

Wilder Exchange



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September/October
2021

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City Web Page
www.wilderky.gov

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- ◆ City Council Meetings - 1st & 3rd Monday of Every Month at 7:00 PM
- ◆ City Council Meetings can be viewed on Spectrum channel 200, Cincinnati Bell Fioptics channel 806 or www.campbellmedia.org
- ◆ Wilder Planning & Zoning - 4th Monday (as needed) at 7:00 PM
- ◆ Wilder Vol.Fire Dept Drill - Every Monday at 7:30 PM

SPECIAL DATES

September 6, 2021—City Building Closed

September 12, 2021 — Annual Flag Raising -2pm at Frederick's Landing

September 24, 25, & 26 2021—City Wide Yard Sale

October 31, 2021—Halloween 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

November 25 & 26, 2021—City Building Closed

CITY SERVICE REFERENCE NUMBERS

CITY BUILDING 581-8884

POLICE DEPT.
581-8863

FIRE DEPT.
431-5884

MAINTENANCE
581-9515

Rumpke
800-828-8171

NORTHERN KY
WATER DISTRICT 578-9898

SANITATION
DISTRICT 578-7460



PLEASE KEEP OUR MEN AND
WOMEN SERVING IN THE
ARMED FORCES IN YOUR
THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

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Wilder Fire Department

Reminder on Sunday November 7th to set your clocks back, also as a good ritual, remember to change your batteries in your smoke detectors every time you change your clock in spring and fall.



TRICK—OR—TREAT

Sunday October 31st

6:00 PM to 8:00 PM



Please be mindful of those around you. Wilder does have an ordinance regarding habitual barking

§ 91.05 HABITUAL BARKING PROHIBITED.

No person shall harbor, keep, or permit a dog owned by him or which is under his control, which by loud and frequent or habitual barking, howling or yelping, causes annoyance or disturbance to other person or persons living or having the right to be in the vicinity so as to hear said barking, howling or yelping.



CITY WIDE YARD SALE SEPTEMBER 24TH, 25TH, & 26TH

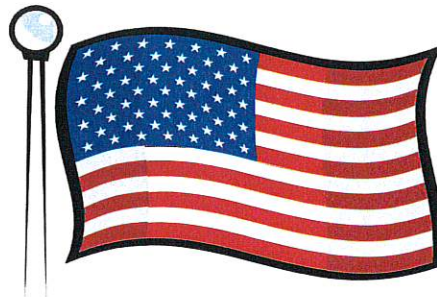
This is an annual event to assist citizens in perhaps making money on items that would routinely be disposed of. NO license is needed and all fees on this event are waived. Contact the City Building by Monday, September 13th, before noon, if you wish to be placed on the participation list which will be displayed at the City Building. An ad will be placed in the paper indicating participating streets.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO THE
FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL FLAG RAISING CEREMONY

SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

2:00 P.M.

FREDERICK'S LANDING



We look forward to seeing you at
Wilder's Fifty-Sixth Annual Flag Raising Ceremony

Please call the city building office at 581-8884 if you have any questions



Friday, October 1
 Saturday, October 2
 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

CAMPBELL COUNTY CLEAN-UP EVENT FALL 2021

WWW.CAMPBELLCOUNTYKY.GOV

PARTICIPANTS MUST UNLOAD THEIR OWN VEHICLE (LIMITED ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE)

PLEASE BRING PHOTO ID OR PROOF OF RESIDENCY

NOT ACCEPTED: Paint, Liquids, Hazardous Waste, Fluorescent Bulbs, Dirt/Concrete/Rocks

Location	Address	Accepted Items
CC Police Department	8774 Constable Drive, Alexandria	Furniture & Mattresses* Trash & Debris Yard Waste
Frederick's Landing	KY 9-AA Hwy, Wilder	
Pendery Park	4051 Mary Ingles Hwy, Melbourne	
Campbell County Transportation Center	1175 Racetrack Road, Alexandria	Appliances (Freon OK) Batteries (rechargeable) Electronics (Limit 1 TV) Furniture/ Mattresses* Propane Tanks (20 lbs. only) Scrap Metal** Tires (Limit 8; Rims OK) Trash & Debris Yard Waste

*Furniture & mattresses do NOT need to be plastic wrapped

**Remove fluids (oil & gas) from equipment

**BUSINESSES, INCLUDING JUNK/CONSTRUCTION REMOVAL BUSINESSES,
 OR AUTOMOTIVE BUSINESSES, ARE PROHIBITED**

**For more information email SolidWaste@campbellcountky.gov
 or call 859-547-1866 *ahead of event date.***



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION EVENT



Residents of Boone, Campbell, and Kenton Counties are welcome to dispose of their household hazardous waste for FREE at this event.

UC Health Stadium
7950 Freedom Way, Florence, KY
Saturday, November 6th, 2021
9:00am - 2:00pm

PLEASE VISIT WWW.NKYHHW.ORG TO PRINT & COMPLETE A REGISTRATION FORM PRIOR TO ATTENDING THE EVENT

WE WILL ONLY ACCEPT:

- Aerosol cans
- Antifreeze
- Batteries (all types)
- Corrosives/Flammables (fuel, kerosene, etc.)
- Electronics (computers, monitors, keyboards, printers, cell phones, etc.)
- Ink/Toner cartridges
- Light bulbs
- Oil/Fluids
- Paint (10 can limit)
- Pesticides
- Tanks/Cylinders
- Televisions (limit of two per vehicle)

Brought to you by the Northern Kentucky Solid Waste Management Area and Northern Kentucky Household Hazardous Waste Action Coalition.

COLLECTION DETAILS AND RESTRICTIONS

We will not be accepting: appliances, fertilizer, mercury-containing devices, medications, tires, or paper. **Visit www.nkyhhw.org for proper disposal methods.** We reserve the right to refuse any item that you bring.

- **AEROSOL CANS:** All aerosol cans will be accepted.
- **ANTIFREEZE:** Antifreeze only - NO mixtures will be accepted.
- **BATTERIES:** All batteries will be accepted, including: Alkaline, Ni Cad, Lithium, Lead Acid, and more.
- **BULBS:** CFL bulbs (4-foot and 8-foot tubes) will be accepted.
- **CORROSIVES/FLAMMABLES:** Fuel and kerosene will be accepted. Absolutely NO ammunition, gun powder, explosives, or radioactive items will be accepted.
- **ELECTRONICS:** TVs (limit of TWO per vehicle), PCs, laptops, cables, cell phones, cameras, and VCRs will be accepted.
- **INK/TONER CARTRIDGES:** Any ink or toner cartridges that come out of a printer, copier, or fax machine will be accepted.
- **OIL/FLUIDS:** Used motor oil, hydraulic fluid, transmission fluid, and brake fluid will be accepted.
- **PAINT:** All types of paint will be accepted with a limit of TEN cans per vehicle.
- **PESTICIDES:** Pesticides will be accepted with a limit of TWO gallons or TWO pounds per vehicle.
- **TANKS/CYLINDERS:** Tanks and cylinders will be accepted.

**CONTACT YOUR COUNTY'S
SOLID WASTE COORDINATOR
WITH ANY QUESTIONS**



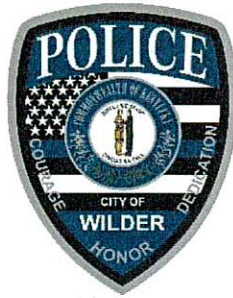
Boone: Mike Wilson; mike.wilson@boonecountyky.org or 859-334-3629

Campbell: Allyn Reinecke; areinecke@campbellcountyky.gov or 859-547-1866

Kenton: Melissa Grandstaff; melissa.grandstaff@kentoncounty.org or 859-392-1919

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From the desk of Police Chief:



It's School Time!

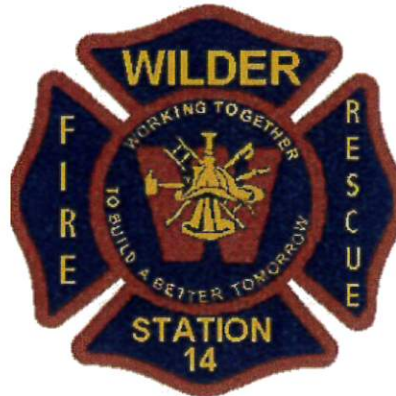
Who doesn't love a freshly paved road? If you're a car enthusiast and enjoy spirited driving, please don't be tempted by the fresh paint and blacktop. With road construction all around us traffic congestion has everyone frustrated. Remember to keep your speed down and pay attention as kids head back to school. Please remember these rules to keep everyone safe.

1. Slow down and pay attention. There will be new students, new bus drivers, and new bus routes. Everyone will need time to adjust to understand where they are supposed to be and where they are going.
2. Pay attention to the painted lines for crosswalks. Make sure you don't block crosswalks with your vehicle, when stopping in traffic, or preparing to make a turn. A blocked crosswalk forces kids into traffic to walk around your vehicle.
3. If you're dropping kids off for school, don't make them cross the road. Turn around if you have to so they can exit the vehicle on the same side of the road as the school.
4. Never go around a stopped vehicle that stopped for pedestrians, or to unload children.
5. Know the laws in regard to stopped school buses. 2 lane roads, both directions have to stop. 2 lane road with a center turning lane, both directions have to stop. 4 lane roads, only the traffic following the bus must stop. Examples can be found at https://education.ky.gov/districts/trans/Documents/Stop%20Laws_ADA_EH.pdf

Please put the phone down, slow down, and leave your home or office with an extra supply of patience and grace.

Sincerely,
Chief Chad Martin

From the desk of Fire Chief:



That time of year again!

As a yearly reminder for your safety and that of your family, be sure to change the battery in your smoke detector and run a test. It has been proven through many research studies that working smoke detectors with proper placements have saved countless lives.

If you are unsure about your current smoke detectors placement or workings please contact us for information.

Wilder Fire Department
522 Licking Pike
859-431-1440



WILDER FIRE/RESCUE

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PHONE 859-431-5884 • FAX 859-581-0823



FIRE CHIEF DOUG NEYMAN

To our supporters and citizens of Wilder

We hope that you and your family have remained safe and healthy as we all progress through this pandemic. The Wilder Fire Department, just as in years past, has not wavered in its dedication and protection of our citizens.

In the spring of this year, we decided to try something new with drive thru fish fries. Your overwhelming support made it one of our best ones we ever had. We are hoping to be back to in person dining next year and we are also keeping drive thru as an option.

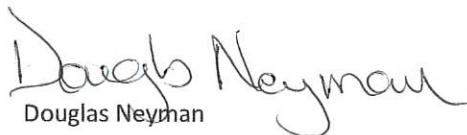
COVID-19 virus and its Delta Variant have altered our daily lives in ways that many of us have never seen. Many businesses, schools and residents have made tough choices and changed the way they operate including us. Many events have been rescheduled, had altered attendance policies or have been cancelled all together in order to keep everyone safe. With that in mind we have decided to forego our annual in person Turkey Raffle for 2021.

We know that many of you, including our staff, will be disappointed in this news. Due to the economic slow down and continued financial strain many businesses are still facing they are not able to provide door prizes for us to raffle off. The cancellation of this major fundraiser again has put a financial strain on us as well, spending unbudgeted money and funds on items we wouldn't have purchased in the past such as Personal Protective equipment in order to keep providing the high level of care to you, our citizens.

Just like last year, we have decided to host a virtual raffle. Our members will be around during the end of October and beginning of November to deliver raffle tickets just like we've done in the past. Each residence will receive 10 tickets at \$1 apiece. The drawing this year will be held on **NOVEMBER 19, 2021**. If you do not wish to purchase these tickets you can return them to the fire station at 522 Licking Pike or you can contact the station at 859-431-5884 and someone will be able to pick them up for you.

We like to thank you again for your continued support and we wish everyone a safe and healthy remaining 2021.

Sincerely


Douglas Neyman

Fire Chief

From the desk of City Clerk:



Summer has wrapped up and now we are gearing up for Tax season. 2021 Taxes will be going out the beginning of October. Also as a reminder, bills are mailed to the home owner. If you have an escrow account you can forward your bill to the escrow company once you receive it. It is the homeowners responsibility to make sure their property tax is paid. 2021 Property tax is due by November 30, 2021, anything after that is considered late and will accrue penalty and interest accordingly. Any questions please feel free to call the city building at 859-581-8884



We hope everyone enjoyed the new City Center Park as much as we did. Just a friendly reminder that the city is hoping to keep the water features on until September 30th. The features will run from 10 am to 8 pm. WEATHER PERMITTING. The concession stand will have limited hours. Any questions feel free to call us at 859-581-8884.



FROM THE DESK OF THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR

You may have noticed and have questions about all of the heavy equipment and large pipes on the lot across from the city building on the corner of South Street and Licking Pike. Sanitation District No. 1 is currently working on a project Clean H2O40 | Sanitation District No. 1 KY (sd1.org) to help clean up sanitary sewer overflows all over Northern Kentucky specifically in this case the Three Mile Creek drainage area. Currently several times a year when certain storm events occur, storm water gets into the sanitary sewer system and overloads the pipes causing untreated sewerage to bypass out of the manholes and run out on the ground and into Three Mile Creek and the Licking River. In an effort to clean up the waterways in Northern Kentucky, the Sanitation District is spending millions of dollars to resolve the issue of overflows.

The City of Wilder entered into a land sale/purchase agreement with SD 1 to construct an Equalization Tank or (EQ) tank on property at the end of Andrews Way near Fredericks Landing. In simple terms, when heavy rain events occur, sanitary sewers are over capacity causing the sanitary sewers to overflow. With the EQ tank, a pump will come on during these rain events and pump the storm and sanitary water into the tank. The tank will permit what would previously overflow out of the sewers into the creek to be held back and be released back into the sewer lines once the infiltrated storm water slows down and the sanitary sewer flow goes back to normal capacity. The water will then go onto the treatment plant and be treated as part of the normal treatment process for sanitary sewers. While this sounds complicated, it is a much simpler way to deal with storm water infiltrating the sanitary system than to locate all of the areas of infiltration and eliminate them at the source. While separate storm water and sanitary water systems exist there are a number of places storm water gets into the sanitary system.

In the continued effort to clean up the creeks and rivers additional phases of this project will begin shortly after the tank is complete. This work will involve upsizing the sewer lines along Three Mile Creek up Three Mile Road and Mook Road. The upsizing of these lines will permit the higher flow combination of mixed storm and sanitary water in heavy rains to get to the tank without bypassing due to the existing lines being undersized for the combined flow.

The entire process will take place over several years. This is a major investment by the Sanitation District in the Northern Kentucky that will permit the area to continue to grow responsibly while cleaning up the environment creeks and waterways.

For more information about SD 1 and the Clean H2O40 program go to the Sanitation Districts webpage. If you have further questions on how this interacts with the City of Wilder or any other questions please feel free to contact me at tvance@wilderky.gov.

*Terry Vance
City Administrator*