

# PUBLIC NOTICES

**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
TEXAS COUNTY  
MUNICIPAL  
ELECTION DAY  
TUESDAY, APRIL 2,  
2024**

In compliance with the election laws of the State of Missouri, notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the County of Texas, that the general election to elect one trustee to a five year term to the Texas County Memorial Hospital Board will be held on the 2nd day of April 2024, between the hours of 6:00 o'clock am and until 7:00 o'clock pm. Polling places will be in the following vote district's locations:

**LICKING, Fox Fire Station-Community Room, 115 Old Salem Rd. Licking, Boone, Lynch II, and Sherrill; RAYMONDVILLE, Community Building at Fairgrounds, 185 Park St., Raymondville, JACKSON and Ozark; SUMMERSVILLE, Summersville High School "Old" Gym, 525 Rogers Ave., Summersville, Carroll, Current and Date; HOUSTON, Houston Storm Shelter, 191 N. First St. (Pine St. Entrance), Houston, Piney and Cass II; CABOOL, Cabool High School Gym (New Gym), 1020 Garst Ave. Cabool, Burdine, Cass I and Sargent; DUNN, Mountain Grove Family Church, 10410 E. Business 60, Mountain Grove; CLINTON; SUCCESS, Success School Gym, 10341 Highway 17, Success, Lynch I and Upton I; ROBY, Citizens Center - Northwest Texas County, 12274 Highway 32, Roby, Roubidoux I and Roubidoux II; FAIRVIEW, Fairview Pentecostal Church, 6584 Highway M, Cabool, Morris and Upton II.**

**TEXAS COUNTY  
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Hospital Trustee**  
(Vote for one, five year term)  
George Sholtz [ ]  
Jennifer Hugenot [ ]  
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Done by order of the Texas County Commission

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**TEXAS COUNTY  
EMERGENCY  
SERVICES - 911  
Municipal Election  
Day Tuesday, April 2,  
2024**

**Board Members  
District #1**  
(Vote for two, four year terms)  
Jim McNiell [ ]  
Jordan Goodwin [ ]  
Rowdy Douglas [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Board Members  
District #2**  
(Vote for two,

four year terms)  
David Scantlin [ ]  
Mike Jackson [ ]  
JD Jordan [ ]  
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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
CITY OF CABOOL  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Mayor**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Danny Cannon [ ]  
James H. Gray [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Alderman - Ward I**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Kate Ellison [ ]  
Nick Masters [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Alderman - Ward II**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
John Williams [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

Done by direction of the City of Cabool, Kim Elliott, City Clerk

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
VILLAGE OF  
RAYMONDVILLE  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday April 2, 2024**

**Village Trustee**  
(Vote for two, two year terms)  
Robert White [ ]  
Gene Dewitt [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]  
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**Sales Tax Proposal**

Shall the Village of Raymondville impose a city sales tax of one percent (1%) in the village of Raymondville? Ordinance No. 202-9/2022 of Raymondville Missouri passed January 17, 2024, imposing a city sales tax at the rate of one percent (1%) on the receipts from the sale at retail of all tangible personal property or taxable services at retail, and on residential utilities. Subject to the sales tax imposed by the State of Missouri.

Yes [ ]  
No [ ]

**Proposition A**

Shall the Village of Raymondville, Missouri be authorized to extend after the year 2025 the decision to Forego annual elections if the number of candidates who have filed for a particular office is equal to the number of positions in the office to be filled by the election, extending 6 years until the year 2031?

Yes [ ]  
No [ ]

Done by the direction of the Village of Raymondville, Debbie Schweizhauser, Village Clerk

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County Publication Dates: March 21st and 28th, 2024 Name of Publication: Houston Herald and Licking News

**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
CITY OF HOUSTON  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday April 2, 2024**

**Alderman - Ward I**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Sam Kelley [ ]  
Kevin Stilley [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Alderman - Ward II**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Sheila Campbell-Walker [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Alderman - Ward III**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Don Romines [ ]  
David Higgins Sr. [ ]  
Kimberly Bittle [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

Done by direction of the City of Houston, Heather Sponsler, City Clerk

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
CITY OF LICKING  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Alderman Ward I**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Joe Dillard [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Alderman Ward II**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Linda Breedlove [ ]  
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**Question:**

Shall the City of Licking, Missouri impose a sales tax of three percent (3%) on all retail sales of adult use marijuana sold in the City of Licking, Missouri?

Yes [ ]  
No [ ]

Done by direction of the City of Licking, Rhonda Kirkwood, City Administrator/Clerk

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
CITY OF MOUNTAIN  
GROVE  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Alderman Ward I**  
(Vote for one, two year term)  
Erick Friend [ ]  
Carolyn Mitchell [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Question 1**

Shall the City of Mountain Grove, Missouri, impose a sales tax of three percent (3%) on all retail sales of adult use of marijuana sold in the City of Mountain Grove, Missouri?

Yes [ ]  
No [ ]

Done by direction of the City of Mountain Grove, Becky Davis, City Clerk

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
VILLAGE OF PLATO  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Village Trustee**  
(Vote for two, two year terms)  
Adam McGuire [ ]  
Justin Copley [ ]  
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Done by direction of the Village of Plato, H. T. Dandridge, Acting Village Clerk

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
HOUSTON  
REORGANIZED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
NO. R-1  
TEXAS COUNTY,  
MISSOURI  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday April 2, 2024**

**Board Members**  
(Vote for two, three year terms)  
David Dewain Adkison [ ]  
Jeff Crites [ ]  
Britt Shelby [ ]  
Bob Wolfe [ ]  
Charlie Malam [ ]  
Marty Merckling [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Special School Bond  
Election  
Houston R-1 School  
District of Texas  
County, Missouri  
Proposition Track and  
Field**

Shall the Board of Education of the Houston R-1 School District, Missouri, without an estimated increase in the current debt service property tax levy, borrow money in the amount of Three Million Dollars (3,000,000) for the purpose of providing funds for the renovation, construction, equipping, and furnishing of the athletic complex to include a new track and associated event areas; to improve track accessibility; to the extent funds are available, construct, equip, and furnish an outdoor storage facility, install a turf field, prepay principal on existing lease financings and complete other repairs and improvements to the existing facilities of the District; and issue general obligation bonds for the payment thereof?

If this proposition is approved, the adjusted debt service levy of the School District is

estimated to remain unchanged at \$0.8000 per one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of real and personal property.

Yes [ ]  
No [ ]

Done by order of the Board of Education of Houston R-1 School District by: Tanya Bathon, Executive Secretary

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
SUMMERSVILLE RE-  
ORGANIZED SCHOOL  
DISTRICT NO. R-2  
TEXAS COUNTY,  
MISSOURI  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Board Members**  
(Vote for two, three year terms)  
Max Racicot [ ]  
Matthew Briggs [ ]  
Dustin Cooper [ ]  
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Done by the order of the Summersville R-2 Board of Education by Janay Heiney, Secretary

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

Publication Dates: March 21st and March 28th

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
MOUNTAIN GROVE  
REORGANIZED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
NO. R-3  
TEXAS COUNTY,  
MISSOURI  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Board Member**  
(Vote for two, three year terms)  
Joseph W. Golden [ ]  
Sheena White [ ]  
Danny Lathrom [ ]  
Shawna R. Plummer [ ]  
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\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Board Member**  
(Vote for one, two year term)

Jared Moore [ ]  
Logan Williams [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

Done by the order of the Mountain Grove R-3 Board of Education by: Bobbi Benson, Secretary

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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Name of Publication: Houston Herald and Mountain Grove Journal

**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
PLATO REORGA-  
NIZED SCHOOL  
DISTRICT NO. R-5  
TEXAS COUNTY,  
MISSOURI  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Board Members**  
(Vote for two, three year terms)  
Patty Handley [ ]  
Kristi Atterberry [ ]  
Robert Murray [ ]  
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Done by the order of the Plato R-5 Board of Education by: Dr. Kim Hawk, Superintendent

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County

Publication Dates: March 21st and March 28th

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
LICKING REORGA-  
NIZED SCHOOL  
DISTRICT NO. R-8  
TEXAS COUNTY,  
MISSOURI  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Board Members**  
(Vote for two, three year terms)  
Rawly Gorman [ ]  
Jeremy Rinne [ ]  
Joseph L. Satterfield [ ]  
Tammy M. Sullins [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Board Members**  
(Vote for one, one year term)  
Jake Floyd [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

Done by order of the Licking R-I Board of Education by: Rawly Gorman, President

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**OFFICIAL BALLOT  
WILLOW SPRINGS  
R-IV SCHOOL  
DISTRICT OF  
HOWELL COUNTY  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Board Members**  
(Vote for two, three year terms)  
Scott Foster [ ]  
Roger Shanks [ ]  
Mac Gum [ ]  
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\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

**Board Members**  
(Vote for one, one year term)  
Debbie L. Bryan [ ]  
Larry Huitt [ ]  
Meagan Jones [ ]  
\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]

Done by order of the Willow Springs R-IV Board of Education by: Mandy Scarbraugh, Secretary

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
MOUNTAIN VIEW-  
BIRCH TREE R-III  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
OF HOWELL COUNTY,  
MISSOURI  
Municipal Election Day  
Tuesday, April 2, 2024**

**Board Members**  
(Vote for two, three year terms)  
Gaylon Noble [ ]  
Michael Smith [ ]  
Jennifer Foster [ ]  
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Done by the order of the Superintendent of Mountain View School District, Lanna Tharp

Peggy Seyler, County Clerk and Election Authority of Texas County, Missouri

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Name of Publication: Messenger

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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF TEXAS COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In the estate of: **WILLARD MIDDLETON, Deceased.**

Estate No. 17TE-PR00039

### NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF WILLARD MIDDLETON, DECEASED:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Personal Representative will file a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, in the Probate Division of Circuit Court of TEXAS County, Missouri, on the 11th day of March, 2024, or as may be continued by the Court, and that any objections or exceptions to such final settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed with twenty (20) days after the filing of such final settlement.

### PROOF OF MAILING OF COPY OF NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

**Marc Edmondson on oath state(s) that a copy of the above**

Notice was mailed by the undersigned on March 11th, 2024, by ordinary mail, according to law to:

Bobby Middleton  
1390 5th Street  
Cabool, Missouri 65689

The foregoing is made under oath or affirmation and its representations are true and correct to the best knowledge and belief of the signer, subject to the penalties of making a false affidavit or declaration.

Marc Edmondson  
46/4t

### INVITATION FOR BID

Houston Housing Authority is seeking bids for seasonal lawn care services. This would include Ozark Terrace, Chestnut Terrace, and Skyview Terrace properties.

All bidders are required to attend a walk-through of properties before submitting a bid. Bid specifications may be picked up at the Houston Housing Authority Office located at 200 Chestnut Terrace, Houston, Missouri. **Information will not be mailed.**

Required walk through will be held:

Wednesday April 3, 2024 at 3:30

Thursday April 4, 2024 at 3:30

Sealed bids will be accepted until noon, Fri-

day, April 12, 2024. No late bids will be accepted. Houston Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 48/2t

### NOTICE

Houston R-1 School District is seeking bids for auditing services for the 2024-2025, 2025-2026, and 2026-2027 school years. Houston is a district with approximately 1,050 students, grades PK-12. Our annual operating budget is approximately 14 million dollars and the district's current tax rate is 3.55, including 2.75 for the operating levy and \$.80 for the debt service levy. The Houston R-1 District is also the Fiscal Agent of the Exceptional Child Cooperative.

All Federal and state requirements for auditing must be addressed in the audit.

If more information is needed before submitting a bid, please contact Dr. Justin Copley, Superintendent at 417-967-3024 Ext. 2102. If your firm is interested in submitting a bid, please submit the bid to the following address by April 26, 2024 at 2:00 p.m., for approval at the May 14th meeting of the Board:

Dr. Justin Copley,  
Superintendent  
Houston R-1 School  
District  
423 W Pine  
Houston, Mo 65483

The Houston R-1 Board of Education reserves

the right to reject any or all bids. 48/2t

### NOTICE

The Houston R-I School District, Houston, Missouri will accept sealed bids for the Houston R-I School District bank depository services until 2:00 p.m., April 26, 2024.

Bids are to be prepared at no cost to the Houston R-I School District and will remain the district's property. Bids must be delivered sealed and marked, "Bank Depository Services Bid" in the lower left hand corner of the envelope.

The district reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any irregularities. Bid Packets will be available at the Central Office, 206 W. Spruce St., Houston, MO 65483. Clarification or questions may be addressed to the district's superintendent, Dr. Justin Copley. 48/2t

### TRUSTEE'S SALE

**IN RE: Mitchell R. Boatright and Robin G. Boatright, Husband and Wife Trustee's Sale:**

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Mitchell R. Boatright and Robin G. Boatright, Husband and Wife dated September 12, 2003 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Texas County, Missouri in Book 714, Page 614 the undersigned Successor

Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Wednesday, April 24, 2024 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 10:45 AM), at the West Front Door of the Court House, City of Houston, County of Texas, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Texas County, State of Missouri, to wit:

LOCATED IN TEXAS COUNTY, MISSOURI, TO-WIT: A PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, OF THE 5TH P.M., DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 15, THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 09 [03] MINUTES 38 SECONDS WEST 1760.00 FEET, ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 56 MINUTES 22 SECONDS WEST 64.06 FEET, TO THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF HIGHWAY "AP" (AS LOCATED 10/1997) FOR THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 56 MINUTES 22 SECONDS WEST 440.00 FEET, THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 03 MINUTES 38 SECONDS WEST 491.16 FEET, THENCE NORTH 0 DE-

GREES 56 MINUTES 22 SECONDS EAST 444.64 FEET, TO THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID HIGHWAY "AP", THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 03 [05] MINUTES 05 SECONDS EAST 226.17 FEET; AND SOUTH 88 DEGREES 02 MINUTES 11 SECONDS EAST 265.03 FEET, ALL ALONG SAID SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. [THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN BRACKETS HAS BEEN ADDED TO MORE ACCURATELY REFLECT THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION]

to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C.,

Successor Trustee  
612 Spirit Drive  
St. Louis, MO 63005  
(636) 537-0110

File No:  
215196.042424.440237 FC

### NOTICE

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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49/4t

## Attorney General's office issues warning to City of Houston on agendas, minutes

In a letter addressed to the city clerk and administrator, the attorney general's office found several Sunshine Law violations related to the formatting of its agendas and minutes.

The letter states that closed meetings held in 2023 on Feb. 6, Oct. 12, Nov. 6, Nov. 20 and Dec. 7 did not identify a time or place of the meetings on any of the minutes provided. Section 610.020.7, RSMo, states, in part, "The minutes shall include the date, time, place, members present, members absent and a record of any votes taken."

Additionally, the office stated that the meetings were held pursuant to Sections 610.021(1), 610.021(2) and/or 610.021(3).

"We were not able to discern from the tentative agendas which items were considered in open session and which items were considered in closed session," wrote the attorney general's office.

The letter goes on to state that to hold a closed meeting, "1) a public governmental body may vote, by an affirmative public vote of a majority of a quorum of the body, to close a meeting; or 2) a public governmental body may give notice of its intention to hold a closed meeting and cite a specific exception from subsection 610.021."

The first procedure outlines that of an open session adjourning into a closed session, the second outlines that of a standalone closed session.

"Regardless of which method above is applicable to a given meeting, we write to put the City on notice of these authorities and to consult with legal counsel about whether the City can draft meeting notices to contain some additional specificity about closed sessions (beyond simply citing to a subsection in Section 610.021) without revealing a great deal of closed information. Doing so would not likely violate the Sunshine Law, as the Sunshine Law simply authorizes but rarely requires information to be closed, and may build additional trust and transparency with citizens."

The office said that it is prepared to close the complaint under the condition that the city undergo mandatory, free Sunshine Law training by the attorney general's office in the near future. A number and email were provided to the city to schedule the training. A court would have the ultimate decision-making power if the city would be required to attend training.

The attorney general's office did not say what prompted the review.

## Cabool city council discusses requests

Several resident requests were among matters discussed Monday by the Cabool City Council.

Brad Roberts, alderman, asked those attending the meeting about junk in the streets. Several people are preparing for spring clean up days. He is concerned about a tree on Cedar and Cartwright blocking views.

Kate Ellison, alderwoman, asked about the speed limit on DYS Drive and tornado sirens.

John Williams, alderman, stated that a structure on Oak and Summit is not secure. He also asked if the city could work on a better way to communicate with residents.

In other matters:

■Janet Roberts, chamber, introduced the chamber's new director, Kinley Tucker Pruett. She will work part-time.

■Ryan Wood, Cabool Bikes, requested that the city make a bike trail on the 20 acres behind Shetler's Grocery. The city will check with insurance before making a decision.

■Debbie Stoutenborough asked about the junk vehicles in yards and RVs. The city will check on them.

■The council approved a liquor license for Snak Atak #42.

■Members approved phases one and two of the Mark Stoutenborough subdivision.

■James Gray, a mayoral candidate, addressed the council on the state tornado drill, the car charging station, a potential park speed zone, squatters, a blinking light, trees in power lines, a turning lane, animal rescues, streets lines and community service. Gray is holding a 'Meet your Neighbor' event March 23.

■Brad Ellsworth, former city attorney, stated that the current city personnel are doing a good job.

■The Twin City contract was signed.

■The street department is working on the sidewalk and the parks department has started mowing.

■The school asked if the city would be interested in joining them in a surplus auction. The city doesn't have any items for an auction at this time.

■Spring clean up starts Monday, April 15.

■A YMCA contract, as well as MPUA and MMMPEP electrical agreements, were signed.

■A first and second reading took place for an ordinance approving the amended and restated power supply and administration agreement among the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission dba Missouri Electric Commission and members of the Mid-Missouri Public Energy Pool.

The next regular meeting is 5:30 p.m. Monday, April 15.

## Event set to benefit Eminence Fire Department

After a tragic fire that recently wiped out the Eminence Area Volunteer Fire Department on March 5, an organization is holding a benefit to lend a hand.

The department lost its equipment in a fire of undetermined origin. Several departments have pitched in to assist.

The event, organized by the Jacks Fork Campground, is 11 a.m. until 8 p.m. April 6 at the

Jacks Fork Campground at 19433 Missouri 106 at Eminence. Games, contests and music are among the items on the agenda.

The department lost everything in the incident. All seven trucks were burned along with hoses, helmets, generators and much more, authorities said.

For more information, contact Kaylin Inman at 573-355-7023.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The debris left after a fire that destroyed the firehouse at Eminence.