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HALLSVILLE NEWS & VIEWS

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- **July 2nd:** Emergency sirens are tested the first Wednesday of every month at noon.
- **July 4th:** City Hall will be closed to observe Independence Day.
- **July 10th:** Accounts signed up for automatic withdraw payments for City water and/or trash will have payments removed from your checking account.
- **July 11th:** A 5% penalty is added to all water and/or trash accounts that are unpaid.
- **July 14th:** The Board of Aldermen have their regular monthly meeting at 7:00 p.m. in City Hall.
- **July 21st:** **A \$35 nonpayment fee will be added to all water and/or trash accounts that are unpaid. Services will be discontinued. Needing help with your bill? Call City Hall before the 21st to make a payment arrangement.**

Fireworks Reminders for Hallsville Residents

As Independence Day approaches, the City of Hallsville wants to remind residents of the rules surrounding the use of fireworks within city limits.

Permitted Fireworks Use

Residents may legally discharge fireworks between 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. from June 28 through July 4 each year.

Restrictions on Aerial Fireworks

Fireworks that are propelled or shot into the air—such as bottle rockets, roman candles, and similar devices—are only permitted on July 4th between 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. These types of fireworks are prohibited at all other times, even during the allowed discharge week.

Special Events

Public fireworks displays must be pre-approved and permitted by the Hallsville Chief of Police. These events must follow strict safety guidelines and be supervised at all times.

We encourage everyone to celebrate safely and respect the law to ensure a fun and injury-free holiday for all!

DOG & CAT LICENSE RENEWED IN AUGUST






HALLSVILLE'S PET ORDINANCES - WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW!



The City of Hallsville loves our four-legged friends—but we also have a few important rules in place to help keep pets and neighbors safe!

Pet Licensing Required:

All dogs and cats over 6 months of age must be licensed with the City. To get a license, pet owners must show proof of current rabies vaccination. Fees are: \$3.00 per year for spayed/neutered pets and \$5.00 per year for pets that are not spayed/neutered. Licenses must be renewed each **August** and attached to your pet's collar. This helps the Police Department return lost pets quickly and safely.





 **Late License Penalty:** Licenses more than 60 days overdue past one year (*after October 31st*) will be subject to a \$25 late fee.  **No Dogs Running at Large:** **Dogs must remain on their property or on a leash.** If your dog is picked up by the Police Department, there's a \$50/day boarding fee—plus a citation.  **Barking & Annoying Dogs:** Pets that create a nuisance, including excessive barking, are not allowed.  **Proper Pet Care is Required:** Hallsville ordinances require that all pets have: Fresh food and water, adequate shelter from weather, and general care and attention.  **Pet Limit Per Household:** Households may have no more than four dogs and/or cats.

Let's work together to keep Hallsville a safe and pet-friendly place for all! 🐾

2025/2026 TAGS ARE IN. DON'T WAIT—GET AHEAD OF THE PACK AND TAKE CARE OF IT TODAY!

CITY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES - JULY

We've got lots to celebrate this July in Hallsville—join us in sending warm wishes to some of the wonderful people who help make our city great!

 **Happy Birthday, Mayor Kate Boatright!** On *July 8th*, we celebrate the birthday of our fearless leader, Mayor Kate Boatright! Thank you for your dedication to Hallsville and for always leading with heart. We hope your day is as inspiring as you are!  **Officer Lance Ketchum** Turns a Year Older! Wishing a fantastic birthday to Officer Lance Ketchum on *July 24th*. Thank you for keeping our community safe with a steady hand and a kind heart!  **Birthday Wishes to Tabitha McCray!** Sending a cheerful "Happy Birthday!" to one of our valued substitute crossing guards, on *July 29th*. Thanks for helping keep our kids safe!  **Happy 1-Year Anniversary, Sergeant Crawford!** On *July 31st*, we celebrate Sergeant Thomas Crawford's first year with the Hallsville Police Department! We appreciate your service and all you bring to the team. Here's to many more!

Recreational Vehicle Permits Renewed in August



Recreational Vehicle Permits are renewed every August for utility vehicles, golf carts, and recreational off-highway vehicles operated on City roadways. Permit Period: **Valid from September 1 to August 30** each year. 💰 Cost: \$15.00 per vehicle



📄 **To Apply or Renew:** Visit Hallsvillemo.org > Residents > One Stop For Applications & Forms to download:

• Recreational Vehicle Permit Application or • Recreational Vehicle Yearly Inspection Form

Application Must Include: Name & address; Make, model, serial number, and description of the vehicle; Proof of liability insurance for that vehicle; Copy of the operator's current driver's license

🚓 **Required Inspection:** All vehicles must be inspected by the Chief of Police or his designee before a permit is issued.

Operator Requirements: A valid driver's or chauffeur's license is required to operate a permitted vehicle on public roads. Exception: Handicapped individuals operating such vehicles occasionally for short distances do not need a motorcycle endorsement.

2025/2026 Tags Are In! Beat the rush—get your new permit early and cruise into fall ready to roll!

Hallsville Area Chamber of Commerce

Tuesday, July 1st: Get ready, folks! The Hallsville Area Chamber of Commerce is gathering for their bimonthly pow-wow at City Hall, kicking off at 6:00 p.m. sharp!

Wednesday, July 9th: Rise and shine! The Chamber's monthly Coffee Chat is brewing at City Hall from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. Join the fun, mingle with local businesses, and soak up some Chamber wisdom, all while sipping delightful coffee and munching on breakfast treats!

Grow Hallsville Parks Foundation

📰 **BREAKING NEWS: PATRIOTIC POTTIES SPOTTED IN HALLSVILLE!**

Have YOU been #FlushedWithFreedom?! 🗿🔗 Surprise attacks have begun... and no yard is safe! Help us flush out the money for the Hallsville Veterans Memorial at Tribble Park!

💰 Just a few bucks = a big laugh + a bigger impact.

🚽 Want to protect your turf? Toilet insurance is flying faster than fireworks on the 4th! 🌟🔥

Let's honor our veterans! Patriotic Potties end on July 4th!



Police Foundation of Hallsville

Thinking of snagging a memorial brick for the Veterans Memorial in Tribble Park? Time is ticking—campaign wraps up on July 31st! Swing by City Hall for an order form, email City Hall to get one sent to you (cityhall@hallsvillemo.org), or zap that QR code to order online. Personalize a 4x8 brick for \$150.00 or go big with an 8x8 for \$250.00!

Hallsville Happenings

July's going to be a snooze-fest—blame it on the scorching heat or a mysterious cloak of secrecy! Dust off those calendars and flip to August because here is just a few things happening! There will be more in the newsletter for August!

Sunday, August 3rd: Put on your best time-travel attire and mosey on over to the **Hallsville Historical Society's Old Time Ice Cream Social** at 110 Hwy 00 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. It's donation-based, so drop some coins, grab a dish, explore the museum, and soak up the good vibes!

Saturday, August 9th: Dust off your leg warmers and tease that hair for **Twisters Hockey's 80's Trivia Night** at the Bob Lemone Building, 500 E Hwy 00, Hallsville. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., and trivia kicks off at 6:00 p.m. It's \$60.00 for a team of 6 or \$15.00 for a solo brainiac. Register by July 31st for a groovy early bird deal of \$50.00! Dive into a night of 80's madness, from movies to music and pop culture. Concessions will be served, including a special meal deal! BYOB. Silent Auctions. Prizes for the top 3 trivia teams. Shoot an email to dustin.flood@outlook.com to sign up your brainy bunch today! Support Twisters Hockey League, Mid-Missouri's youth inline hockey league!

