WEEKLY REPORT

Week of July 6, 2026

Upcoming

Residents are invited to apply to serve on the Raymore Charter Review Commission. The City Charter serves as the City's constitution, establishing rules that make up the basic structure, powers and authority of our City government and outlining how decisions are made. A comprehensive review of the Charter is required at least every 10 years. Any qualified voter who lives within Raymore city limits is eligible to apply. Applications are due by 5 p.m., July 16, 2026. Visit www.raymore.com/charterreview to learn more and apply.

Raymore Farmers Market, 4-7 p.m., every Tuesday through September, T.B. Hanna Station, 214 S. Washington St.. Enjoy shopping local vendors selling sourdough, produce, crafts and more.

Raymore Reggae Jam, 7-10 p.m., Friday, July 10, at the Hawk Ridge Park Amphitheater with 77 Jefferson, SkillinJah, Riddim Doctor and House of Dub. Join the Raymore Arts Commission for another Friday night concert at the park! Parking is encouraged at the lot on N. Sunset Lane. The Iceré will serve up cold treats or you can bring your own refreshments. Remember to bring a chair or blanket! Motorized vehicles such as golf carts are NOT allowed on park trails or in the park. Any weather updates will be posted on the Raymore Art Commission Facebook page. Click here to visit the Facebook page.

City Clerk

- Click here to view the agenda for the City Council regular meeting on July 13.

Development Services

- Development Services Director David Gress attended the Raymore Chamber of Commerce Coffee & Conversation and monthly board meeting.

- The regular meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission for July 7 was canceled. The commission will meet next on July 21.

Economic Development

- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea attended the International Economic Development Council's women economic developers affinity group meeting.
- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea attended the Mid-America Regional Council's Sustainable Places Policy committee meeting.

Emergency Management

- Emergency Management Director Tim Baldwin attended the Metropolitan Emergency Managers Committee meeting in Kansas City.
- Emergency Management Director Tim Baldwin attended the webinar *Be Ready: Preparing for the Unexpected*, hosted by Home Free USA.
- Emergency Management Director Tim Baldwin continued local outreach to promote the Kids and Families Emergency Preparedness Night to be held Thursday, Aug. 13, at 6 p.m. at Centerview.

Parks & Recreation

- Park maintenance cut down fallen trees that hung over park trails.
- Park maintenance cleaned up from the events held for America's 250th birthday.
- Recreation Superintendent Todd Brennon met with representatives from Civic Rec.
- Raymore Parks and Recreation hosted two youth baseball games this week concluding the 2026 summer youth baseball, softball and t-ball season.
- Raymore Summer Camp attended Worlds of Fun for this week's field trip.
- Raymore Summer Camp had 92 children register for the current week of summer camp.

Police

- Capt. David Billings and Chief Jim Wilson attended the Cass County Radio programming and equipment meeting at the Harrisonville Police Department.
- Capt. Billings attended the annual Missouri Police Officers Association luncheon meeting in Jefferson City, MO.

- Detective John Keltner presented a Standardized Field Sobriety Testing in-service training for two shifts of officers.
- Officers Ethan Cupp and Tre Wilson are working security detail for the concert at Hawk Ridge park.

Public Works
Engineering

- The curb program worked on Cove Drive.
- Curb and sidewalk removal on 58 Highway started.
- The City held a utility coordination meeting and began reviewing submittals to begin construction on Kurzweil Rd.

Operations and Maintenance

- 10 City Hall Work Orders
- 147 Locates
- 7 Completed Service Requests
- 2 Driveway Inspections
- 4 Sidewalk Inspections
- 1 Curb Inspection
- 1 Water Tap
- 26 Final ROW Inspections
- 1 Water Meter Replaced
- 2 New Meter Activations
- 2 Meters Replaced

Road Maintenance:

- Worked on paint striping prep and practice runs.
- Assisted the Parks Department with parking for the fireworks event.
- Public Works staff participated in the 4th of July parade.
- Completed post 4th of July street sweeping in Zone 1 and Zone 2.
- Completed dirtwork for recently replaced sidewalks on Canter Street, Roberta Drive and Lark Street.
- Pulled and replaced 7 ft of curb on Bayview Drive.
- Replaced 5 ft of sidewalk on Spring Branch Drive.
- Pulled forms and completed dirtwork on Bayview Drive.
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- Picked up fallen trees and debris in the ditch on Johnston Pkwy between Huntsman Boulevard and Darrowby Drive.
- Replaced green traffic signal light at Mott Drive and 58 Highway.
- Replaced red traffic signal light at Foxridge Drive and 58 Highway.
- Repaired a large pothole on Sequoia Drive.
- Made repairs to the mowers.
- Continued with the roadside mowing program.
- Performed routine mowing at the Police Department Firing Range.

- Routine mowing at all water/sewer stations was completed.
- Performed routine right-of-way mowing.
- Acquired parts and materials from vendors.
- Completed routine facility maintenance.
- Performed regular vehicle and equipment maintenance.

Water and Sewer Services:

- Maintenanced and flushed 111 fire hydrants city wide.
- Pulled routine MDNR monthly water samples.
- Made repairs to the sewer camera.
- Conducted city owned backflow device testing.
- CCTV'd 300 ft of sewer main investigating to locate the sewer connection for 329 N. Madison St.
- Investigated to locate the sewer connection for 320 W. Pine St.
- Made repairs to the sump pump at the Lucy Webb meter vault.
- Cleaned the basket at Owen Good Station.
- Line locate training continued.
- Completed meter activations for new meter installations.
- Completed daily station reading and inspections.
- Completed routine water and sewer customer service requests.
- Continued with in-home lead service line inspections.
- Continued with in-field LSLI (lead service line inventory) for Missouri Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Agency.

Training and Administration:

- Conducted and completed 2 employee evaluations.
- Met with Irving Cable to discuss Google Fiber.
- Public Works hosted an internal meeting.
- Continued to collect and record completed backflow prevention tests for the city wide backflow program.
- Continued entering lead service line inventory reporting into the database.