

City of Peabody

Monthly Newsletter

SEPTEMBER 2019

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COME JOIN US!

Water Line Replacement
Fund Discussion
Sept 23, 7pm
Ann Potter Room
At Our Public Library
Open To Everyone!

CITY WIDE CLEAN UP

*****OCT 12*****

HAZARDOUS WASTE TRAILER

*****OCT 5 – 9AM-11AM*****
Location at 1st & Vine

See attached flyer for
additional info



Visit our website

www.peabodyks.com

Code of the City of Peabody found on our website
[Pay Online Option Too!](#)

Peabody Cruise – Sunday Sept. 29

8:00 am to 1:00 pm.

Church Service at Santa Fe Park 10-10:30am

LIVE MUSIC, FOOD VENDORS, LOCAL GROUPS

For additional information, please contact
Linda Martinez at 785-488-6856.

**Barriers blocking the 100 block of N
Walnut go up from 8am to 1pm. Please
park OUTSIDE barriers during this time.**



Scheduled **shut off** day for this
month is **Thursday, Oct 26, 2019.**

Payment must be received by **8am**
on shut off day to avoid disruption in
service.

In Case of Tornado or Evacuations

**If you have a need to seek shelter, the
Christian Church will be available
during those times of inclement
weather and/or flooding.**

City council meetings are open to the public. To get the most accurate and timely information, you are always invited to attend the meetings. When minutes of meetings are approved, they will become available to you free of charge for a time at the front desk in city hall. Minutes and agendas are posted to the city website www.peabodyks.com Highlights of city council meetings will continue to be reported in the Peabody Gazette.

Municipal Office

300 N. Walnut Street
Peabody, KS 66866

Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Telephone: 620-983-2174

Fax: 620-983-2786

City Office services available
to our citizens: Fax, Copies,
Notary Services

**Council Meeting
Schedule**

Regular Council Meetings:
7:00 pm

Monday, Sept 9, 2019
Monday, Sept 30, 2019

All meetings are open to
the public

City Council:

Jay Gfeller,
President
Travis Wilson
Lindsay Hutchison
Rick Reynolds
Steve Rose
Mayor:
Tom Spencer

**City Council
Committees:**

Water

Jay Gfeller, Lindsay Hutchison

Streets & Alleys

Tom Spencer,
Travis Wilson, Rick Reynolds

Sanitation

Jay Gfeller, Tom Spencer

Lights

Jay Gfeller

Fire

Lindsay Hutchison, Rick
Reynolds

Park & Swimming Pool

Tom Spencer, Rick Reynolds

Building

Lindsay Hutchison, Jay Gfeller

Finance & Ordinance

Tom Spencer, Travis Wilson,
Lindsay Hutchison

Economic Development

Lindsay Hutchison, Jay Gfeller

Personnel

Rick Reynolds, Travis Wilson,
Tom Spencer

ATTENTION!!!!!! ATTENTION!!!!!!
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There have been several cases recently of misuse of the Burn Pit. This notice is to inform everyone of the rules and regulations of the Burn Pit. If these rules and regulations are not complied with, you could be charged with a **fine up to \$100** plus court costs per each charge. Also the Burn Pit could be closed and you would have to go out of town to dump your yard waste, leaves and grass clippings.

You May Dump:
**Tree Limbs, Grass Clippings, Leaves, Brush,
and Garden waste ONLY**

**Furniture, Demolition Waste, Remodeling,
Etc.**
ARE NOT ALLOWED!

If you have any questions on what may be dumped, please contact the city office 620-983-2174.

Most of us would hate to lose our Burn Pit!

2019 Citywide Fall Cleanup
Friday, Oct 11 – Regular trash pickup
Saturday, Oct 12 – Curbside cleanup

NOTE: This year the curbside cleanup is Saturday (rather than Friday). Items may be brought to the street for curbside pickup as early as Sunday, October 6th. Please have your items to the curb by Friday evening October 11th.

Waste Connections will make one pass through the city.

Items accepted:

- General trash, small amounts of bundled brush or limbs, furniture including chairs, couches, tables
- Appliances including washers, dryers, dishwashers, microwaves, small electrical appliances such as TV's, computers, mixers, blenders
- Patio grills, patio furniture, push lawn mowers (free of gas & oil) and lawn trimmers
- Tree limbs and branches must be cut in 3 ft. lengths and BUNDLED for easy pickup

**NO LOOSE TRASH OR DEBRIS, NO APPLIANCES WITH FREON
ACCEPTED, NO TIRES, NO CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS.**

All loose items must be bundled, boxed or bagged.

Household Hazardous Waste – Mobile Collection Unit

First and Vine

Saturday, October 5th, 2019 from 9am – 11am.

Items that will be accepted:

Waste Oil
Tar
Antifreeze
Car batteries
Auto Care products
Chemicals – Acids, Ammonia, bleaches, iodine, hydrogen peroxide
Fertilizers
Pesticides including but not limited to Herbicides, Insecticides, and Rodenticides
Spot Removers
Drain, Oven, Toilet bowl cleaners
Any other cleaning products
Aerosol cans (paint, hairspray, cooking spray, WD40, insect/weed killers, etc)
Rechargeable batteries
Paint Products & Preservatives
Any empty metal cans including aerosol cans (these are crushed and punctured safely)

DO NOT BRING: Used cooking oil, Ammunition or explosives, Alkaline batteries, Medical wastes (ex. needles)

PEABODY FALL FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2019 | 9AM - 5PM

IN CONJUNCTION WITH AFFORDABLE STREET RODS OPEN HOUSE | 601 W. POTTER RD. 8AM - 5PM

SHUTTLE RUNNING FROM AFFORDABLE STREET RODS, CITY PARK, AND DOWNTOWN

**BOUNCE HOUSES ♣ KIDS ACTIVITIES ♣ CRAFT VENDORS
FOOD ♣ ENTERTAINMENT ♣ HOME BASED BUSINESSES**

MUSIC LINE UP - SANTA FE PARK:

9:00-9:30: PBHS Band & Choir
9:30-10: Aarron Waddell
10-11: Bennie Holtsclaw
11-11:30: Aarron Waddell
12-1: Tallgrass Express String Band
1-2: Galen Obermeyer
2-3: Savanna Chestnut
3-4: Harrison Steele
4-5: Kyle Austin

Scarecrow Contest- Cash Prizes
Sponsored by R. Phillips Inc.
Registration forms at City office

Wiffle Ball Tournament starting at 8am
Contact Mario Nava - 316-295-8399
Register by 9/7/19- Forms at City office

**Washer Tournament at 1pm benefits the
July 4th Alumni Scholarship Fund**
Contact Kendall Winter - 316-772-6416
Register by 12:30pm the day of

**The HUB will offer a meal deal lunch at the Santa Fe Park
11am - 1pm as a fundraiser**

**Watermelon Feed at 3pm at the Santa Fe Park
by donation for the Junior Class**

Finish the day at the Sunflower Theatre Restoration Project Kick-Off Celebration. 5:30pm at the Sunflower Theatre, 210 N Walnut St. A concert premier of "Sunflower Theatre Scenes" by Susan Mayo (a Peabody resident). Sponsored by the Peabody Community Foundation and the KCAIC.
Memorabilia on display and video booth collection of past memories and future dreams.

peabodyfallfestival66866@gmail.com

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

CITY OF PEABODY

Has Levels of Haloacetic Acids Above Drinking Water Standards

Our water system recently violated a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers you have a right to know what happened, what you should do, and what we are doing to correct this situation.

When disinfection (such as the use of chlorine) is used in the treatment of drinking water, disinfectants combine with organic and inorganic matter present in water to form compounds called disinfection byproducts (DBP). EPA sets standards for controlling the levels of DBP in drinking water, including Haloacetic Acids (HAA). Compliance is based on the four-quarter average of sample results for each location where HAA samples are collected, called a locational running annual average (LRAA). The HAA standard for any one LRAA is 60 ug/L. Results for a sample we collected on 6/18/2019 shows that our system exceeds the standard or maximum contaminant level (MCL) for HAA. For Second Quarter of 2019, one of the LRAA where HAA samples are collected was 71 ug/L.

What should I do?

\$ You do not need to use an alternative (e.g., bottled) water supply. However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.

What does this mean?

This is not an immediate risk. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately. *However, some people who drink water containing haloacetic acids in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.*

What happened? What is being done?

[Describe corrective action.] Keep Monitoring Disinfection by products, flush distribution system
Using other options for lowering HAA and TTHMS.

We anticipate resolving the problem within [estimated time frame] within the next quarterly samples

For more information, please contact Name: ~~RONNIE HARMS~~ LUCAS LARSEN at Phone: 620-983-2174
Or by Mail: 300 N WALNUT, PEABODY, KS 66866

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

This notice is being sent to you by CITY OF PEABODY.

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