

# HALLSVILLE NEWS & VIEWS



## CROSSING GUARDS: THE UNSUNG HEROES

Get ready to dust off those school shoes because the fun is about to start! Meet the Teacher night kicks off on August 15th, followed by the grand opening of school on Tuesday, August 20th. Kindergarten and Preschool stars will shine on Thursday, August 22nd!

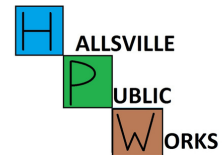
Oh, and speaking of changes, our trusty crossing guards are switching up their game with the new campus hours. Here's the scoop:

- **Vicki Duffen** will be rocking **Highway 124-N at Elizabeth St.**  
from 7:20 a.m. - 7:50 a.m. & 3:35 p.m. - 4:05 p.m.
- **Vanessa Anderson** is the fearless guardian of **Highway 124-E at Hudson Ave.**  
from 7:25 a.m. - 7:55 a.m. & 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- **Patsy Harrelson** is the queen of **Highway 124-E at Wesley Ave.**  
from 7:25 a.m. - 7:55 a.m. & 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- **Bill Beasley**, the mighty safety superhero rules **Route B at Hudson Ave.**  
from 7:20 a.m. - 7:50 a.m. & 3:35 p.m. - 4:05 p.m.



And in case our main guards need a breather, we've got the dynamic trio of Deborah Russell, Tabetha (Tabby) McCray, and Dan Anderson ready to step in and keep the traffic dance going!

## City Information



### Business Hours

**Monday - Friday**

**8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

**1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

Phone: 573-696-3885

Fax: 573-696-0605

**Drop box available  
beside front door for  
after hour payments!**

### Online Payments

www.Hallsvillemo.org

Click Payment Options

**For more community  
information visit our  
website:**

**www.hallsvillemo.org**

### Mayor & Board of Aldermen

**Mayor:** Kate Boatright

*mayor@hallsvillemo.org*

#### **Ward1**

Carli Carmack

Trynton Roberts

*ward1@hallsvillemo.org*

#### **Ward2**

Brandon Bickhaus

Krisan Lewis

*ward2@hallsvillemo.org*

### Staff

City Administrator - Kenyetta Ridgway-Sample

Deputy Clerk - Valerie Brightwell

***cityhall@hallsvillemo.org***

Public Works Superintendent - Daniel McCaleb

Public Works Assistant - Tyler Spears

Public Works Assistant - Jordan Timbrook

***publicworks@hallsvillemo.org***

Police Chief - Bryan Schultz

Police Sergeant - Thomas Crawford

Police Officer - Myron Woodson

Police Officer - Lance Ketchum

Police Officer (Part-time) - Devin Stevenson

SRO/Police Officer - Ryan Hill

***hpd@hallsvillemo.org***



## August 2024

- **August 6th:** Time to show off those voting skills in the Primary Election! Let's make some noise at the polls!
- **August 7th:** Brace yourselves for the storm siren testing at noon. Earplugs optional!
- **August 12th:** Heads up! City utility payments coming through for autopay peeps.
- **August 12th:** For the forgetful folks, a 5% "Oops, I forgot" penalty is tacked onto unpaid bills.
- **August 12th:** Gather 'round, folks! The Board of Aldermen will be having a public hearing to set the tax levy for 2024 at City Hall at 7:00 p.m.
- **August 19th:** Time to break out the party hats! Happy birthday to the one and only Alderwoman Carli Carmack!
- **August 22nd:** Don't let those bills pile up! Unpaid accounts get a \$35.00 "Oops, I really forgot" fee and a service shutdown until it's all squared away.



### City Employee Anniversaries - August

*Hip-hip-hooray for Officer Ryan Hill marking one year on August 14th, and cheers to Crossing Guards Deborah Russell and Tabetha (Tabby) McCray hitting the 2-year mark on August 22nd! Way to go, team!*



### Hallsville Events

**Saturday, August 3rd:** [Back to School Bash](#) at the Bob Lemone Building. Keep an eye on Facebook for updates.

**Friday, August 16th:** Get your game face on for [Twisters Hockey League Trivia Night](#) at the Bob Lemone Building. Doors swing open at 5:30 p.m. with trivia kicking off at 6:00 p.m. Score an early bird discount by signing up before July 31st! Contact [dustin.flood@outlook.com](mailto:dustin.flood@outlook.com) for the details.

**Saturday, August 17th:** Dive into deliciousness at the [Hallsville Optimist Club Fish Fry](#) at the Bob Lemone Building from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Feast to your heart's content: Adults \$15.00, kids 12 & under \$10.00. All proceeds go back to the community through scholarships, honor flights, and more. Kids can bounce away in the Bounce House while you shop the Raffle Items and join the 50/50 Raffle.

**Saturday, August 24th:** Mark your calendars for the [8th Annual Mouse Races!](#) The Hallsville Quarterbackers are hosting this wild event at the Bob Lemone Building. Doors swing open at 6:00 p.m., with the races kicking off at 7:00 p.m. Tickets go for \$25 individual, \$175 for a table, or \$300 for a Combo table. Remember, only the 21 and over crew can crash this party. For more details, shoot an email over to [htownquarterbackers@gmail.com](mailto:htownquarterbackers@gmail.com). Let the mouse madness begin!

**Saturday, August 24th:** [Movie magic under the stars](#) sponsored by Grow Hallsville Parks Foundation in Tribble Park. Stay tuned for the movie reveal! Showtime around 8:00 p.m. ✨

### Grow Hallsville Parks Foundation

[Error in the June Newsletter!](#) [The Grow Hallsville Parks Foundation](#) has rescheduled the 2nd Party in the Park for Saturday, September 14th! Watch for updates!

### Police Foundation of Hallsville

The [Police Foundation of Hallsville](#) is cranking up the fun meter for a great cause - erecting a Veterans Memorial at Tribble Park! To kick things off with a bang, mark your calendars for the [4th Annual Brews & BBQ](#) bash on **September 28th!** Whether you wrangle up a gang for a table of six at \$200 or fly solo for \$40, your ticket snags you a finger-licking BBQ spread from Como Smoke and Fire, music, exciting raffles, pulse-pounding auctions, a shot in the money machine or a door prize, and barrels of laughs! Tickets are flying off the shelves - dash to City Hall or give Kenyetta a ring at 573-682-4584 to snag yours now!



Get ready to sprint into action and join the fun at the first-ever [Run with the Cops 5K](#) Run/Walk hosted by the [Police Foundation of Hallsville](#) on **October 12, 2024!** Snag a stylish tee by signing up before **September 23rd** or simply order a t-shirt by the same date. Whether you scan the QR code to register online or swing by City Hall for a form, it's a steal at \$35.00 for adults and just \$10.00 for the little speedsters (12 and under). Every dollar raised goes towards supporting the Veterans Memorial. Lace up those running shoes and let's make this event one to remember!