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NEWSLETTER TO RESIDENTS OF BELLE MEADE June 2017



## ATTENTION BELLE MEADE HOMEOWNERS! IMPORTANT TRASH/RECYCLE COLLECTION SERVICE UPDATES

EFFECTIVE JUNE 19, the new contractor for trash & recycle collection is Franklin Disposal, LLC.  
The city will be split into 2 zones for pickup on Mondays and Tuesdays\*\* \*\* (SEE BELOW)

### BLUE IS THE NEW BLACK!!

All recycling will now require **BLUE** bags.

Come by city hall and pick up your **FREE BLUE RECYCLE BAG STARTER KIT!**

- Continue to use the same trash/recycle containers and put trash in black or white bags and recycle in **BLUE** bags. *The contractor is not accepting glass for recycle at this time. Please put glass in the trash bags.*
- If you desire a second pick-up day each week, you will need to set this up with Franklin Disposal, 615-794-8964. They will invoice you directly for this extra service.

See page 2 for recycle information and where to buy blue bags

### CITY OF BELLE MEADE

TRASH & RECYCLE COLLECTION DAYS – EFFECTIVE Monday, JUNE 19th & Tuesday, June 20th  
FRANKLIN DISPOSAL – CONTRACTOR

#### MONDAY STREETS

Belle Meade Blvd	Harding Place
Bellevue Drive S	Herbert Place
Bellevue Drive W	Iroquois Ave
Brookfield Ave E	Jackson Blvd
Brookfield Ave W (400 Block only)	Leake Ave (even 200-400, 407, 409)
Canterbury Dr	Manor Dr
Carriage Hill	Nichol Lane
Chancery Lane	Paddock Lane
Chickering Lane	Page Rd
Chickering Rd	Park Hill
Clarendon Ave	Parmer Ave
Cornwall Ave	Sutherland Ave
Deer Park Circle	Tyne Blvd
Deer Park Dr	Warner Place
Enquirer Ave	West Tyne Dr
Evelyn Ave	Westover Ave (600 Block-even #s only)
Forsythe Place	
Georgian Place	

#### TUESDAY STREETS

Abbott Martin Rd	Scotland Place
Bonaventure Place	Shepard Place
Cherokee Circle	Signal Hill Dr
Drew Place	Sunnybrook Dr (4300 Block only)
Ellendale Ave	Sunnyside Dr
Gerald Place	Trimble Rd (#3912, 3915, 3917)
Glen Eden Dr	Truxton Place
Honeywood Dr	Valley Forge (#86, 87, 88, 89, 90)
Howell Place	Walnut Dr
Lillywood Rd	Webster Lane
Lynwood Blvd ***	Westhampton Place
Lynwood Lane	Westview Ave
Lynwood Terrace	
Malone Place	
Millrace Lane	*** (800 & 900 Blocks–odd #s only)
Park Center Dr	
Royal Oaks Dr	
Royal Oaks Place	

# Belle Meade Newsletter

Places to purchase blue bags locally: Hart Hardware, Publix-Hill Center, Costco and Sam's Club.

Online at Amazon: [https://amazon.com/ToughBag-Blue-Recycling-Bags-33x39/dp/B01C36X29E?\\_encoding=UTF8&keywords=blue%20recycle%20toughbag%2033%20gal&portal-device-attributes=desktop&qid=1496928382&ref\\_=sr\\_1\\_1&s=hpc&sr=8-1](https://amazon.com/ToughBag-Blue-Recycling-Bags-33x39/dp/B01C36X29E?_encoding=UTF8&keywords=blue%20recycle%20toughbag%2033%20gal&portal-device-attributes=desktop&qid=1496928382&ref_=sr_1_1&s=hpc&sr=8-1)

At checkout, use Amazon coupon code TOUGHBAG for 10% off.



### HOW TO BAG YOUR TRASH

#### TRASH

Black or White ONLY



#### RECYCLE

BLUE ONLY



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Use Amazon coupon code for 10% discount: **TOUGHBAG**



### WHAT GOES IN THE RECYCLE BIN

 <p>Paperboard Cartón</p>	 <p>Cardboard Cajas de cartón</p>	 <p>Magazines Revistas</p>	 <p>Junk Mail Correo no deseado</p>	 <p>Office Paper Papel de oficina</p>
 <p>Newspapers Periódicos</p>	 <p>Brown Paper Bags Bolsas de papel</p>	 <p>Phone Books Directorios</p>	 <p>Plastic Bottles and Containers # 1-7 Botellas de plástico y recipientes # 1-7</p>	 <p>Aluminum Cans Latas de aluminio</p>
<b>NOT SO FAST!!</b> <b>PUT IT IN THE TRASH</b>				
 <p><b>NO GLASS OR BOTTLES</b></p>	<p><b>Glass, Plastic Wrap, Plastic Bags, Foam, Containers, Food Waste, Films</b></p>			 <p><b>NO GLASS OR BOTTLES</b></p>
				

Still unsure? Visit <http://franklindisposal.com/recycling/4371330> for more information

## FROM THE POLICE DEPARTMENT – CHIEF TIM EADS:



**PUBLIC SAFETY UPDATE** - On June 2, 2017 during the early morning hours, Belle Meade Police interrupted a car burglary operation in the area of Parmer Park. While checking a vehicle, the officer observed items that raised his suspicions. Upon closer examination, the officer observed what appeared to be an illegal substance lying on the seat of the vehicle. An immediate search of the area was conducted and as the investigation continued, a suspect was identified and located. Ultimately, the suspect cooperated with our detective and confessed to illegally entering several other parked vehicles in our City as well as other West Nashville area locations. The investigation led to the identification of one juvenile and two young adults. Of the car burglaries that had occurred in the Metro area, several stolen items were recovered. Metro has charged the suspects with multiple counts of theft as a result of the great work by the Belle Meade officers. It should be noted that of the six vehicles in Belle Meade that may have been rummaged through, only one had a small amount of cash taken. I believe the Park Smart campaign and the repeated recommendation to our residents to remove items of value from their parked vehicles prevented additional thefts that night. I am very proud of our residents for Parking Smart! Please continue to lock your vehicles while they are unattended and immediately call in suspicious activity to us at 615-297-0241.

Please remember to take advantage of our **House Check Services** while you are out of town. Officers will provide extra patrol of your residence even if you are going to be gone for one day.

Continue to use your home alarms even if you are only going to be away for a short period of time. For more information on our House Check Services and to enroll in the program, please visit the Belle Meade Police Department online at [www.citybellemeade.org](http://www.citybellemeade.org). If you are already enrolled and need to update your information, please call us at 615-297-0241 and the dispatcher will be happy to assist you.

Our **Prescription Drug Collection Program** is doing very well. On average we collect about 35 pounds of unused prescription medicine each month. Our collection box is located in the lobby of the Belle Meade Police Department and it is available 24/7 for the safe disposal of expired, unused or unwanted prescription and over the counter drugs. For more information on this program, as well as our other services and programs, please go to [www.citybellemeade.org](http://www.citybellemeade.org)



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## RECAP OF BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS' MEETINGS



The Commissioners took action on the following items at the May 17th meeting:

- Awarded bid for Creek Debris Removal to J.R. and Associates of Dickson. One of the unit prices for this project was increased by \$5 more per hour than the current contract due to an increase in disposal fees, but all other unit bid prices remained the same as the current pricing.
- Declared (3) of the older Dodge Charger police vehicles as surplus property to be sold and replaced in the next fiscal year.
- Appointed Clay Bright and Johnny Phipps to the Municipal

Planning Commission to fill unexpired terms for two months until June 30th.

- Approved (2) invoices over \$5000
  - o Wascon - \$5,211.48
  - o LSI - \$6,977.45
- Approved Resolution 2017-07, Adopting a Public Records Policy.
- Approved Ordinance 2017-3, Budget Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2017-2018, on first reading.
- Approved Ordinance 2017-4, Fix Tax Rate for Fiscal Year 2017-2018, on first reading. The proposed tax rate for 2017-2018 is \$0.25705 per \$100.00 of assessed value.



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## MAYOR HUNT AND METRO PROPERTY ASSESSOR SIGN CERTIFIED TAX RATE CALCULATION



On Tuesday, June 7th, Mayor Jim Hunt and Metro Property Assessor Vivian Wilhoite signed the Calculation Form for Belle Meade's new Certified Property Tax Rate of \$0.25705. The new rate was initially calculated by the Metro Assessor's office, then verified and approved by the State. The City must adopt the approved rate and can then proceed, if it so chooses, to modify the rate up or down. The Commissioners voted on

first reading of the Ordinance to set the property tax rate at the same rate as the Certified Rate. Second and final reading of the Ordinance will be at the Board meeting on June 21st at 4pm.

What is the Certified Tax Rate? To prevent local governments from realizing a windfall in tax revenues because of a reappraisal, state law requires that a Certified Tax Rate (CTR) be set after each mass reappraisal. The law, also known as "The Truth in Taxation Law," provides that the certified tax rate must not raise more revenues — except on new construction — than in the prior tax year. However, counties and cities still have the option to adjust their tax rate at any time, depending on the cost of services and other fiscal needs and providing they follow proper public notice and public hearing procedures.

For more information, visit the Metro Assessor's website. <http://www.padctn.org/services/tax-rates-and-calculation/>

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## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Ms. Corinne Parrish, daughter of residents Nate and Nancy Parrish. She sang the National Anthem at the Steeplechase this year and received rave reviews!



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## ***Ceres Society Donations – May 5, through May 31, 2017***

Abbott, Mr. & Mrs. John  
Alford, Jr., Dr. William  
Armistead, III Mr. & Mrs.  
James  
Barfield, Mr. & Mrs. Lee Cole  
Bass, Mr. & Mrs. James  
Blackburn, Mr. & Mrs. Michael  
Blevins, Mr. & Mrs. Bill  
Brown, Mr. & Mrs. Edward  
Brunson, Mr. & Mrs. Stuart  
Chadwick, Mr. & Mrs. John  
Crabtree, Ms. Jackie  
Crossman, Mr. & Mrs. Jim

Davidson, Mr. & Mrs. John Page  
Geer, Ms. Noel  
Greenberg, Mr. & Mrs. Elliot  
Harvey, Mr. & Mrs. Robert  
Hearn, Mr. & Mrs. William  
Houff, Dr. & Mrs. Stephen  
Jackson, Mr. & Mrs. Robert  
Justus, Mr. William  
Kirkland, Mr. & Mrs. Miles  
LaGasse, Mr. & Mrs. Randolph  
Laine, Mr. & Mrs. Craig  
Lebrun, Ms. Gillian  
Linton, Dr. & Mrs. Macrae Fort

Lipman, Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence  
Mallard, Dr. & Mrs. Robert  
McBee, Mr. & Mrs. John  
McGuire, Mr. & Mrs. Garry  
McKeehan, Ms. Priscilla  
Minch, Dr. & Mrs. F. Michael  
Miranda, Dr. & Dr. Fernando  
Moses, Mr. & Mrs. Robert  
Page, Mr. & Mrs. Robert  
Scott, Mr. & Mrs. John  
Spiva, Mr. & Mrs. George  
Spradley, Mr. & Mrs. James  
Warner, Dr. & Mrs. John

### Memorial Contributions

Mrs. Nell Bransford  
*(In Memory of Mr. John Bransford, Jr.)*  
Mrs. Barbara Daane  
*(In Memory of Mr. Dewey Daane)*  
Mrs. Kay Haury  
*(In Memory of Mr. Karl E. Haury, Sr.)*

**REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETINGS  
FOR JULY AND AUGUST 2017**

**ALL MEETINGS ARE HELD AT  
BELLE MEADE CITY HALL**

**Municipal Planning Commission**

Tuesday, July 18th at 4:00 pm  
Tuesday, August 15th at 4:00 pm

**Board of Building Code Appeals**

Tuesday, July 11th at 4:00 pm  
Tuesday, August 8th at 4:00 pm

**Board of Zoning Appeals**

Tuesday, July 18th at 5:00 pm  
Tuesday, August 15th at 5:00 pm

**Board of Commissioners**

Wednesday, July 19th at 4:00 pm  
Wednesday, August 16th at 4:00 pm

Agendas are available online at [www.citybellemeade.org](http://www.citybellemeade.org)

**REMINDERS:**



**CITY HALL OFFICES WILL BE  
CLOSED ON TUESDAY, JULY 4TH.  
IN CASE OF SEWER, STREET, OR  
OTHER EMERGENCIES,  
CALL THE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
AT 615-297-0241.**

**\*\*TRASH, RECYCLE COLLECTION HOLIDAY  
SCHEDULE – MONDAY JULY 3RD PICKUP – NO  
CHANGE; TUESDAY PICKUP SCHEDULE WILL  
BE MOVED TO WEDNESDAY, JULY 5TH**



***WE WISH EVERYONE A SAFE AND  
ENJOYABLE HOLIDAY!***

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return service requested