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I have worked for the Hallsville Public Works Department since 2003 and have been the Superintendent since July of 2005. I like the people I work with and feel like I still learn something new everyday. I like to think I make a difference in our community by helping others. I have a wonderful family that I am very proud of. My wife, Missi and I will be married 29 years next month. We have two children. Mason, who is 27, is an assistant track coach at Columbia College and is married to his wife Hannah and they are expecting our first grandchild in December. Our daughter Laney is 18 and is attending Westminster College in Fulton to earn her degree in Early Childhood Education and participating in track. In my off time I enjoy working on old cars and spending time with my family.

### <u>Public Works Assistant/Mechanic Tyler Spears</u>



I have worked for the Hallsville Public Works Department as Public Works
Assistant/Mechanic for almost 6 years. I enjoy working for the City of Hallsville, because it is a small town similar to the town I grew up in. The people I work with are what makes my job enjoyable. When I am not working, I love spending time with my wife, Caitlin, and our son, Hendrix. Caitlin works as a librarian at the Centralia Public Library. Hendrix just started 1st grade as a Sturgeon Bulldog. We have 2 snakes, 4 dogs, and a tank full of fish. I am happiest when I am outdoors doing activities such as hunting, fishing, and working on project vehicles. If I have to be inside, then I am most likely watching horror movies or playing video games.

#### **Public Works Assistant Jordan Timbrook**



I have worked as a Public Works employee for the Hallsville Public Works Department for a little over a year. I am excited to give back to the town that I played hockey in for many years growing up. I like my job because it gives me the opportunity to learn new skills. In my downtime, I like to spend time with my girlfriend, Faith, and our three kids; Mya, Phoenyx, and Ely. We have four dogs; Cooper, Coco, Rhea, and Dora. I also enjoy going to local events with my nephew, Hendrix. In the evenings after work, I usually play video games online with my brother, Justin, who lives in Texas. When the weather is nice, I play disc golf in the park with some of my friends.

## KNOW THE FACTS!



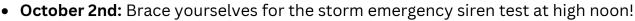
Funds Community Services Generates Local Revenue

NOT a Double Tax!

Propostion U will be on the ballot for the City of Hallsville at the November 5th Election

- A Use Tax is a tax on the purchase of goods by Missouri residents from out-of-state vendors. Products exempt from the sales tax would be exempt from the Use Tax.
- If you already pay local sales tax on the purchase, you will **NOT** pay a Use Tax on the same purchase.
- The local Use Tax produces local funds for community services.
- Funds generated will help pay for expenses in General Revenue such as the Historical Society grounds upkeep, the Community Center, streets, Public Works equipment, and equipment and vehicle repairs.

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- October 10th: Watch out for those utility bills sneaking out their automatic payments.
- October 11th: Heads up! 5% penalties are coming for the forgetful bill payers.
- October 14th: Mark your calendars for the Board of Aldermen meeting at 7:00 p.m.
- October 16th: Let's send birthday cheers to the crossing guard Vanessa Anderson!
- October 21st: Warning! \$35.00 nonpayment fee incoming for overdue City utility bills, and service disconnections are on the horizon.
- October 23rd: It's party time! Let's all wish a Happy Birthday to Officer Woodson!
- October 28th: Happy birthday to Chief Schultz! Is he reaching the peak of that hill?

## CITY EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARIES - OCTOBER

Happy Anniversary to the ultimate hero of Route B, Crossing Guard Bill Beasley! For 7 years, he's been the guardian angel of your little ones' daily adventures to and from school!



**Saturday, October 12th:** Get ready to shout "Bingo!" at the **Hallsville Historical Society Bingo Night!** Doors open at 5:00 PM with 4H Concessions serving up tasty treats. At 6:00 PM, the games kick off! Just \$20 for 20 chances to win! Join them at the Bob Lemone Building on the Fairgrounds. \*Psst... No sneaking in outside snacks!\* And kiddos under 18? Gotta bring a grown-up to keep an eye on you!

**Sunday, October 13th:** Rocky Fork Fellowship will be hosting their annual fall event, Octoberfest from 5 PM until 8 PM. This event will include food, crafts, games, hayrides, pumpkin decorating and music. Octoberfest is open to the community; ALL are encouraged to attend and join in the fun!

Saturday, October 19th: It's the 9th Annual 'Trick or Treat' in the Park, brought to you by the Grow Hallsville Parks Foundation! The spooky fun starts at 4:30 PM in Tribble Park. Don't forget to register for the costume contest before 5:15 PM at the basketball court—judging kicks off at 5:15 PM! Categories include Cutest, Funniest, Group, Most Original, Scariest, and Superhero. There's even a Best Overall trophy! Plus, enjoy free hot dogs, water, chips, games, cake walks, and a mountain of candy! Come join the Halloween magic!

## **Police Foundation of Hallsville**

Your running shoes can either hibernate all winter or you can keep them out to help you stay fit because the Police Foundation of Hallsville has shifted gears for the Run with the Cops 5K Run/Walk. It has been **rescheduled** for **Saturday, April 5, 2025**. Don't let the chance slip by to snag a snazzy tee—sign up before **March 17, 2025**! Whether you zap the QR code or swing by City Hall, it's a bargain at just \$35 for adults and a tiny \$10 for the speedy kiddos (12 and under). Let's lace up and make this event one for the history books, all while raising funds for the Veterans Memorial!

### 2024 HALLVILLE HOMECOMING PARADE - Friday, October 4th 1:30 P.M.



- Parade Line Up: Hallsville Primary School
- Exit at back of HPS, Turn Right onto Ricketts Rd/North St
- Right on Wesley Ave
- Left on Hwy 124-E (towards Casey's)
- Thru intersection onto Rt OO
- Left on Elizabeth St
- Left on Hwy 124-N
- Right on Hwy 124-E
- End at Hallsville Primary School