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Health Department Provides Key Services

The Platte County Health Department provides a great resource for Riverside residents who need medical care and health services. Although not located in Riverside, the Health Department does have two locations – one in Parkville and one in Platte City – to serve citizens of Platte County, including Riverside residents.

Family Health Care

The Health Department provides family medical care for the uninsured, underinsured, and Medicaid insured. This includes the full spectrum of primary health care for people from birth to age 65. The fees for services are based on a sliding scale that is determined by income level. For example, a family of four with an annual income of \$23,850 would have a cost of \$5 per visit.

WIC Program

The WIC program provides nutrition services to women from the time of pregnancy until the child is five years old. In addition to nutrition education, WIC also provides voucher for free food from the grocery store and breast feeding equipment and support. Qualification for WIC is based on income level and size of family.

For more information on these programs and other programs offered by the Platte County Health Department, call 816-858-2412 or visit www.plattecountyhealthdept.com.

Riverside Launches Mobile App

MyRiverside App Makes Government Services Accessible through Smartphones, Tablets and More

Riverside launched a new mobile app – MyRiverside – this week that allows residents to directly report issues such as a pothole or graffiti and track the resolution of their request via mobile phone or online. The application is part of a comprehensive communications strategy Riverside adopted to improve citizen communication on issues that impact the quality of life in Riverside.

Using MyRiverside, residents can submit a service request simply by downloading the app, selecting from a menu of service requests, and sending it directly to the City. The app also allows residents to take a picture of the problem and send it in, and the app automatically knows the location of the problem (GPS and location services must be enabled on mobile device and may vary). Submitters can follow their request from the initial report to resolution right from their phones. Issues can also be reported via the web.

In addition to reporting problems, residents can receive push notifications from the City on important issues, follow the City blog, and have easy access to the City’s calendar of events.

The City of Riverside partnered with PublicStuff, an innovative customer relationship management software company, to launch the app and digital communication solution.

“MyRiverside allows our citizens to communicate with us on their own terms. They can help us solve problems and stay connected to things happening in our community wherever they are, whatever time they want, and from a variety of devices,” said Meredith Hauck, Riverside Director of Administration.

“This is further evidence of the City of Riverside’s strong commitment to being responsive to the needs of their community,” said Surya Yalaman-chili, CEO of Public Stuff. “We’re excited to partner with the City of Riverside in making it easier for residents to work together in improving their neighborhoods.

MyRiverside is a free app and is available in the Apple and Google app stores for immediate use. To access any of the MyRiverside services, go to <http://www.riversidemo.com/community/submit-request>.



MyRiverside App allows citizens to submit service requests and get updates on the community.

Community Center

The Riverside Community Center offers free fitness classes and open gym every week. Questions? Call **816-741-4172**.

SU, 1-5 p.m.

M/TU/W/TH, 2-5 p.m.

Open Gym

M/W/F, 8-9:30 a.m.

Cardio, Strength, Yoga

M/TH, 10-11 a.m.

Line Dancing & Weights

W, 10-11 a.m.

Stay Strong, Stay Healthy

W, 12-2 p.m.*

Bunco

**first Wednesday of the month*

TH, 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Zumba

T/W/TH, 10-2 p.m.

Pickleball

Check online at www.riversidemo.com/recreation for the full YMCA class schedule!

Trash & Recycling Schedule

Friday is trash/recycling pickup day in Riverside, regardless of holidays. A glass recycling bin is also available in the City Hall parking lot.

Stay Connected

www.RiversideMo.com

www.RiversideMo.com/blog/

City of Riverside (Facebook)

@RiversideMo (Twitter)

New Bus Route Connects Riverside to 64th Street



Effective April 1, 2014 the 243 Riverside/Antioch bus route changed to better accommodate riders. The route runs from the transfer station at Antioch Center, along Vivion Road to the Riverside Community Center, along Gateway to I-29, exits at 56th Street and continues along Prairie View Road to 64th Street and turns around at Tremont Square. The new modified route is very similar to the previous route. The new route does not loop to Argosy Casino and instead of terminating at 56th & Prairie View Road, the route continues to 64th Street.

KCATA and the City believe these changes better accommodate riders needs by providing a bus system with direct connections to area businesses and shopping destinations. Additionally, without the change, the costs to the City to participate in the regional bus service would have increased by nearly \$20,000 each year. The modified route has resulted in almost a \$10,000 savings for the year.

Spend Your Summer with FPAL

Pool Party

Thursday, June 12
6 to 8 p.m.
Riverside City Pool
FREE!

Ice Skating

Saturday, June 21
2 to 4 p.m.
Line Creek
Community Center
FREE!

Questions? Call Riverside Public Safety
Department at 741-1191.

Riverside City Administrator Receives Award

Riverside City Administrator Greg Mills recently received the Local Government Public Administrator of the Year Award. The award was presented by the Greater Kansas City American Society for Public Administration (ASPA) and recognizes outstanding performance in the practice of public administration.

Mills holds a dual role with the City of Riverside, serving as both City Administrator and the Chief of Police/Director of Public Safety. Before coming to Riverside, Mills was a Major in the Kansas City, Missouri Police Department, where he led the Narcotics and Vice Division. Mills was also appointed to the Missouri Police Officers Standards and Training Commission by Governor Jay Nixon in 2011.

“Greg exemplifies the very best of public service. His leadership and vision have enabled our community to reach many strategic goals over the past two years and we are very proud that he was honored with this award,” Mayor Kathy Rose said. ☺



Greg Mills was honored as the Local Public Administrator of the Year by ASPA.

Community Trail Walk

Join us for our Community Trail walk on the Upper Line Creek Trail. This walk coincides with National Trails Day, a day that celebrates trail recreation opportunities across the United States. This walk is open to both walkers and bikers. Dogs on leashes are welcome.

Saturday, June 7 at 10 a.m.

Meet at Homestead Park
4801 NW Homestead Terrace

Senior Dance

Grab your dancing shoes and head down to the Senior Dance on June 9 & 30. The dances are FREE and are at the Community Center, 4498 NW High Drive, from 1 to 3 p.m. See you there!

Movie Nights

Beat the summer heat at a movie night at the Community Center. Movies start at 7 p.m.

- June 5 - Hunger Games
- June 19 - Monsters University
- June 26 - Frozen

E-Waste

Vintage Tech is hosting a free e-waste disposal on June 28 from 8 to noon at 525 NW Parkway, Riverside, MO. There is a fee of \$25 for DLP and Wooden Console TVs. Questions? Call 855-2KC-Recycle

Fireworks Safety

Celebrate the 4th of July Responsibly.

Keep It Legal.

- Bottle rockets are prohibited in Riverside.
- Fireworks may not be used within 125 feet of any building or structure, within 300 feet of any place where fireworks are stored or for sale, within 300 feet of a gas pump, or within 600 feet of any church, school, library, or medical facility.

Be Respectful.

- Fireworks may be used from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. June 26 through July 2, and on July 5; and from 10 a.m. to midnight on July 3 and 4.
- Clean up any debris and trash left from fireworks.

Safety First.

- The safest way to enjoy fireworks is to attend a public display conducted by trained professionals.
- Always have a bucket of water nearby. As an extra precaution, douse burned fireworks with water before discarding them.
- Once you've lit the fuse, back up immediately and maintain a safe distance. Do not attempt to relight a firework that did not ignite.
- Always supervise children around fireworks.

Questions? Contact Riverside Public Safety at 741-1191.

Calendar

June 3

Board of Aldermen – 7 p.m.

June 7

National Trails Day

June 12

Planning and Zoning – 6:30 p.m.

June 14

Demolition Ceremony – 10 a.m.

June 16

Tourism Commission – 6 p.m.

June 17

Board of Aldermen – 7 p.m.

June 26

Planning and Zoning – 6:30 p.m.

Demolition Ceremony

**Saturday, June 14 at 10 a.m.
Corner of Gateway and Vivion**



Join us as we clear a key corner in Riverside's downtown! The event will feature celebration of Riverside's vision for downtown and the demolition of this building. We encourage you to bike or walk down to this family-friendly event. Refreshments will be provided.