St. Clare Hospital St. Louis County Health Department Mercy Urgent Care - Legends Corporate Center Healing Grace Clinic - Central Baptist Church Shriner's Hospital for Children Poison Control Animal Care and Control Birth and Death Certificates Marriage Licenses - St. Louis County	314-577-5600 314-966-9100 314-996-5000 314-525-1000 314-251-6000 636-496-2000 314-615-0600 636-549-0100 636-777-2937 314-432-3600 314-772-5200 314-615-0650 314-615-1720 314-615-7180
POSTAL INFORMATION	
Eureka Post Office Postal Zip Code Hotline Postal Rates & Services	636-938-1352 1-800-275-8777 314-436-4418
<u>UTILITIES</u>	
Street Lights Out: Call with location and pole number Water, Sewer & Trash (City of Eureka - City Hall) AT&T (Telephone and Internet) Spectrum a/k/a Charter Communications (Cable TV, Internet, Telephone) Ameren Spire	636-938-5233 636-938-5233 1-800-288-2020 1-888-438-2427 1-800-552-7583 314-621-6960
OTHER PHONE NUMBERS	
TDD for Hearing Impaired Metro Bus Information Recycling Hotline Wabash-Frisco & Pacific RR (Wildwood) St. Louis County Property Tax: Personal Real Estate U.S. Federal Income Tax Information U.S. Federal Income Tax Forms Social Security Information	314-726-1910 314-231-2345 314-286-9200 636-587-3538 314-615-1500 314-615-2555 314-342-1040 1-800-829-3676 1-800-772-1213

# **SCHOOLS**

PRESCHOOL AND DAY CARE Central Baptist Church (ages 3-5) 601 North Central Ave., P.O. Box 66 Eureka, MO 63025-0066	938-5577
Eureka Elementary School Preschool Center (ages 3-5) 422 West Fourth Street Eureka, MO 63025	636-733-3150
St. Mark's Lutheran Church (ages 3-5) 500 Meramec Blvd. Eureka, MO 63025	938-4432
Sacred Heart Catholic Church (ages 3-5) 350 East Fourth Street Eureka, MO 63025	938-4602
Creative Expressions Learning Center, Inc. 76 Legends Parkway Eureka, MO 63025	938-3999
PUBLIC Rockwood School District Administrative Office 111 East North Street Eureka, MO 63025	636-733-2000
Eureka Elementary School (Grades K-5) 422 West Fourth Street Eureka, MO 63025	636-733-3150
Geggie Elementary School (Grades K-5) 430 Bald Hill Road Eureka, MO 63025	636-733-3200
Blevins Elementary School (Grades K-5) 25 East North Street Eureka, MO 63025	636-733-3175
<b>LaSalle Springs Middle School</b> (Grades 6-8) 3300 Hwy. 109 Glencoe, MO 63038	636-733-4200
Eureka Senior High (Grades 9-12) 4525 Hwy. 109 Eureka, MO 63025	636-733-3100
PRIVATE/PAROCHIAL Sacred Heart Catholic School (Grades K-8) 350 East Fourth Street Eureka, MO 63025	938-4602
St. Mark's Lutheran School (Grades K-8) 500 Meramec Blvd. Eureka, MO 63025	938-4432

# ST. LOUIS COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT

Headquarters: 1640 Lindbergh Blvd., Ladue, MO 63131 314-994-3300

**AREA BRANCHES:** (You can register to vote at any branch of the

St. Louis County Library during their regular business hours)

**Eureka Hills:** 500 Workman Road, Eureka, MO 63025 314-994-3300

Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.;

Friday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.;

Closed on Sundays.

Call for story time schedule or other special services.

**Daniel Boone:** 300 Clarkson Road, Ellisville, MO 63011 314-994-3300

Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.;

Friday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Call for story time schedule or other special services.

Grand Glaize: 1010 Meramec Station Rd., Manchester, MO 63021 314-994-3300

Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.;

Friday - Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closed on Sundays.

Call for story time schedule or other special services.

#### **CHURCHES**

Central Baptist Church Senior Pastor Ned Nugent 601 N. Central Avenue P.O. Box 66

Phone: 636-938-5577

Website: www.centralpoints.org Email: centralpoints@att.net

Eureka Bible Church Pastor Jim Brown 86 Augustine Road Phone: 636-938-6162

Website: www.eurekabiblechurch.org

Email: pastorebc@att.net

Eureka Church of Christ Minister/Servant Bob McCollough Sunday Services are held at Victorian Gardens

15 Hilltop Village Center Drive

Phone: 314-791-2098

Website: www.eurekachurchofchrist.com

Eureka United Methodist Church (Food

Pantry)

Senior Pastor Duane Larson 215 N. Central Avenue Phone: 636-938-6377

Website: www.eurekaumc.org Email: eumc01@sbcglobal.net

Genesis Church Pastor Mike Hubbard Sunday Services are held at Eureka High School

Mailing address: P.O. Box 183 Office Address: 1699 W. Fifth Street

Phone: 636-549-3189

Website: www.genesiseureka.com Email: info@genesiseureka.com

Heritage Presbyterian Church Pastor Jesse York 4000 Alt Road

Phone: 636-938-3855

Website: www.heritagewildwood.org Email: info@heritagewildwood.org Ignite Church Pastor Jody Burkeen 1729 West Fifth Street Phone: 636-465-2687

Website: www.ignitechurchstl.org Email: church@ignitechurchstl.org

Most Sacred Heart Catholic Church Father Joe Kempf 350 East Fourth Street Phone: 636-938-5048

Website: www.sacredhearteureka.com Email: info@sacredhearteureka.org

St. Francis Episcopal Church Parish House (Office and Chapel): 602 Rockwood Arbor Dr.

Phone: 636-938-3733

Website: www.stfranciseureka.com

St. Mark's Lutheran Church Pastor Bob Liebmann 500 Meramec Blvd. Phone: 636-938-4432

Website: www.stmarkseureka.org Email: pastorbob@stmarkseureka.org

Angel Food Ministries: 636-257-3593

# SENIOR CITIZEN ORGANIZATIONS AND SERVICES

# **County Older Residents Program (C.O.R.P.)**

The County Older Residents Program (C.O.R.P.) is a free membership program for St. Louis County residents sixty (60) years of age or older. The goal of C.O.R.P. is to help seniors maintain an independent lifestyle by offering a variety of services. You may reach the St. Louis County C.O.R.P. office by calling 314-615-4516 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Some services offered include transportation to doctor appointments and shopping or a C.O.R.P. volunteer will do shopping for those who are unable.

# **Senior Resource Center** (House Springs)

636-677-4578

**Meals on Wheels** (For hot lunches delivered to your home or to volunteer) 636-227-3882

# Contact: Maria

# NURSING HOME/RETIREMENT CARE CENTERS

Avonlea Senior Living 531 Avonlea Court Eureka, MO 63025	587-9888
Hilltop Manor (Lutheran Senior Services facility) 11 Hilltop Village Center Drive Eureka, MO 63025	938-3387
Marymount Manor 313 Augustine Road P.O. Box 600 Eureka, MO 63025-0600	938-6770
St. Andrew's at Francis Place 300 Forby Road Eureka, MO 63025-0476	938-5151
Victorian Gardens Senior Independent Living 15 Hilltop Village Center Drive Eureka, MO 63025	587-3737

# **COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS**

**Board of Aldermen:** A Board comprised of six (6) officials (two (2) Aldermen from each Ward) elected for two (2) year terms by registered voters of the City. Responsibilities include making final determinations based on recommendations by the Planning and Zoning Commission, Park Board, TIF Commission and IDA Board. The Mayor shall have a seat on and preside over the Board of Aldermen, but shall not vote on any matter except in the case of a tie. The Mayor is elected for a four (4) year term by the registered voters of the City. Board of Aldermen meetings are held at City Hall at 7:00 p.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month.

**Board of Adjustment:** A Board comprised of five (5) members and three (3) alternates appointed for five (5) year terms by the Mayor with the consent of the Board of Aldermen. Responsibilities include hearing and deciding appeals of the Building Commissioner's rulings on zoning regulations. Board of Adjustment meetings are held at City Hall at 7:00 p.m. based on receipt of applications.

Planning and Zoning Commission: A Commission comprised of nine (9) members appointed for four (4) year terms by the Mayor with the consent of the Board of Aldermen. Responsibilities include studying subdivisions of land, future development of the City and recommending to the Board of Aldermen the boundaries of the various zoning districts and the appropriate regulations and restrictions that should be contained in the zoning code or any matters concerning major improvements or developments of the physical aspects of the City. The Planning and Zoning Commission also conducts public hearings for zoning changes, special use permits, flood plain variances and site plans for development. Planning and Zoning Commission meetings are held at City Hall at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday of the week following Board of Aldermen meetings.

Tax Increment Financing Commission (TIF): A Commission comprised of twelve (12) members appointed for four (4) year terms, consisting of five (5) residents recommended by the Mayor with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, one (1) Aldermanic representative, two (2) Rockwood School District members, three (3) St. Louis County Representatives and one (1) member representing all other taxing jurisdictions. Created in 1988 to plan for and promote economic development in Eureka, and review and recommend to the Board of Aldermen projects using Tax Increment Financing (TIF) to fund public improvements. TIF Commission meetings are held based on receipt of requests.

# ORDINANCES OF SPECIAL INTEREST

Animal Control Rules and Regulations: It shall be unlawful for any person owning, controlling, possessing or having the management or care, in whole or in part, of any dog and/or cat, to permit them to go off the premises of the owner or keeper, unless they are securely tied or led by a line or leash of a length of no more than six (6) feet. All dogs and cats four (4) months or older shall be vaccinated against rabies, and wear a current rabies registration and vaccination tag issued by the Health Department of St. Louis County. All female dogs must be kept securely confined in an enclosed place while in heat. For pet registration, vaccinations, animal bites, and stray dogs and cats, phone St. Louis County Animal Control at 314-615-0650.

**Weeds:** All grass or vegetation which has attained a height of twelve (12) inches or more, growing or existing upon land within the City, with the exception of land used for farming or gardening purposes at the time of such growth, are declared a public nuisance and prohibited. The City issues weed violation notices, which, if not corrected within ten (10) days, are sent to Municipal Court. To report any weed violations you observe, you may call the Weed Hotline at 636-938-5233 (Ext. 120).

**Discharge of Firearms:** Discharge of any firearm or bow is prohibited in the City of Eureka except by special permit. Archery ranges are located in Lone Elk Park and Jefferson Barracks Park in St. Louis County and are free to the public.

**Address Numbers:** Four (4) inch or larger address numbers shall be placed on all commercial and residential structures. On commercial structures numbers should be placed on the front door of the building and the back door of the building. On residential structures the numbers shall be placed on the front of the residence or on the ground surrounding the residence.

Overnight Parking of All Boats and Trailers on Street: No person shall park a boat or trailer overnight upon any roadway or street or between the building set back lines and the street unless said boat or trailer is parked on a driveway. Trucks over eighteen thousand (18,000) pounds are prohibited in residential areas.

**Derelict and Abandoned Vehicles:** No person shall leave any abandoned or derelict vehicle on public or private property within the City or on any street or highway in the City. A derelict vehicle is defined as any partially dismantled, non-operating, wrecked or junked motor vehicle or trailer of any type, situated on property or upon any street or highway which does not display a permanent license plate or set of plates issued for that vehicle indicating current registration.

**Solicitation:** No person shall go upon land upon which is situated a private residence for the purpose of soliciting orders for the sale of goods, wares and merchandise, or for the purpose of disposing of or peddling or hawking the same, without having first been requested or invited to do so by the owner or occupant of the private residence.

**Signs:** Permits are required for all new and replacement signs.

**Fences:** Information concerning the requirements and restrictions on fences in residential areas may be obtained by contacting the Building Commissioner.

#### **CITY WATER INFORMATION**

The City is the purveyor of our water system as opposed to Missouri-American Water. The system consists of five (5) deep wells (depth of 500 - 1,235 feet), disinfection equipment, water softening equipment, six (6) storage tanks (2,775,000 gallon capacity), five (5) booster stations (to deliver water under pressure to higher elevations) and thirty (30) miles of distribution lines with valves and over three hundred (300) fire hydrants. The average native water hardness is 348 milligrams/liter (21 grains/gallon) and average sodium content is 41 mg/1 (2.40 g/g). Following treatment by the City's water softening equipment, the average water hardness is approximately 8 grains/gallon. Fluoride is added to the City's water which helps prevent dental decay. The St. Louis County and Missouri Department of Health and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources test water quality on a regular schedule.

#### ANNUAL BACKFLOW PREVENTION DEVICE INSPECTIONS

As hopefully you are aware, anyone with a backflow prevention device is required by State law to have an annual inspection performed by a certified backflow prevention device inspector. The most common residential use of such a device is in conjunction with a lawn sprinkler system and/or swimming pool. St. Louis County is the permitting and inspection authority for the installation of backflow prevention devices. If you have a sprinkler system and/or swimming pool and are not having these annual inspections performed, please contact the St. Louis County Public Works Department at 314-615-2559.

#### WATER PRESSURE REGULATORS

It is recommended that a periodic inspection and testing be performed for those of you who have water pressure regulators installed in your home to help ensure that they remain in good working order.

#### **SANITARY SEWER INFORMATION**

The City is the purveyor of our sanitary sewer system as opposed to the Metropolitan Sewer District (MSD). We have, on occasion, encountered problems with grease deposits causing blockages in our sanitary sewer system and would like to remind customers to dispose of grease properly and avoid pouring it down the drain as it hardens over time and becomes lodged in the line causing backups and problems at the treatment facility. You may dispose of used grease by pouring it into a metal can with a plastic lid. Vegetable shortening cans will not work since they are foil lined and cannot withstand the heat. Once it has cooled and solidified it can be disposed of in the trash can. Oils that do not solidify can be saved and reused as long as they are strained, refrigerated and used within a few weeks. Small amounts of oil can be used to lubricate squeaky hinges, wheelbarrow and wagon wheels, pruners, loppers and garden scissors. It can also be applied to garden shovels and spades to prevent them from rusting. A thin coating can be applied to a snow shovel to prevent the snow from sticking. If these options won't work for you, to help solidify this type of kitchen oil try mixing it with bark chips, kitty litter or sand and then disposing of it with your normal household waste. You should check with your insurance carrier to see if a rider is required for coverage against sanitary sewer backups as the City is not liable for these occurrences.

#### WATER LINE AND SANITARY SEWER EMERGENCIES

If you incur a water line leak or sewer backup during regular business hours, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m - 5:00 p.m., please contact City Hall at 938-5233. To obtain assistance after 5:00 p.m. weekdays, and on weekends and holidays, please call the Police Department at 938-6600. The call will be automatically forwarded to St. Louis County for dispatching, at which time you would need to inform the dispatcher of the problem and that you are a Eureka resident. Be sure to inform the dispatcher that Eureka has its own water and sewer systems and that it is not a part of the Missouri-American Water Company or the Metropolitan Sewer District.

#### **BUILDING DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

Please be aware that permits may be needed for any additional improvements or accessories you may want such as swimming pools, fences, storage sheds, decks, satellite dishes, etc. This affords us the opportunity to ensure quality of property and safety of residence. Additional information can be obtained by calling 938-5233.

#### **CIVIL DEFENSE WARNING SYSTEM**

The Civil Defense Warning System was developed to provide a means of warning federal, military, state and local officials and the civilian population of attack, disasters, or hazardous conditions.

There are three tones which may be sounded:

- 1. <u>Wailing</u>: This is the attack tone which indicates the Country has been attacked; take protective action immediately.
- 2. Steady: This is a tornado warning which indicates a tornado has been spotted.
- 3. High/Low: This indicates an emergency message and/or announcement.

The emergency warning system is also capable of functioning as a public address system. The sirens will be activated by St. Louis County at 11:00 a.m. on the first Monday of each month. The siren tones will vary from month to month. In the event of severe weather near the time of the scheduled test, the test will be canceled for that month. For more information contact the Eureka Police Department at 938-6600.

# **CodeRED EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM**

The CodeRED emergency notification system is a communication service available for emergency notifications such as a missing child, evacuation, bomb threat, hostage situation, natural disaster, terrorism threat, chemical spill or other emergency incidents where rapid and accurate notification is essential for safety, plus severe weather alerts if you so choose. CodeRED can reach Eureka residents by residential phone, business phone or cell phone. The system will make three attempts to contact citizens and will leave messages in voicemail and on answering machines. The system can also send e-mails and text messages if desired.

To ensure that your information is entered into the CodeRED system, visit the City's website at www.eureka.mo.us and sign up for the notifications.

# TRASH COLLECTION AND RECYCLING INFORMATION

The City of Eureka contracts with Waste Connections, Inc. for collection of yard waste, household trash, bulky waste, major appliances and recyclables. The schedules and procedures are described below:

# PICK-UP SCHEDULE

Yard waste, recyclables, household trash and bulky waste are picked up on the same day with the City being divided into five (5) service days (refer to your service day below). All items are to be placed at the curbside between the hours of 6:00 p.m. the day prior to collection and 6:30 a.m. and empty trash containers must be removed from the curb no later than 8:00 p.m. the day of collection.

Major Appliances include "white goods" such as water heaters, washers, dryers, etc. An appointment must be made with Waste Connections to have major appliances picked-up. Please call 636-321-2100 to schedule a pick-up.

Holiday schedules are as follows:

When a holiday falls during the week, your pick-up service will fall one (1) day later from the day of the holiday, for that week. For example: If a holiday falls on a Wednesday, service provided on Monday and Tuesday would be unchanged. However, those areas that are normally serviced on Wednesday would have their items picked up on Thursday, with each subsequent service day having their trash picked up a day later.

Holidays observed are: January 1st (New Year's Day), Memorial Day, July 4th (Independence Day), Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and December 25th (Christmas Day).

#### **MISSED STOPS**

If for any reason trash is not at the curb by 6:30 a.m. on your scheduled pick-up day, it may be missed until the next scheduled pick-up day. If a driver determines that a stop is not out they will record the time of arrival and note that for the record.

Missed stops called in by 5:00 p.m. on the day of pick-up, that are determined missed, will be picked up on the following day. Please report any missed stops to the City of Eureka at 938-5233.

#### TRASH REMOVAL GUIDELINES

Containers: Residential solid waste shall be stored in containers of not more than thirty-five (35) gallons nor less than twenty (20) gallons in nominal capacity. Large, portable plastic containers with wheels and having a capacity of not more than ninety-six (96) gallons are acceptable as well. Containers shall be leakproof, waterproof, and fitted with a fly-tight lid and shall be properly covered at all times, except when depositing waste or removing the contents thereof. The containers shall have handles, bails or other suitable lifting devices or features. Containers shall be of a type originally manufactured for residential solid waste, with tapered sides for easy emptying. They shall be of a light weight and sturdy construction. The weight of any individual container or contents shall not exceed seventy-five (75) pounds. Galvanized metal containers, or rubber, fiberglass or plastic containers which do not become brittle in cold weather, may be used.

Household Trash and Bulky Waste: Includes any item except major appliances generated from normal household operation (this does not include material from demolition, remodeling or construction). Bulky waste includes furniture, small appliances, rugs, mattresses, etc., but excludes tires and car parts. There is no limit to the number or amount of household trash and bulky waste items placed at the curbside. If an individual item of trash or bulky waste weighs more than seventy-five (75) pounds, or is of such an irregular size or shape so as to impede lifting or placement for removal without special service, the driver will leave a notice that you must call to schedule an appointment and have such item picked up on a designated day of the week as may be established.

Any loose debris must be bundled and tied together, e.g., pieces of molding or wood, and shall be tied in bundles no more than four (4) feet in length. No bundle can be more than eighteen (18) inches in diameter and no individual item can be more than six (6) inches in diameter. The weight of any individual bundle shall not exceed seventy-five (75) pounds.

Yard Waste: Includes grass, leaves, flowers, plants, tree trimmings, and brush. Yard waste must be placed in trash containers and paper bags. Plastic bags are not accepted. Trash containers that are used for yard waste storage must be clearly marked with a "Y" which will identify it contains yard waste (use tape, a permanent marker or paint, and the "Y" should be clearly visible and at least twelve (12) inches high). Tree trimmings and brush must be tied in bundles no more than four (4) feet in length. No bundle can be more than eighteen (18) inches in diameter and no individual tree branch or limb can be more than six (6) inches in diameter. The weight of any individual bundle shall not exceed seventy-five (75) pounds.

**Recyclables:** Place your recyclable materials in your recycle bin or wheeled recycling cart. When your recycle bin or wheeled recycling cart gets full, any additional recyclables will need to go into a second bin or recycling cart. Plastic bags are no longer an accepted recyclable material. On your pick-up day, place your recycle bin or wheeled recycling cart at the curb. Cardboard boxes should be broken down and placed in the recycle bin or wheeled recycling cart. Please Note: To avoid recycling stream contamination, recyclables that become wet from rain or snow may not be picked up. For additional information, refer to the recycling chart on pages 16-17.

On extremely windy days, the City often receives calls regarding trash and recyclable materials blowing out of the containers and being scattered throughout the neighborhood. To prevent this from occurring with household trash, you may wish to dispose of items by first placing them in plastic bags prior to placing them in the containers. To contain recyclable materials, we ask residents currently using recycling bins to consider upgrading to a recycling cart to keep recyclables contained and dry.

# WHAT ELSE CAN I DO TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

Remove your name from junk mailing lists by writing to the Direct Marketing Association, PO Box 643, Carmel, NY 10512; or go to www.newdream.org

Try to change your buying habits by NOT purchasing disposable (e.g. - paper plates, plastic forks) and over-packaged products.

To obtain information about recyclable and hazardous waste materials that the City's trash hauler cannot pick up, you may wish to visit the St. Louis County website at www.hhwstl.com or call 314-615-8989.

# WHAT ITEMS CAN I RECYCLE?

Acceptable Materials	Preparation Guidelines	Prohibited Materials
METALS Aluminum Beverage Containers Steel Food Cans (aka "tin cans") Aluminum Trays & Foil	Trays and foil MUST be free of all food residue. Please CLEAN and DRY all cans & containers.	NO bulk metals (pipe, angle iron, etc.), lawn chair frames, pots & pans and other large pieces of metal.
		NO batteries.
GLASS Jars and Bottles used to package food & beverages (clear, green and brown)	Please CLEAN and DRY.  Metal & plastic lids may also be recycled.	NO pane glass, Pyrex type cookware, dinnerware or ceramics.  NO insecticide, herbicide or hazardous chemical containers.
PLASTICS PETE #1 (soda and water bottles) HDPE #2 (milk and juice jugs, ketchup & salad dressing bottles, detergent & fabric softener bottles, kitty litter buckets up to five (5) gallons in size, etc.) PP #5 (yogurt, sour cream & cheese tubs, narrow neck syrup & ketchup bottles, etc.)	Please CLEAN and DRY all containers. Lids may also be recycled.  Plastic containers have symbols, usually molded on the bottom or printed on the side, showing which type of plastic was used to make the container.	NO motor oil containers.  NO insecticide, herbicide or hazardous chemical containers.  NO diapers.  NO plastic film or wrapping.  NO plastic bags - PLEASE return plastic grocery bags to your grocery store.  NO garbage bags or trash bags.  NO Styrofoam containers, peanuts or packing materials.
ASEPTIC / "GABLE TOP" Milk & juice cartons; juice & drink boxes.	Please CLEAN and DRY.  Please remove straws from juice/drink boxes.	NO straws.

#### PAPER

Newspaper INCLUDING
INSERTS
Cardboard (NO waxed cardboard)
Brown (Kraft) paper bags
Magazines, catalogs & phone
books
Office, Computer, Notebook and
Gift Wrapping Paper
Chipboard (boxes such as: cereal,
cake, food mix, frozen food, shoe,
gift, soda, beer, etc.)
Junk mail & envelopes (windows
OK)

Paperback books

Please remove all metal clips, spirals and binders from office & notebook paper.

Shredded office paper should be bagged in a PAPER bag.

Please break down and flatten cardboard boxes.

IF YOU CAN TEAR IT - YOU CAN RECYCLE IT

NO plastic newspaper sleeves.

NO hardcover books.

NO non-paper items such as plastic "membership" cards and stick-on address labels commonly enclosed in junk mail.

# WASTE CONNECTIONS TOTER LEASE INFORMATION

You have the option of renting ninety-six (96) gallon "toters" (trash containers) from Waste Connections, Inc. The current trash container lease cost is \$3.00 per month (billed at \$9.00 per quarter), payable in advance for each three (3) month lease period. You will be billed directly by the trash company. The number to call to commence the lease agreement process is 636-321-2100. Please indicate that you are a City of Eureka resident. The rental of these toters is not required to receive your trash pick-up service.

#### **SERVICE DAYS - STREETS**

#### **MONDAY**

Ashwood Trail Court

**Beverly Street** 

Bushgate Way

**Butler Drive** 

Caribou Court

Central Avenue, North

Central Avenue, South

**Drewel Court** 

Dreyer Avenue

Elk Run Drive

Elm Trail Drive

**Emerald Oaks Court** 

**Emerald View Court** 

Enderbush Lane

**Enderwood Place** 

Fairway Estates Court

Fawn Meadows Drive

Fifth Street, West

Forby Estates Drive

Forby Road

Fourth Street, West

Frisco Street

Hagemeister Drive

Heyden Drive

Hickory Ridge View Court

Hill Drive

Main Street, West

Meramec Boulevard

North Street, East

North Street, West

Redwood Glen Drive

Schmelz Drive

Third Street, East

Virginia Avenue, North

Virginia Avenue, South

Walton Drive

Weber Drive

West Avenue, South

White Doe Court

#### **TUESDAY**

Abby Lane
Bald Hill Road
Beldar Lane
Brewster Road
Brock Road

Brook Forest Drive (5627 only)

Cahoon Drive Crooked Ridge Court Currier & Ives Lane Curtis Drive

Deer Run (216, 217, 225, 233 & 265 only)

Eagle Wing Court East Avenue Edward Court Edward Drive Elliot Street

Eureka Road (721, 800, 802, 806, 835, 997,

1030 & 1075 only) Flint Ridge Drive Footpath Court

Fox Creek Lane, South

Franz Drive Gandolf Way

Greensfelder Valley Court

Hawk Hill Drive
Hillington Court
Hillington Drive
Hilltop Ridge Drive
Hilltop Terrace Drive
Hilltop Townes Drive
Hilltop Woods Court
Highway 109 (4500 only)
Horneker Road (5701 only)

Howerton Lane
Hunters Chase Drive
Hunters Ford Road
Hunters Green Lane
Hunters Heights Court
Hunters Heights Drive
Hunters Hollow Court
Hunters Lake Court
Hunters Run Court

Lakepath Way Leona Lane

Matthew Joseph Lane Maureen Drive (540 only)

Melba Lane

Misty Mountain Lane Mitschang Court Muir Street Niehoff Drive O' Sullivan Avenue

Old Highway Route 66 (18493, 18609)

and 18675 only) Orchard Lane Orf Place

Pine Bough Lane Ridge Top Court Rockwood Arbor Drive Rockwood Parc Court Rockwood Place Court

**Shaw Drive** 

Shawnee View Court

Shire Lane Sierra Lane Sierra Terrace Sierra Village Drive Spring River Ranch Road St. Stephens Road

Theodore Street
Thunder Hill Drive
Thunder Valley Drive
Top Notch Lane
Trailhead Court
Trailmark Court
Viola Lane
Walden Court
Walden Drive
Wengler Road
Workman Road
Wyman Ridge Drive

#### WEDNESDAY

Ashton Way Circle

Augustine Road

Autumn Way Court

Cerny Avenue

Cerny Court

Cerromar Drive

City Hall Drive

Clara Street

Eagle Pointe Landing Drive

Eureka Road (except for 721, 800, 802, 806,

835, 997, 1030 & 1075)

Fairway Oaks Drive

Forest Hills Drive

Forest Run Drive

**Grace Rose Court** 

Grace View Court

Grace View Drive

Hickory Hill Drive

High View Drive

**Inverrary Court** 

Kevin Jon Court

Maureen Court

Maureen Drive (except for 540)

Palisades Ridge Court

Palisades View Court

Palisades View Drive

Pin High Court

Pin Seeker Court

Private Arthur Drive

Second Street, East

Second Street, West

Summit Oaks Drive

Victorian Court

Wallach Drive

Walnut Grove

Wellington Woods Court

Wellington Woods Drive

Wild Hawk Drive

Wilderness Way Drive

Williams Drive

Williams Road

Willow Drive

#### **THURSDAY**

Bluffs View Court Grand View Ridge Court Legends Bluffs Court Legends View Drive Meramec Bluffs Court Meramec View Court Meramec View Drive Overlook Terrace Court Southern Hills Court Southern Hills Drive Spring Cove Court Stone Spring Court Stone Spring Drive Thorntree Lake Court Thorntree Lane Upper Bluffs View Court Vista Glen Court Vista Hills Court

#### **FRIDAY**

Bloomfield Drive
Boulder Crest Court
Cascade Lane
Crested Point Drive
Ridgefield Bluff Court
Rolling Meadow Drive
Summer Breeze Lane
Willow Ridge Court
Windswept Farms Drive

#### HISTORY OF EUREKA

The Eureka area's first known inhabitants were Shawnee Indians on the banks of the Meramec, and even today artifacts can be found as evidence of their past occupation of the area.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad was opened to Franklin (now Pacific) on July 19, 1853. It is said that as the builders of the railroad track came around the bend on the east side of the present site of Eureka and looked westward at the level land with no rocks and very little dirt to move they cried out, "Eureka!", which translated from Greek means "I've found it!" That is how Eureka got its name.

Eureka was laid out as a village in 1858 by Strodt and Shands of St. Louis. Some of the early families in Eureka were Lorenzo Votaw, Thomas Thomas, George Hornecker, Edward William Johnston, Major Beale (his son Dr. J.B.H. Beale) and James and Peter M. Brown.

In 1890, Eureka was a prosperous village of about one hundred (100) homes in the immediate area surrounded by fine fruit and agricultural land. The country roads to Crescent, Big River, Antire, Bald Hill, Glencoe, Allenton and Clifty Creek all centered here, and Eureka had to its credit at this time a Catholic Chapel, Methodist Church, Post Office, Freemasons' Hall, three (3) stores, a district school, two (2) blacksmiths, a wagon maker, a saloon and a fresh air camp for poor and orphaned city children. In 1900, the Children's Industrial Farm began operating and later became Camp Wyman. Camp Wyman is still operating camp programs for underprivileged children.

The first high school class was held in 1909 in Eureka. Eureka-based schools over the years have provided education to children from many areas including Fenton, Creve Coeur, Manchester, House Springs, Cedar Hill, Allenton, Eureka, Glencoe and others. Today, the City of Eureka is served by the award winning Rockwood School District.

Over the years, a number of disasters have hit Eureka including floods, tornados and a number of major fires. Such disasters led to the formation of the Eureka Volunteer Fire Department in about 1945, when they constructed a firehouse and acquired equipment. In 1970, the Eureka Fire Protection District was formed and now serves a seventy-nine (79) square mile area. In 1972, the first ambulance was acquired by the District to serve the area, which was made possible by citizen and community organizational efforts.

In 1954, the City of Eureka was incorporated as a 4th class city with a land area of approximately 2.7 square miles. Over the years, the City has had numerous successful annexations and today consists of approximately 10.45 square miles. The population of the City has grown: 817 in 1950; 1,134 in 1960; 2,384 in 1970; 3,862 in 1980; 4,683 in 1990, 7,676 in 2000 and 10,187 in 2010. The City of Eureka annual budget has grown from approximately \$3,400.00 in 1954 to over \$4,000,000.00 today.

In 1970, the Six Flags - St. Louis was constructed, which is a major tourist attraction in the midwest. An average of two million (2,000,000) people visit Six Flags annually. The presence of Six Flags Amusement Park has influenced and spurred growth in the Eureka area.

# **EUREKA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

The Eureka Volunteer Fire Department was formed in 1942 after a major fire. The first engine house was constructed in 1943 at 131 South Central.

Due to the growth of the area, the Fire District was formed in 1970.

George H. Manetzke, Jr. was hired as the first full-time Fire Chief on January 1, 1971. He was killed in the line of duty on November 11th of that same year.

In 1972, the first ambulance was acquired and an addition was built on the original engine house, more than doubling its size.

Three (3) men were hired to become the first full-time paid firefighters in 1974, each working a twenty-four (24) hour shift. In 1975, a second basic life-support ambulance was acquired.

In 1981, a new building was completed at 134 South Virginia, providing additional office and training space as well as four (4) additional apparatus bays.

On January 1, 1984, the emergency medical service was improved by updating the first ambulance with advanced life-support equipment and three (3) paramedics.

In 1985, a bond issue was approved by our citizens. The benefit of the bond issue began to be seen in 1986 and 1987 when the new 1986 Pumper, 1986 Tanker/Pumper and 1987 Ford Ambulance were purchased and Station #2 at 1815 West Fifth Street was completed and occupied.

On November 6, 1988, the new Administration Office and Fire Station #1, located at 4849 Highway 109, was completed and dedicated, replacing the South Central and South Virginia locations.

On June 5, 1998, Station #3 on Highway W in Hoene Springs was opened, and is being manned by a reserve staff.

Currently, the staff consists of a Fire Chief, Assistant Chief, Fire Marshal, Deputy Chief, part-time Inspector, Office Manager, Administrative Assistant, Community Service Supervisor, Bookkeeper, nine (9) 24-hour Shift Officers and eighteen (18) 24-hour Firefighter Paramedics providing full-time Fire protection and Ambulance service.

The functions of the Fire District are many and diverse. In addition to fighting fires and handling emergency medical responses, the Fire Marshal's office is busy with commercial and residential building permits and inspections.

The Eureka Fire District involves itself with community education including fire prevention, emergency medical services and disaster preparedness programs. CPR Classes, open to the public, are conducted monthly and tours of the engine house are welcome.

The Administrative Office, located at 4849 Highway 109, is open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays. The business number is 636-938-5505. The Emergency Number is 9-1-1.