

### **Urban County Council Passes New Paving Policy**

Pavement management plan a first in City's history



Maintaining our public roadways is an essential service the City annually provides. Roads in good condition not only improve the overall look of our neighborhoods, they also provide safer routes for motorists, improved access to schools and hospitals, and in some cases, lowers vehicle operating costs.

After learning in 2015 that approximately \$28 million was needed for the next 3 years to bring the city's entire road network to good condition, the Council

created a Paving Subcommittee of which I was elected chair. The subcommittee was charged with creating a pavement management policy for our City; something that has never been done before.

Our group began meeting in January, 2016. After months of analyzing data, we recommended a plan to the Council that will effectively address the City's worst conditioned roads while maintaining those that are new or already in good condition. We also made the recommendation to annually allocate \$15 million for paving activities.

On July 5th, the Urban County Council voted to accept the pavement management policy and annually recommend \$15 million for paving activities. FY17 paving projects begin in August, 2016.

### FY 17 City Budget Approved

The Urban County Council passed a \$345 million city budget that went into effect July Ist, 2016. A collaborative effort between Mayor Jim Gray's administration and the Council, the spending plan for next fiscal year includes funding for 20 new officers, bringing the authorized strength of the Lexington Police Department to an all-time high of 600 officers. It also includes an additional \$600,000 for the body camera program, \$12 million for road paving and \$3 million for aquatics improvements at city parks.

The <u>FY17 Adopted Budget</u> is available in searchable format on the <u>City's website</u>.

#### **Attention Neighborhood Leaders**

Registering your neighborhood association with the Office of the Kentucky Secretary of State opens the door to various funding opportunities.

Let me help you get started! For more information, email me at <a href="mailto:fbrown@lexingtonky.gov">fbrown@lexingtonky.gov</a>.

#### Neighborhood Action Match Program Accepting Applications



The application process for the Neighborhood Action Match Program is now open! Eligible<sup>1</sup> neighborhood associations can be awarded up to \$10,000 to support area improvements and/or development activities. The association must match all funds it receives with an equal amount through cash contributions, donated materials, service or labor.

If your organization is interested in learning more about the Neighborhood Action Match Program, visit the <u>Division of Grants and Special Programs</u> on the web or contact Susie Loveday, grants manager, at <a href="mailto:sloveday@lexingtonky.gov">sloveday@lexingtonky.gov</a>.

A neighborhood association is considered **eligible** if it is established and in operation as a private voluntary, non-profit corporation at the time of application and has a complete slate of elected officers and a governing body whose membership is at least 60% neighborhood residents.

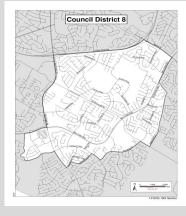


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### 8th District Update

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# 8th District **Neighborhood Associations**

- Centre Parkway Neighborhood Association
- $\Diamond$ Dove Creek Townhome Owners Association
- Gainesway Neighborhood Association  $\Diamond$
- Meadowcreek Neighborhood Association  $\Diamond$
- $\Diamond$ Pinnacle Homeowner's Association
- $\Diamond$ River Park Neighborhood Association
- Tanbark Association of Neighbors
- Vineyard Neighborhood Corporation

# Splash into Summer at the Tates Creek Aquatic Center



#### Tates Creek Aquatic Center

1400 Gainesway Drive Lexington, KY 40517 (859) 288-2973 Monday - Saturday, 10am - 8pm Sunday- 12pm - 8pm Admission: \$4 children (1 - 15)\$5 adults (16 & over)



The Lexington-Fayette County Health Department will conduct mosquito spraying in 40515 and 40517 on Thursday, July 14th, 3-6am and Thursday, July 21st, 3-6am.

The Urban County Council will be on Summer recess beginning Friday, July 8th and will return on Tuesday, August 16th. Official meetings will not take place during this time but my office will remain open. Email me at fbrown@lexingtonky.gov if you need assistance.

## **Community Parks**

- Berry Hill Park, 3489 Buckhorn Drive
- Gainesway Park, 3460 Milano Road
- Hartland Park, 3701 Kenesaw Drive
- River Hill Park, 3800 Crosby Drive
- Tates Creek Park, 1400 Gainesway Drive

## LFUCG Division of Police East Sector Roll Call Center



Gainesway Shopping Center 1165 Centre Parkway Lexington, KY 40517

Phone: (859) 258-3600 Fax: (859) 971-9658

> Commander **Rodney Sherrod Bureau of Patrol**

# LexCall 311 "Your One Call For City Hall"



- SUBMIT SERVICE REQUEST
- TRACK SERVICE REQUEST
- LEXCALL APP FOR iPHONE LEXCALL APP FOR ANDROID

Monday - Friday 8am - 6pm Phone: 311 or

> (859) 425-2255 **EMAIL**

Questions about recycling?

Garbage collection?

Potholes?

**Hours of Operation:** 

Trash Disposal Day- Saturday, July 16, 6am - 1pm., 1505 Old Frankfort Pike. Fayette County residents may dispose of one pickup truck load of bagged household waste and up to four off-the-rim tires. See Details.



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