



the City of
Greendale

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July 2017

BOARD OF ALDERPERSONS – REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, July 18, 2017 @6:30 P.M.

Incarnate Word Academy- Cafeteria



Note: All Committee Meetings and Regular Board Meetings are open to the public. We would love to see you there!

Reminders

The City-Wide Garage Sale was a success. Over fifteen homes participated in this year's event. Next year we hope for even bigger turn out. Thank you to all the residents who made this event a success.

HAVE YOU BEEN MISSING NEWSLETTERS? The City delivers this newsletter to all homes once per quarter. But we email newsletters every month! Newsletters are also posted to the city web site. Please email us at greendale.mo@gmail.com to request emailed copies. If you don't have email, call 314-383-2577 or visit City Hall to request monthly paper copies.

Reminder: Pet Tags were due May 1, 2017, you still have time to obtain you pet tag. Failure to obtain your pet tag could result in a summons for court.



Municipal Court at Normandy City Hall – 7700 Natural Bridge Road. Greendale Court is held the **third Monday of each month at 5:00 p.m.** Please call (314) 385-3300 ext. 3011 with any questions concerning court matters.

COMPLAINTS

If you have a complaint or concern, call City Hall at 314-383-2577 during normal business hours, or leave a message after hours.

For an emergency, call 911.

For Normandy Police **(Non – Emergency) call 314-427-8000.**

City of Greendale Municipal Elections Vote August 8, 2017

USE TAX ON AUGUST 8th BALLOT – The City of Greendale has placed a use tax on the August 8th ballot for residents to decide. Below is a brief explanation of the use tax.

What is a use tax? It is a sales tax imposed on the purchase of goods by Missouri residents from out-of-state vendors. It would be no different than the Greendale sales tax currently paid for retail purchases located inside the state of Missouri. Most internet purchases have not been subject to the tax, but Amazon recently announced that they would be collecting it. If the local municipality does not have a use tax in place, then the local muni cannot share in the revenue generated from the tax.

How much is the proposed use tax? The rate of the proposed use tax on the August 8th ballot is 1.5%, or one-and-a-half cents per dollar of purchases made from entities that do not have an office, store, warehouse, etc. in the State of Missouri.

What is the expected revenue for the City of Greendale from this tax, if passed? The City of Greendale could receive \$8100 or more annually if the tax passes. This additional revenue would help replace revenue lost due to state laws recently passed. There are few sources of revenue other than sales taxes for small cities like Greendale that do not have much business revenue. Costs continue to go up and the City wants to assure it can keep pace with those rising costs so that services can continue to be delivered to residents. Most other County municipalities either have the use tax already or will have it on their ballots within the next several months. **PLEASE VOTE ON AUGUST 8th.**

NEW STATE LAWS ON VOTER ID – Do you have the state-approved photo ID required to vote in the August 8th election and beyond? The recently passed voter ID law in Missouri requires first that you are registered to vote from your current address, and either a driver's license, state-issued non-driver's ID, military ID, or U.S. Passport as the primary acceptable forms of photo ID to vote. You can vote with the following secondary forms of ID, but you will have to sign an affidavit attesting to who you are, etc. Those secondary forms of ID are voter registration card, ID from a Missouri college or university, utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or other government document showing your name and address, like a W-2 or similar. Please make every effort to verify you are properly registered to vote and that you have the proper photo ID when you go to the polls. If you have questions regarding voting, you can call the St. Louis County Board of Elections at 314-615-1800, or go to the County website, www.stlouisco.com and click on Government and then Election Board. Greendale's voting location is at Normandy City Hall, 7700 Natural Bridge.

Mayor's Message

We, the City of Greendale, encourage residents to be a neighborly and welcoming community. It has come to my attention over the recent 4th of July holiday, there were multiple complaints regarding residents violating the noise ordinance (210.670 and 210.760). While it is legal in some municipalities, the use of fireworks is not permitted in Greendale or anywhere in St. Louis County. If not in compliance you can be subject to a summons and face fines. We understand that holidays are a time to celebrate and enjoy family bonding, but particularly 4th of July and New Years can have a high level of noise and activity that causes disturbance and a safety risk to all residents. On July 4th, residents setting off fireworks showed no consideration for neighbors, especially the elderly, disabled, ill, infants and pets. In the future please consider your neighbors when planning your event. It will be greatly appreciated.

Mayor Huddleston



**City of Greendale Board
of Alderpersons**

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City Hall Hours

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
CLOSED	City Hall Hours 10:00am – 3:00pm	City Hall Hours 10:00am – 3:00pm (Except on the day of the regular schedule Board meeting)	City Hall Hours 3:00pm – 5:00pm	City Hall Hours 10:00am – 3:00pm	CLOSED	City Hall Hours 9:00am – 1:00pm 1 st & 3 rd Saturdays Only Closed 2 nd & 4 th Saturdays

The City of Greendale is Closed the Following Holidays; New Year's Day, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday, Presidents' Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve, and Christmas Day.

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City of Greendale Directory

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Police Non-Emergency Dispatch Number: **314-427-8000**

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E-MAIL: greendale.mo@gmail.com

Waste Management (314) 506-4700 (for trash pickup services)

City & Village Tax (314) 739-4800 (for all trash billing related issues)

St. Louis County Home Improvement Program (314) 615-8232

Building Commissioner (314) 383-2577

Emergency Management/Disaster Preparedness –Ald. Ringo

Zion Cemetery Liaison – Ald. Ringo

Neighborhood Association Liaison – Ald. Ringo

Communications Liaison – Ald. Herman

Solid/Yard Waste & Recycling/WM Liaison – Ald. Herman

City Cleanliness -- Ald. Garhart

Capital Improvement – Ald. Garhart Community Forestry Mgr. – Ald. Trojczak

Normandy School District Liaison - Ald. Trojczak