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# WORD ON WHITE HOUSE

A Publication of the City of White House

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## The White House Farmer's Market set to open May 2024



*The 2024 Farmer's Market is gearing up to open May 15, 2024, and will last until August 28th, 2024. The weekly market will be on Wednesdays from 3:30pm to 7pm at the White House Municipal Park. This beloved market continues to grow and thrive every year in our bustling White House community!*



*This season will be full of weekly family fun, live music, events, food trucks, and the best local vendors around! We love being able to provide a space for local farmers, vendors, and artisans to sell their products in the City of White House.*

*We are still currently accepting applications for vendors, food trucks, entertainment, musicians, and more! You can find more information on our website at [WhiteHouseTN.gov/FarmersMarket](http://WhiteHouseTN.gov/FarmersMarket) or by contacting the Market Manger, Deana Phillips at [DPhillips@WhiteHouseTN.gov](mailto:DPhillips@WhiteHouseTN.gov).*

*Be sure to find us on social media, by scanning the QR codes below, for weekly updates on events, vendor line-ups, food truck schedules, and more!*



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Instagram



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105 College Street  
White House, TN 37188  
[www.whitehousetn.gov](http://www.whitehousetn.gov)

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# Greetings

FROM YOUR CITY ADMINISTRATOR

**Gerald O. Herman**



In the last two issues of this newsletter the topic of growth in residential, commercial, and industrial was shared with you. What needs to be covered in this issue is “what connects” these areas together. How do we travel between places in and out of the city of White House?

Maintaining and expanding our transportation network must be planned, takes many years to design and construct, and is very costly to the budget. The City receives State Street Aid money from the State based on per capita. We bring in roughly a half million dollars each year which we use to resurface streets. We have been successful in receiving alternative transportation grants for sidewalks along State routes. We have been successful in receiving two Industrial Access grants for two small projects in the Industrial zoned areas. We were successful in having a project to widen SR76 from Hester Drive to New Hall Road widened to four lanes in the 2017 IMPROVE ACT. (Since there were 900 or so projects approved it could be another 10 to 15 years before TDOT moves the project into the concept design phase!). We can expect TDOT to continue with the widening of I-65 from the Kentucky line down to Goodlettsville. (This is a four-phase project. White House is

scheduled as the last of the four phases.)

All roads built in subdivisions are built by the developers. How do we fund widening roads and improving intersections on roads that connect subdivisions? We have used a variety of means. For example, when the Parks subdivision was proposed we required the developer to rebuild and re-route a part of Pinson Road from Pleasant Grove Road to Cross Plains Road. We required the developers of the new subdivisions along Tyree Springs Road to work together to improve the intersection of Tyree Springs at South Palmers Chapel Road to include turn lanes and traffic signalization. We also collect an Impact Fee that does help to offset some costs on these types of projects.

Last month staff proposed to the Board of Mayor and Alderman six (6) road improvement projects. If funded these six projects could be built out over the next two at most three years. Our projected costs for these projects are nearly \$11 million. To pay for these projects staff proposed borrowing the funds and paying them off in 12 years. Currently the City has no debt service on any road projects. Here are the six projects proposed and the reasoning behind each project:

## Pleasant Grove Road @ State Route 76

Although this project is listed in the IMPROVE Act, waiting 10 to 20 years to get some improvement at this intersection is not feasible. Two traffic studies at this intersection have shown that turn lanes on SR 76 along with traffic signalization are warranted. Design plans have been developed. We are in the process of obtaining right of way and relocation of any utility. This project has been identified by the Board of Mayor and Alderman as a priority project. Estimated cost is \$1.8 million. If funded, we anticipate we could go into construction by end of calendar year.



## Sage Road Widening Final Phase

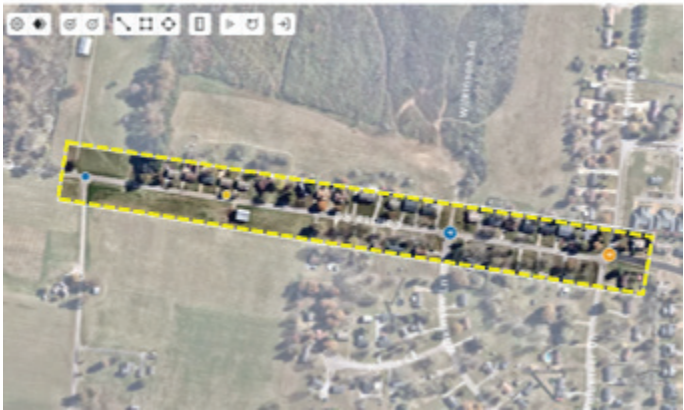
Sage Road has become a secondary bypass road that connects US31W to SR76. Widening improvements were split into three phases. The first phase was from SR76 to Madeline Lane. The second phase was from Madeline Lane to Cardinal (the point where the road changes from north south to east west). The third phase will widen the road from Cardinal to US31W. This third phase is extremely important to complete. We have a new sewer line that is being installed along the entire length of this phase. It would be helpful to the residents along this road to get the road done shortly after the sewer line work is complete. Also, soon Cedarbrook Road will be opened and connect to Tyree Springs Road. Opening this passage extends the bypass, which we anticipate will increase traffic along Sage Road. This phase cost estimate is \$1.8 million.





**Calista Road Widening Phase 1**

This project will widen Calista Road from Indian Ridge Blvd to Bill Moss Road. This section of road is currently in the early design phase. There are four subdivisions with over 1,000 homes being built in that area. One developer has agreed to give \$500,000 toward this project. Estimated cost for this project is \$2.6 million.



**Union Road @SR76.**

This intersection has been studied and warrants turn lanes and a traffic signal. This project is along the IMPROVE Act SR76 corridor. This intersection is #1 in crash rate in the City limits. It is #2 in the total reported crashes and is #2 in the severity of crashes. This is a very dangerous intersection that needs improvement as soon as possible. A private developer will install traffic signalization as soon as we can get the widening and turn lanes finished. Estimated cost of this project is \$1.7 million.



**North Palmers Chapel Road Widening**

This project would widen North Palmers Chapel Road from Tyree Springs to the bridge over the greenway. This project has been designed. Right of Way and relocation of utilities have been completed. This project just needs funding. Estimated cost is just over \$800,000.



**Marlin Road @ US31W**

This project would include turn lanes and traffic signalization. It currently warrants a traffic signal. There is development in residential, commercial business and a new intermediate elementary school in this area that is now and will continue to impact the amount of traffic at that intersection.



We do know and are planning for other future road projects, but staff has recognized that these six projects are of higher importance and are ready or near ready for construction. May you be safe, happy, healthy, and ready to grasp the warmer weather of spring. 😊

**MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY**

**Monday, May 27th, 2024**

**10:30AM**

**White House Municipal Gymnasium  
105 College Street, White House, TN**





# Parks & Recreation



## 6<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY INDEPENDENCE ☆ 5K ☆

8:00am

White House High School Trailhead

EARLY BIRD PRICING  
MAY 5TH- JUNE 2ND

CHILD  
(10 & UNDER)

\$20.00

INDIVIDUAL

\$25.00

FAMILY  
(UP TO 4 MEMBERS)

\$75.00

PRICE INCREASES AFTER  
JUNE 2ND

Early Bird registration guarantees you an event T-shirt and prize raffle entry!

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS

### 4v4 Co-ed Sand Volleyball

Register: April 7th- May 19th

Ages: 15+

Sunday Games at Municipal Park

Team Fee: \$75.00

Free Agent Fee: \$20.00



### Youth Baseball

Registration: May 19th- June 30th

Ages: 4-12

Season: August-October

Resident Fee: \$100.00

Non-Resident Fee: \$112.00



### Girl's Volleyball

Registration: May 26th- July 7th

3rd-8th Grades

Season: August- October

Resident Fees: \$65.00

Non-Resident Fee: \$77.00



615-672-4350 \*2114

<https://www.whitehousetn.gov/parks>

City of White House, TN - Parks and Recreation



Scan the QR code to  
register for a program!





# SENIOR CENTER

Monday- Thursday: 7:15a-5:00p



**Senior Citizen's Lunches**  
**Wednesdays at 11:30am**  
Reservations are required  
by noon on Mondays.

	EAT IN	CARRY OUT
SENIORS	\$3.00	\$3.50
NON-SENIORS	\$6.00	\$6.50

Congratulations to our Senior Center Coordinator Billie Hyndman for winning the 2023 Community Impact Award! Billie received her award from the White House Area Chamber of Commerce during their Community Awards Luncheon in February.

Upcoming April & May events include a shopping trip to Bowling Green Mall, lunch trip to Centennial Park & the Parthenon, Mothers' Day Tea Party and a Mystery Trip. Stop by the senior center to learn more and to get signed up!



**Senior Exercise Classes:**  
**Mon - Thurs: 9:30am**  
**Civic Center Gymnasium**



## Clubs & Groups

- Garden Club
  - Quilting
- Dance
  - Bunco



**No Membership or joining Fees!**  
**Free transportation available for outings!**  
**(Limited seats available)**

[www.whitehousetn.gov/seniorcenter](http://www.whitehousetn.gov/seniorcenter)    615-616-1016    105D College St. White House, TN 37188

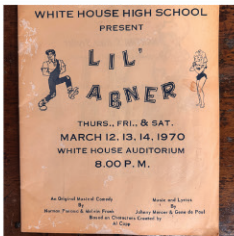
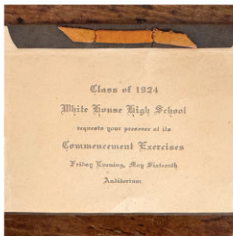
## WHITE HOUSE INN MUSEUM

### White House High School History Display



In honor of White House High School's 100th graduating class, the Museum will be displaying pieces of White House School's history.

**Coming in May!**



Monday – Thursday  
9:00am - 4:00pm  
615-672-5223  
412 HWY 76, White House, TN  
[www.WhiteHouseTN.gov/museum](http://www.WhiteHouseTN.gov/museum)





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Reid's Custom Hauling

## Hillcrest Cemetery

Chronical Cemetery Software available.

The software has multiple features including:

- **Records Search**
- **Walk To Grave GPS Mapping**
- **Life Chronicle** – heartfelt online memorials to honor your loved ones.




### What is a columbarium?

A columbarium is kind of like a mausoleum. It is an above ground burial tomb. The big difference is that it is only for cremations enclosed in urns. Do you know what you would do with your loved ones cremation? Hillcrest Municipal Cemetery now offers a lower cost alternative. Our columbarium has niches (hollow spaces) for the safe keeping of your loved one. Each niche can accommodate two family members. If you would like more information on purchasing a columbarium niche, please call the Parks and Recreation Department at 615-672-4350 ext. \*2114

### SCHEDULE OF FEES

Ground Burials	Columbarium
Sale of Lots - \$750.00	Sale of Niche- \$750.00
Openings & Closings - \$800.00 (Monday - Friday)	Internments- \$150.00
Burial of Cremains - \$300.00	Engraving- \$250.00
Move Outside of Hillcrest - \$500.00	Additional Opening and Closing - \$150.00
Move Within Hillcrest - \$1,000.00	
Monument Foundation Fee - 25¢ per square inch	
Scatter of Cremains - \$25.00	





# Summer IN THE CITY

Discover \*\*\* White House Area Chamber of Commerce

## MUSIC UNDER THE STARS

### FREE CONCERT SERIES IN THE PARK

<b>SAT., MAY 25</b> <b>CHROMIUM &amp; KRUIZE KONTROL</b> Food Trucks on site: <b>CANTRELL'S GRILL &amp; DEJA MOO</b>	<b>SAT., JUNE 15</b> <b>MIKE VILLINES &amp; THE SPYDERS</b> Food Trucks on site: <b>KEY'S SOUTHERN SMOKEHOUSE &amp; KONA ICE</b>	<b>SAT., AUG. 25</b> <b>IT WOULD BE HOT &amp; THE PAK</b> Food Trucks on site: <b>ROJOS LOCOS TACOS &amp; DEJA MOO</b>
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# POLICE DEPARTMENT



## Greenway Safety Tips



## WHPD and White House Kroger Participate in DEA's Nationwide Prescription "Drug Take-Back Day"



### Will be accepted:

- Prescribed narcotic drugs
- Prescription medications
- Over the counter medications
- Medication samples
- Pet medications
- Medicated ointments/lotions
- Vitamins
- Inhalers
- EpiPens (unopened)

**Saturday, April 27th, 2024**  
**10AM-2PM**  
**at the White House Kroger**  
**(510 HWY 76, White House,**  
**TN 37188)**

For more information, contact Sgt. Eric Enck WHPD,  
615-672-4903



### Will NOT be accepted:

- Personal care items
- Hydrogen peroxide
- Aerosol cans
- EpiPens (used)
- Mercury products
- Iodine products
- Radioactives
- Business waste
- Empty containers or "sharps" (needles)
- Liquid medications/cough syrups



# WELCOME K-9 ZEUS!

Meet the newest member of the City of White House Police Department- *K-9 Zeus!*

We're thrilled to welcome Zeus, a 1.5-year-old Belgian Malinois hailing all the way from the Netherlands. This furry hero is ready to serve and protect alongside his partner, Sgt. Brandon Waller!

After an intensive 3-month training program, Zeus and Sgt. Waller are certified in narcotics detection and criminal apprehension. Their dedication and hard work have paid off, and they're now geared up to hit the streets together, keeping our community safe during the night shift.



## WORD LIST

- Zeus
- Netherlands
- Waller
- Safety
- White House
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- Malinois
- Training
- Narcotics
- Detection
- Police
- Criminal
- Apprehension
- Protect
- Serve



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## GOOD NEWS!

## THE LIBRARY IS GOING FINE FREE!

*What does this mean for our patrons?*

- No overdue fines on books, movies, and more.
- **ONLY** tech devices will accrue late fees.
- E-materials, like e-books, e-audio, and digital magazines will continue to be free of charge.
- When lost materials are returned, fines will be waived.
- Past overdue fines will be waived on all current accounts on March 18th, 2024.
- We will continue to bill and collect for lost items and block patron card access if items are not returned or paid for in a reasonable amount of time.



## FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!

Scan the QR code to go directly to the Library Facebook page!

The White House Library Board will meet on May 9, 2024 at 7:00pm at the Billy S. Hobbs Community Center located at 105D College St. White House, TN 37188. Per the TCA Title 8, Chapter 44 regarding public meetings, a Public Comment section is on the meeting's agenda. To speak during the Public Comment period, a sign-up sheet will be placed in the meeting location near the printed agendas and will be taken up just before the start of the meeting.

### Children Programs (ages 9 and under)

- Mondays: Crafternoon at 4PM for ages 6 to 10
- 1st Monday of the Month: Reading Dog at 4pm for ages 5-9
- Tuesday: Storytime at 10:30 for ages 0-5
- Wednesday: Storytime at 10:30am for ages 0-5
- 1st and 3rd Tuesday: Big Kids Club at 4:30pm for ages 7-10

### Tween/Teen Programs (ages 10-17)

- Mondays: Coding Club 4-5PM
- 1st Tuesday: Cooking Class at 4:30PM
- 2nd Tuesday: Craft Day at 4:30PM
- 3rd Tuesday: Anime Drawing at 4:30PM
- 4th Tuesday: Comic Book or Song Writing at 4:30PM

### Teen Programs (ages 13-17)

- 1st Thursday: Art Club at 4PM
- Last Thursday: Young Adult Book Club at 4:30 PM
- 1st Thursday and 3rd Tuesday: TAG at 5:30PM
- 3rd Saturday: Genealogy Class at 1PM

### Adult Programs

- Every Monday: Art Class at 10AM
- 3rd Monday: Genealogy Club
- Every Tuesday: Knitting and Crochet 4-5PM
- 2nd Thursday: Mystery Readers at 3PM & Creative Writing at 4:30PM
- 4th Thursday: Bingo 1:30PM & Creative Writing 4PM
- Last Thursday: Bookworms Book Club 10AM





MEET OUR STAFF MEMBERS OF THE MONTH!



Hello! My name is Althea Manges and I'm ecstatic to be your new Library Supervisor at White House Public Library! Originally from Knoxville Tennessee, I've been working for libraries in various settings over the past several years. My most recent position was the Youth Services Librarian for Clinton Public Library where I ran several programs for various age groups.

I have a deep love for books and often joke I love them so much I had to know the process of making a book from start to finish as my Undergraduate degree is in Forestry. I see myself as a "forever student" and continually seek additional education to further improve and refine my skills allowing me to better serve the community around me. I believe that libraries are the powerhouses of lifelong learning through books and programs offered and relish this wonderful opportunity I've been given to assist in that.

When not at work you can find me at home working on various projects such as gardening, building Legos or models, knitting, painting, baking, cooking, or out of town visiting family and friends. I cannot wait to meet everyone!

Hello, my name is Amber Walker and I've been with the library for 21 years. I am in charge of Interlibrary Loans (ILLs), a program that allows TN libraries to lend/borrow items from other libraries throughout the state. I monitor all overdue items by sending out notices in an attempt to retrieve libraries items that have gone beyond their due date. I order, maintain and return the Baker & Taylor lease books. I maintain the library collection by managing book donations, repairing damaged items or incorrect records, weeding items when necessary and processing items for cataloging. I also assist Janet on cataloging and tech stuff if needed and do any side projects Elizabeth ask me to.



LOCK IT OR LOSE IT!



HIDE YOUR BELONGINGS



LOCK YOUR VEHICLE



TAKE YOUR KEYS

Keep your belongings safe as you visit our parks and greenways!





# Movies UNDER THE STARS AT DUSK IN THE PARK

**JUNE 7TH**

**minions**  
THE RISE OF GRU


**JUNE 21ST**

**Wonka**


**JUNE 28TH**

**Trolls**  
Band Together

**FOOD TRUCKS  
FREE  
POPCORN**




**CUMBERLAND  
CONNECT**  
powered by **CEMC**



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**White House Area**  
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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

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**\$500**

Includes lunch, cart,  
driving range, goody  
bag, door prizes & more



**THE LEGACY  
SPRINGFIELD**

Shotgun Start at Noon  
Thursday May 2nd

**CASH PRIZES FOR TOP FLIGHTS**



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PUBLIC SERVICES**  
DEPARTMENT



**FCA**



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**State Farm**  
Mike Gaines, Agent



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# The Planners Corner

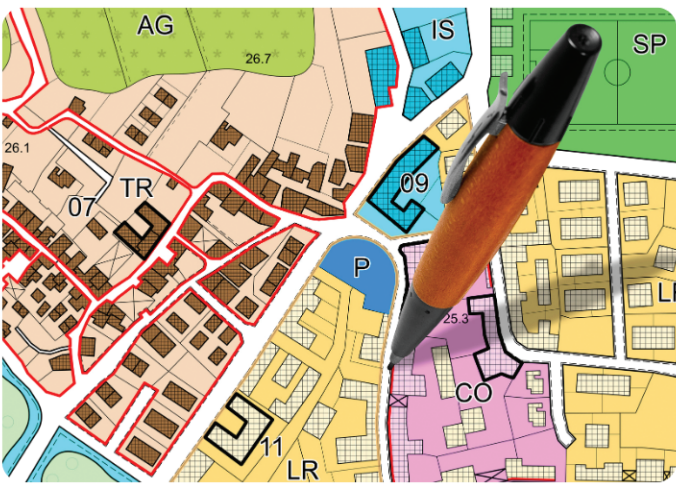
**Ceagus Clark,**  
*Planning and Codes Director*

*In the 'Planners Corner' series, we will explore the City Planner's (Planning and Codes Department) role to help the community reach its goals and vision, through various strategies and tools*



# MORE ON MODERNIZING OUR LAND USE REGULATIONS

In my last post, I briefly touched on the City's project to update its land use regulations. The last comprehensive update to local land regulations was 1995, nearly 30 years ago when visitors still flocked to the Opryland USA theme park and White House had a mere population of 5,000 residents. Three decades later and more than 10,000 residents stronger, there is a need to update and modernize regulations to ensure that White House continues to guide future growth and development in alignment with the City's goals and objectives. And of course, staff, residents, developers, and elected officials alike are eager for regulations that are clear, concise, and understandable.



- Elements of the update will address:
- Zoning** - Rules that define how property in specific geographic zones can be used by regulating lot size, placement, density, the height of structures, etc. to guide growth and development that aligns with the comprehensive plan.
  - Subdivision regulations** - Development standards and procedures for the subdivision of land within the City to ensure that new subdivisions are consistent, predictable, and protect the health, safety, and general welfare of the community.
  - Design standards** - Guide for façade, doors and windows, roof, and site for commercial development within the City to ensure that properties are consistent, high quality, and promote the general welfare of the community.
  - Sign** - Regulations for exterior signs within the City to reduce hazards, protect public investment, facilitate an attractive and harmonious community, and further economic development.

Since January 2024, city staff have worked with consultants to review issues with the existing land use regulations and identify potential solutions to address them. We look forward to sharing this assessment and gathering input from the community in the near future to shape the next regulations for decades to come.

**Scan QR code for New Citizen self service site for City Planning and Permitting Departments**





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PLANNING & CODES**



# CITY OF WHITE HOUSE FIRE DEPARTMENT

## Firefighter of the Year- 2023

Here at the White House Fire Dept, we recently wrapped up our annual banquet, which due to some nasty weather, was delayed a bit. But, a huge shout out to both our Administrative Assistant, Vicky Vaughn (aka, "The Commissioner") and Mrs. Tabitha Brewer. These two ladies worked tirelessly to make our banquet a very special occasion, and it only gets better every year!

As is typical, the highlight of the banquet is bestowing one of our firefighters with the Firefighter of the Year award. This award is given to firefighters whom have truly excelled throughout the year, those who go above and beyond expectations, improve their skillset, and distinguish themselves from their peers. This individual has exceeded expectations, shown a lot of initiative, and continues to develop as a leader....

**Our 2023 Firefighter of the Year is C-shift's own, Billy Gaull.**

Billy comes to us from Spring Valley, IL. He attended college at Illinois Valley Community

College, and later Rockford University, majoring in Sports Management and minoring in Business Administration. At Rockford, he played basketball. Billy's early career aspirations were obtaining Strength & Conditioning certifications and owning his own gym. (More on this in a moment...)

Prior to joining the fire service, Billy worked in retail management. In 2019, his wife's career opportunities brought them south to Tennessee. A friend in his hometown had recommended the fire service, but Billy did not pursue those opportunities right away. While managing a failing GNC Nutrition store, Billy turned the store around and made it profitable and thriving once again. However, the cold reception and indifference of upper management to this accomplishment made him rethink his priorities. He then made the decision to pursue a fire service career.

While continuing to work in retail management, Billy joined the Highland Volunteer Fire Dept. and obtained his initial certifications. He then applied and interviewed for several area departments, ultimately landing in White House. Since joining the department, Billy has obtained numerous certifications,



including; Firefighter I&II, Aerial Apparatus Operator, Fire Instructor, and Fire Officer I. Besides being a gifted athlete, Billy seems to have a natural penchant for firefighting, like he was meant to be here all along!

Billy's future goals include continuing to learn and stay proficient, even pursuing a few different skillsets, maybe moving into supervisory roles down the road. As mentioned before, Billy's initial life goals revolved around strength & conditioning. Currently, he is working towards a certification with the National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA), with the goal of becoming a Tactical Strength and Conditioning Facilitator. (TSAC-F). That's a lot of words and letters I just threw out there, so let me explain!

TSAC is a job driven strength and conditioning program geared towards fire, police, military, and emergency personnel, that allows us to train specifically for our line of work. A more focused pro-

gram such as this will allow us to improve performance, promote wellness, and decrease our risk of injury. This is something that Billy has become extremely passionate about and hopes to be able to implement such a program at the department.

Billy and his wife Ally married in 2019 and have two beautiful kiddos; Sawyer - 2 ½, and Wilder - 9mo. In his spare time, Billy enjoys outdoor activities, kayaking, fishing and the like. He and Ally own a couple of horses on their small farm and enjoy horseback riding. Billy is also an amazingly talented woodworker!

One of the things Billy told me that surprised him about coming here was just how quickly he and his family were accepted into the "second family" of the fire department, his only regret that he didn't join the brotherhood sooner! Congratulations Billy, you absolutely deserve this honor!





# PUBLIC SERVICES

## Wastewater Collections Systems

The City of White House Wastewater Department operates one of the most technologically diverse wastewater collections systems within the state of Tennessee. Our system consists of the traditional gravity networks (buried lines that flow freely under the force of gravity), low-pressure grinder pumps (powered pumps that move wastewater through pressurized lines), and even vacuum sewer systems that pull water and air through pipes. However, all these moving parts mean that equipment can become clogged or damaged if materials get flushed that they aren't designed to process. Every drop of water that goes down the drain in our system eventually gets pumped to our Wastewater Treatment Plant, which could potentially be damaged by foreign objects. To avoid service interruptions and costly repairs, please avoid flushing the following types of items:

- Baby Wipes or "Flushable Wipes" (Flushable wipes are NOT sewer safe, even if the label says so!)
- Strong Chemicals and Caustic or Poisonous Substances
- Shop Towels
- Feminine Products
- Degreasing Solvents
- Cigarette Butts
- Q-Tips
- Cat Litter
- Glass, Metal, Wood, Eggshells, Seafood Shells, Coffee Beans, Aquarium Rocks/Gravels, etc. (all of these are abrasive and cause physical damage to pumps)
- Plastic Objects
- Disposable Gloves
- Fireplace Ashes
- Paper/Plastic Food Wrappers
- Cotton Items
- Cooking Fat, Lard, Oil, Grease, etc.

If you have any questions at all about how your sewer system functions in White House, contact your Wastewater Department at 615-672-3654! Also, please call this number for any and all sewer repair needs. We monitor our phone lines 24 hours a day and always have personnel on-call to handle any and all after-hours/weekend/holiday emergency needs.



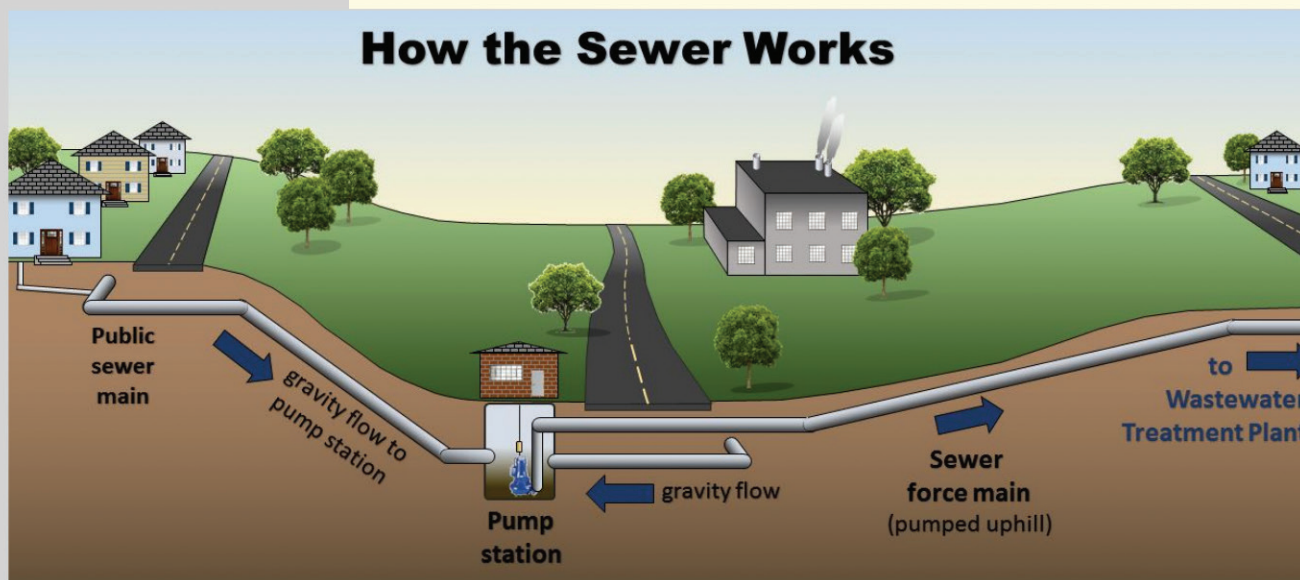
## Changes to Trash and Recycling Services

*With the current growth within The City of White House, it has been deemed necessary to make some changes to our current trash and recycle schedules. The Waste Management Team in cooperation with The City of White House, will be making adjustments to the trash and recycling pick up days. Making these changes are what we believe to be the best option as our city grows. This will increase efficiency and allow Waste Management to absorb the additional growth we are experiencing. Trash collection days will remain the same for most citizens and for others only slight changes will occur. The biggest change that will occur is, recycling collection day will no longer be on Friday's and will not be collected based on the county in which you reside. While all citizens will still be collected twice per month for recycling, the new schedule will require that every other trash day citizens will put their recycling cart out to the curbside with the trash cart. These recycling weeks will be considered either odd weeks or even weeks of the month that will correspond with the day in which recycling will be collected.*

### Backdoor Service Trash and Recycling Services

Currently, citizens that are receiving backdoor service trash and recycling services are serviced on Thursdays; moving forward citizens with backdoor service will be serviced on Tuesdays and similar to curbside collection these citizens will need to put their recycling cart out to be collected every other week with their trash carts.

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*Brandee Mills*

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