



# River Heights City News

## January 2022



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## Mayor's Messages

Citizens, Friends,

It has been my absolute pleasure to serve these last four years as your mayor. I am so grateful for your goodness and patience as I have tried to represent you with dignity and respect. We truly live in a wonderful place with amazing neighbors and friends. I am honored to call this my home. As we move forward, I ask for your continued support to be with our new council and mayor. Choose to be involved and informed--engaged with our democratic process. Let us be united with each other in common good and common purpose. In these times of uncertainty, above all else, let us be kind. Please accept my heartfelt goodbye.

Sincerely,

Mayor Rasmussen

**2022**

## Meeting Schedule

### City Council

1st and 3rd Tuesdays

### Planning Commission

2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. in the River Heights City Building and are open to the public. Agendas are posted on the city's website four days prior to the meeting.

## Treecycling

Christmas tree drop sites are available in Providence Dec 13 - Jan 10 at 350 E Center (Von's Park) or 50 N 200 W (Zollinger Park).

Please no lights, tinsel, ornaments, or stands.



## Swearing in of New Officials

On **January 4** at 6:30 pm Jason Thompson will be sworn in as River Heights' new mayor along with Tyson Glover and Janet Mathews as councilmembers. All are welcome!

Your representatives for the next two years will be:

Mayor	Jason Thompson	<a href="mailto:jasonthompson@riverheights.org">jasonthompson@riverheights.org</a>
Councilmembers	Sharlie Gallup	<a href="mailto:sharliegallup@riverheights.org">sharliegallup@riverheights.org</a>
	Tyson Glover	<a href="mailto:tysonglover@riverheights.org">tysonglover@riverheights.org</a>
	Janet Mathews	<a href="mailto:janetmathews@riverheights.org">janetmathews@riverheights.org</a>
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Planning	Noel Cooley	<a href="mailto:nhcooley@comcast.net">nhcooley@comcast.net</a>
Commissioners	Heather Lehnig	<a href="mailto:heather.lehnig@gmail.com">heather.lehnig@gmail.com</a>
	Lance Pitcher	<a href="mailto:lancepitcher@comcast.net">lancepitcher@comcast.net</a>
	Levi Roberts (Chair)	<a href="mailto:levil2roberts@gmail.com">levil2roberts@gmail.com</a>
	Cindy Schaub	<a href="mailto:cindy_schaub@hotmail.com">cindy_schaub@hotmail.com</a>

These fellow citizens all represent YOU and are anxious to hear about your concerns and questions on the things that matter most to you.

## Youth Ambassadors

River Heights Youth Ambassadors are accepting new members for 2022!

If you are between the age of 6th grade to 12th grade and want to learn more about being an ambassador come to our meeting January 8th at 10:30 a.m. at the City Building.

For questions, contact Sharlie Gallup at 435-374-7112.



## Emergency Preparedness Fair

River Heights City will be hosting an emergency preparedness fair on **February 26th** from 6pm-8pm., at either the City Building or the Old School, north of the City Building.

Come learn more about preparing your home for emergencies and how you can contribute to the community.

For questions, contact Sharlie Gallup at 435-374-7112.

## Update Your Emergency Pack

Friends and neighbors, it's time to update the clothes in your handy dandy emergency pack! Please trade out your clothes for full outfits that are weather appropriate and FIT! This month we are going to feel the holiday spirit by making a list and checking it twice.

Make a list of all the items in your bag, keep it towards the top.

Add to your list an emergency contact in town, out of state, and an address for everyone to gather if you get separated.

Finally, jot down medical needs for your family. Next time we will work on filling our bag with medical necessities, so talk to your provider now about a small (safe) stockpile of necessary medications!

## Business Licenses Due

If you are running a business out of your home you need a business license. Applications can be obtained on the City's website. After January 1 a \$30 late fee will apply to renewals.

## Dog Licenses Due before March 1

It's time to renew your dog's license. Please drop paperwork, showing proof of rabies and the fee, into the city's drop box. Fees for licensing are: **\$15** for dogs spayed or neutered, and **\$25** otherwise. The tag and proof of rabies form will be mailed back to you. If you plan to have more than 2 dogs you will first need to apply for a kennel license.

**A late fee of \$10/month will apply on March 2 and each month after.**

## Winter Parking Restrictions

No parking is allowed of vehicles, trailers, or any other obstructions on the street beginning November 15 through March 15, between the hours of **4:00 am and 12:00 noon**. Violators will be cited.

We also ask that you put your garbage and recycle cans out the morning of collection day and remove them as soon as possible after pick up.

## Prevent Freezing

When temperatures dip below freezing for any length of time, we suggest running a small, pencil sized flow of water through one of your taps, to prevent your line from freezing.

## Sidewalk Snow Removal

In the interest of safety for those who use sidewalks this time of year, we remind you that paved walks adjacent to your land or property should have snow, hail or sleet removed from them within a reasonable time after it has fallen. This applies to walks in the front, sides or rear of your property.



## Your Snow is YOUR Snow

Snow and ice from your driveway and yard should stay on your property. Please don't push it into the gutters or onto the city streets. Doing so interferes with the street plowing and could cost you a citation. Thanks for your help!