



TAYLOR MILL

News from the Mill

March 2021 edition

From the desk of the Mayor.....

What's Happening in The Mill.

The City Commission at the 2021 February Meeting approved plans to revitalize the playground area in Pride Park. The children's play area will be upgraded with a new safety surface. The city is planning a Park cleanup day on Saturday April 17th, 2021. Our hope is that residents will volunteer to come to the park and assist staff with mulching, picking up litter and any other task necessary. Let's get the park ready for a summer of fun and activities.

Vandalism in the Pride Park

I am sorry to say that during the snow fall several young adults decided to turn our picnic tables into sleds. This resulted in 10 of our really nice picnic tables being destroyed by these vandals. These tables cost about \$179.00 taxpayer dollars each.

The police are requesting if anyone has information regarding who was using the picnic tables as sleds and deliberately destroying them to please contact the Taylor Mill Police.

Taylor Mill citizens this is your park, paid for by tax dollars and we all need to do our part to protect city property.

Street Repair 2021

The City Commission continues to focus on street repair in 2021. Our engineering firm has outlined a five-year street program which sets a priority list of streets that are in need of repair. Most citizens are aware of last year's construction repairs to Janet Drive, Sunset Drive, Mafred Drive, Allen Court and a small section on High Ridge Drive.

Under the 2021 Street Program, the city has prioritized the following streets:

- Winston Hill Drive 2,310 feet cost \$152,460.00,
- Cardinal Drive 1,260 feet cost \$83,160.00,
- Reidlin Road stabilization wall cost \$79,760.00, bid awarded to JTM Smith Construction.
- Reidlin Road 300 feet \$48,100.00,
- Meadow Lane 1,580 feet cost \$99,540.00.

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City and SD1 joint agreement

The city is partnering this year with SD1 to repair the Keavy Drive dam wall which is costing the city \$222,912. SD1 share of this project is \$90,000.00. Total cost of project \$312,912.00. This repair will Keavy Drive to be stabilized for the future and with a rebuilt road over the dam.

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City Events:

·Easter Egg Drive through at Pride Park will be held from 10am to 12pm on March 27, 2021. Residents will be asked to drive through the Park with children to receive the Easter treat.

·April 17th is Volunteer Day in the park. Be prepared to spread mulch and help beautify the park.

·April 24 is Taylor Mill annual shred event at the city building starting at 9:00am until 12:00pm.

COVID has greatly restricted our events this past year. Watch the city website for more events to be announced.

Have a Questions about the City Government?

Citizens may have questions from time to time so instead of posting them on Facebook for someone else to answer please call any commissioner or call or email the city CAO Brian Haney (bhaney@taylormillky.gov) or 859-581-3234.

How to watch Taylor Mill Commission Meetings

The City Commission in conjunction with Telecommunication Board of Northern Kentucky will air live both on cable system on the TBNK Government Channel at Spectrum Channel 204 and Cincinnati Bell Fiopics channel 816. You can also view the meetings live stream on www.tbnk.org/togo2 or you can watch Facebook LIVE at www.facebook.com/TBNKonline_videos. If you miss the live presentation, you can view replays of the meetings on Demand at TBNKtoGO link.

Let us know how we are doing by contacting us via our website, Facebook page or email me at **dbell@taylormillky.gov**

Dan Bell, Mayor