# Osage Beach Community Connection The of Lake of the Ozarks



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Don't miss out!

Upcoming Board of Aldermen Meetings:

May 21  $\sim$  6 p.m. June 4  $\sim$  6 p.m. June 18  $\sim$  6 p.m. July 2  $\sim$  6 p.m.

\*Currently these meetings will be held online via Zoom Webinars.

#### City Calendar Highlights

- May 25 ~ Memorial Day (City Hall Closed)
  - June 30 ~ Liquor License Renewals Due
  - June 30 ~ Taxi License Renewals
     Due

Complete City Calendar



#### **Board of Aldermen**

Recent Board Meeting Highlights:

- ~ Approved Midwest Public Risk (MPR) as the City's group employee health, dental, and vision insurance.
- ~ Approved a contract with Stockman Construction Corp. for the Mace Road Phase 2a Reconstruction Project.

The complete list of Board actions on our website.

#### **Liquor License Renewals**

All liquor license currently in effect or any renewals offered or applied for in accordance with Section 600.165 Osage Beach Municipal Code are hereby extended for two months.

For example, any license renewal due on May 1, 2020 is now due July 1, 2020 and all periods for penalties for late renewals are similarly extended.

Fiscal year 2020 liquor licenses that are set to expire on June 30, 2020 will now extend until August 31, 2020. This is an extension of the current active license.

<u>Email</u> or call the City Clerk's Office at 573.302.2000 with questions or concerns.





## Comments from Your City Administrator Jeana L. Woods, CPA, ICMA - CM

During this unprecedented time, a priority for the City has been to be proactive in the expected fiscal impact due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The City's FY2020 budget has been revisited and operational changes have been made to meet new estimated revenue projections. This will be a very fluid process as we make our way through summer and realize the true financial impact of the pandemic situation. As things change, operating activities will be adjusted timely and accordingly in response to financial changes.

For all funds collectively, operating expenditure targets are based on a decreased revenue estimation of 15%; some revenue sources are estimated at a lesser percentage and some more than 15%. For example, Sales Tax, which accounts for 47% of projected FY2020 revenues, is estimated to decline 25%. Fees & Services represents 30% of projected FY2020 revenues and those are estimated to decline from 3% - 10% based on specific sources by Fund. Total revenue decreases for all funds is estimated at \$4.2 million dollars. The response to this is a combination of expenditure cuts and use of reserves. Numerous funding/relief opportunities for municipalities are being tracked which may offer some relief to our negative fiscal impacts.

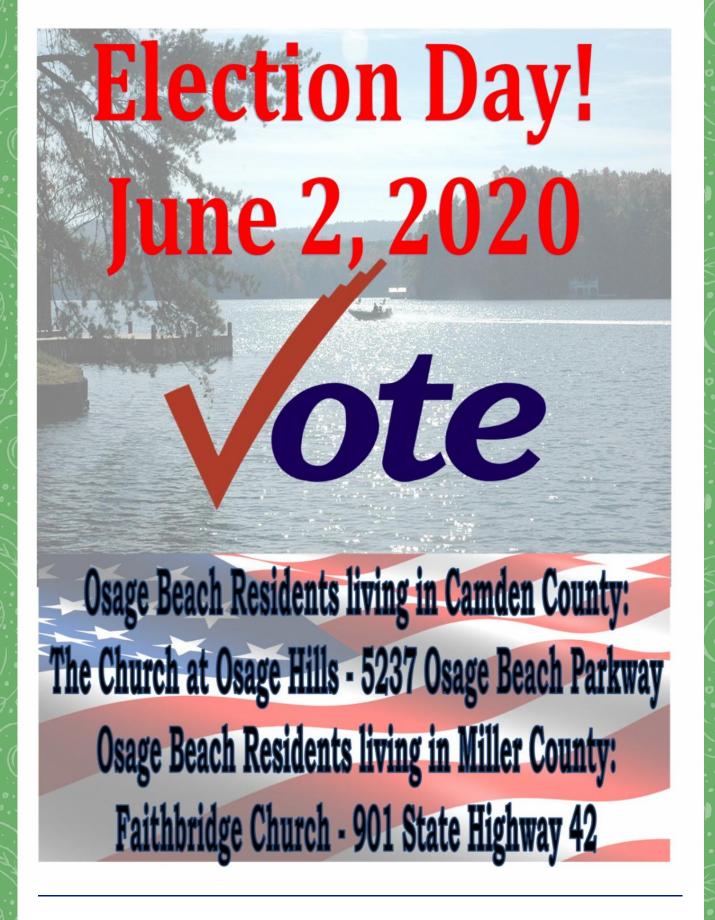
Specifically, over the past 2 months, our priority has been both the health and safety of our employees and the community we work in, as well as tackling the very uncertain financial implications. The following are actions that have been taken in response to the expected revenue shortfalls:

- Realignment of employee benefit costs,
- Operational changes in handling overtime and comp. time.
- Reduction in hours/furlough of specific positions,
- Unfilled positions are on hold for FY2020 unless strictly necessary,
- Combined job duties to maintain services,
- Employee training and travel has been postponed with minor exceptions,
- Supplies and other material purchases of non-emergency nature are postponed,
- Capital purchases or projects are on hold unless essential to maintenance.

The health and safety of our community, visitors, and employees is a priority for the City of Osage

Beach as we continue to respond to the rapidly changing COVID-19 pandemic. The City is working through these changes and will be phasing in contact with the public. City lobbies and offices remain closed to the public; City events have not been rescheduled at this time; Park programs and activities will begin to emerge in June and details will be forthcoming. City employees continue to work with precautions to deliver city services without interruption and to prevent the spread of the virus among employees and their families.

Jeana L Woods, CPA, ICMA - CM, City Administrator 573-302-2000 ext 1010 ~ jwoods@osagebeach.org



New Businesses, New Locations or New Owners of Existing Businesses



Old Navy ~ 909 Highway D

The Back Road Mercantile, LLC ~4155 OB Pkwy

Lakewood Alarm, LLC ~ 5489 OB Pkwy

## Wear Your Life Jacket to Work Day! May 15, 2020



\*Note: This photo was taken in 2015, not during the Covid-19 pandemic.



#### **Upcoming Projects**

- Swiss Village Water Tower Cleaning.
- Mace Road Phase 2a will begin May 18th, weather permitting.





## Osage Beach Parks and Rec Activities Update

All park amenities will return to normal operations and be available for reservation effective May 18. PLAYGROUNDS WILL REMAIN CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. Osage Beach Parks and Recreation youth leagues will begin practices on May 18. Coaches will be contacted the week before and will contact parents for their practice schedule. Games will begin June 8. Games will be over by the end of July, regardless of rain outs, etc. Changes to facilities and some game play will take place for social distancing requirements. Concessions may be limited this year at all facilities. Please try to purchase your own equipment for your athlete and all spectators should remember to bring chairs with them to facilities. Further information will be emailed to all parents and coaches regarding social distancing changes and expectations. Please be patient as this will be a lot to prepare for in a short amount of time. We look forward to getting your athlete some activity this summer! Adult leagues will be scheduled to begin in late June, early July.

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## National Public Works Week 2020

May 17th - 23rd

#### National EMS Week May 17-23, 2020

In 1974, President Gerald Ford authorized EMS Week to celebrate EMS practitioners and the important work they do in our nation's communities. NAEMT partners with the American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP) to lead annual EMS Week activities. Together, NAEMT and ACEP are working to ensure that the important contributions of EMS practitioners in safeguarding the health, safety and wellbeing of their communities are fully celebrated and recognized.

EMS Week brings together local communities and medical personnel to honor the dedication of



those who provide the day-to-day lifesaving services of medicine's "front line." Whether celebrated with a company cookout or a catered lunch; an open house, an awards ceremony or even quiet reflection about what it means to be an EMS practitioner, EMS Week is the perfect time to recognize EMS and all that its practitioners do for our nation.

Next time you see your local Paramedics and EMT's out in your community stop and take a moment to say thank you to them.



#### **Public Works Department**

#### What is Backflow?

Backflow, or the reverse flow of contaminated water into a potable water distribution system, is caused by back-siphonage or backpressure.

- Back-siphonage occurs when low pressure, or vacuum pressure, on the supply side of the connection
  causes water to be siphoned from the user side-back into the supply.
- Backpressure occurs when increased pressure on the user side of the connection forces water into the supply.
- Backflow can occur at residential, commercial, industrial or institutional cross-connections between
  potable and non-potable water distribution systems.

#### Components of an Effective Cross Connection Control Program

The first step in preventing backflow incidents is enacting local rules that grant the water supplier the authority to enforce the cross connection control program. For the water supplier to comply with the state backflow prevention regulation, the local rules should include the following provisions:

- A requirement for annual testing of assemblies and inspection of air-gaps.
- Authority to enter customer premises for purposes of inspection.
- Authority to terminate water service for failure to comply.

Another responsibility of the water supplier is to notify customers, where backflow hazards exist, that they must comply with the local rule. Once these customers have been notified, the supplier must maintain records of inspections, exemptions, or installation of assemblies.

A local program may not be less stringent than state regulations. Local plumbing codes may require additional backflow prevention devices.

#### **Testing/Inspection Requirements**

The function of all backflow prevention devices must be reviewed annually. Air-gaps may be inspected by the water supplier. A state-certified backflow prevention assembly tester must perform the specific testing procedures required to verify the proper function of reduced pressure principle assemblies and double check valve assemblies.

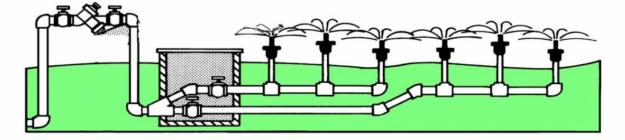
The Public Drinking Water Branch maintains a list of certified backflow prevention assembly testers.

#### For More Information, Please Call or Visit:

Osage Beach Public Works Department 5757 Chapel Drive Osage Beach, MO 65065 573-302-2020

OR

Missouri Department of Natural Resources Water Protection Program - Public Drinking Water Branch P.O. Box 176 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0176 800-361-4827 or 573-751-5331 http://dnr.mo.gov/env/wpp/





OSAGE BEACH PARKS AND RECREATION

# REMINDER: PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR PET!

Pet waste bag dispensers available at both parks.







# NO DOGS PERMITTED ON BALL FIELDS AT EITHER PARK.

our field turf and athletes appreciate your cooperation!

Dogs are permitted everywhere else in the parks including soccer fields, as long as they are under your control.

## **Tornado Sheltering Guidelines**

Seek the best available refuge area immediately when a Tornado Warning is issued.

Your chance of surviving a tornado is excellent if you follow these guidelines.

#### **WORST OPTIONS**

#### **BAD OPTIONS**

#### **GOOD OPTIONS**

#### **BEST OPTIONS**

Mobile homes

**Vehicles** 

Underneath a highway overpass Large open rooms like gymnasiums

Manufactured housing Interior room of a well-constructed home or building

Basement

Above or below ground Tornado Storm Shelter (NSSA/ICC 500 compliant)\*

Specifically-designed FEMA Safe Room\*

Find another option

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Stay in place until all clear

\*Recommended by FEMA

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PHOTO: U.S. Air Force -Tech. Sgt. Bradley C. Church

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# FREE FISHING SEMINAR

MONDAYS FROM JUNE 1ST- OCTOBER 5TH 6:00 - 7:00 PM OSAGE BEACH CITY PARK - POND PAVILION























#### **HOSTED BY LOCAL EXPERTS**

- Lake Conditions
- How To's
- FISHING REPORTS
- BAIT TECHNIQUES

- PATTERNS BASED ON TIME OF YEAR
- FISHING FROM BOATS, DOCKS, & BANKS
- Q&A
- ALL TYPES OF FISHERMEN WELCOME!



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The Mayor, Board of Aldermen, Management and Staff are dedicated to being good stewards to our community and will continue to operate efficiently to deliver superior municipal services to our citizens and visitors. And, we want to hear from our community.



Please stay engaged through our social media pages as well as our website, never miss any information by signing up for all City alerts at www.osagebeach.org.

Click on the "Notify Me Sign Up" and follow the easy steps.

#### **CONTACT US**

Click on name to email.

#### **Elected Officials:**

Mayor **John Olivarri** 

Alderman  $\underline{\text{Greg Massey}} \sim \text{Ward I}$ 

Alderman Kevin Rucker ~ Ward I

Alderman **Tyler Becker** ~ Ward II

Alderman **Phyllis Marose** ~ Ward II

Alderman Richard Ross ~ Ward III

Alderman  $\underline{\text{Tom Walker}} \sim \text{Ward III}$ 

#### **Management Team:**

City Administrator ~ <u>Jeana Woods</u>

Asst. City Administrator ~ Mike Welty

Building Official ~ Ron White

City Attorney ~ Edward Rucker

City Clerk ~ Tara Berreth

City Planner ~ Cary Patterson

City Treasurer ~ Karri Bell

Police Chief ~ Todd Davis

Public Works Director ∼ Vacant

Airport Manager ~ **Ty Dinsdale** 

Human Resource Generalist ~ Cindy Leigh

Parks & Recreation Manager ~ Matt Vandevoort



- ♦ City Hall (573) 302-2000 ♦ Police 'non-emergency' (573) 302-2010
- ◆ Public Works (573) 302-2020 ◆ Grand Glaize Airport (573) 348-4469
   ◆ Lee C Fine Airport (573) 348-5251
  - www.osagebeach.org

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