City Of Udall Est. 1881 UDALL CHIT CHAT

IIssue No 9- Sept 2023



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Udall Fall Festival

Sunday Oct 8,'23

★ Po Box 193 ★ Udall, Kansas 67146 ★

Car Show

- ★ Top 10 Cars Chosen by Participants
- **★** Mayor's Choice
- ★ Police Department's Choice
- **★** People's Choice
- **★** Announcer's Choice

Registration: 11am - 12:30pm Winners Announced at 2pm

Entry \$20 (includes T-Shirt) email pre-entries to:

Marilyn Pellegrini

ccranch@wheatstate.com or 5744 Hwy K-15 Udall, KS 67146

Please circle your size: Small Medium Large XL 2XL 3XL

Name:

Marilyn Pellegrini Andrea Ahlerich Julie VonBon Stacy Brown Jennifer Bonnell Justin Brown President Vice-President Secretary Treasurer Member at Large Member at Large (316) 207-1250 (316) 641-1253 (620) 221-0104 (316) 308-8095 (316) 883-1134 (316) 208-4295

Udall Car Show entrants shall release the management, staff, sponsors, vendors and volunteers of the Udall Car Show and the City of Udall from any known or unknown damages, injuries, losses and/or daims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant to his body or property, even if negligence is found on the part of any of the afore mentioned. Everything possible will be done to assure a safe car show. Please observe all safety and traffic regulations and fire ordinances in the City of Udall.



UDALL FALL FEST '23

★ October 6-8, 2023 ★

Friday Night Bingo Grand Prize \$500

Community Building ★Concessions will be served

Doors open at 6pm and Games start at 7pm
\$20 for 10 pack of regular games \$5 per card for final jackpot game

Must be 18 to play the jackpot game

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2023

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2023

"BACK TO OUR ROOTS" PARADE

9am Line-up Start at 10am Downtown SUN Club/Jennifer Harness

TURTLE RACES

10:45am Downtown Randy Hoffman

CHICKEN NOODLES

11am - 1:30pm Community Bldg Helpers, cakes/pies needed

HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

Horseshoe Court

1pm
\$25 Team Fee/ 70-30 Split for 1st & 2nd

Contact: Justin 316.208.4295

3 ON 3 BASKETBALL

1pm City Park Basketball Court

ADULTS 4-per team

\$25 Team Fee/70-30 Split for 1st & 2nd

KIDS 6-12grade

No Team Fee/T-Shirts for 1st & 2nd Randy & Deni Kistler 620.222.4747

SAND VOLLEYBALL

1pm City Park \$25 Team Fee/70-30 Split for 1st & 2nd 6 on 6 must have 3 females per team Amy Rooney 785.506.6771

PET SHOW

1:30pm City Park Amphitheater Sponsored by Wet Pet

CAKE WALK

2pm City Park Amphitheater

PIE EATING CONTEST

3pm
City Park Amphitheater
Sponsor: Heritage Evangelical Free Church

WASHERS TOURNAMENT

3pm Registration 4pm Start City Park Horseshoe Court East side of Pavilion

GUS BURNS BAND & DANCE

8 -10:30pm City Park Basketball Court Sponsored by WST

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SAT & SUN

Saturday: 11am - 7pm
Sunday: 11 - 6pm
All-Day Wrist Bands:
1 day \$10/2day \$15
Sponsored by City of Udall

SAT & SUN

CRAFT SHOW

9am-4pm City Park Jennifer Bonnell

FOOD TRUCKS SAT & SUN

Saturday: 9am - 10pm Sunday: 9am - 6pm *City Park*

BEER GARDEN SAT & SUN

Saturday: 12 - 10:30pm Sunday: 12 - 6pm City Park

BREAKFAST IN THE PARK

7 - 9am Concession Stand *The Grove Church*

COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICE

10 - 11AM
City Park Amphitheater
Everyone welcome!
Bring your lawn chairs
Sponsored by ALL Churches

CAR SHOW

11am - 3pm City Park *Marilyn Pellegrini*

TOMAHAWK TRUCK

11am -6pm Horseshoe Court 10 throws \$10/Unlimited \$30

CORN HOLE TOURNAMENT

11:30am register 12:30pm Bags Fly

City Park

Backyard Rules Only

Ryan Sneath

FACE PAINTING

City Park Gazebo Sara Martin & Mary Hildebrand



Udall Public Library

<u>Update on Upcoming</u> <u>Classes</u>

Registration spaces left per class:

Basic Leather Carving – 2 spots left

Ceramic Christmas Tree – FULL

Shower Melts – 1 spot left of body text

Ultimate Summer Reading Challenge Winners!
August 8, 2023

Adult: Tonya Smith-The Tenth Circle
High School: Cole Miller-The President Is Missing
Lily Lott-The Lightkeeper's Daughter # 1
Middle School: Evangeline Erb-I Am David
Savannah Barton-Smudge the Little Lost Lamb
Grade School: Evelynn Kosjer-Who Was Marie
Curie?

Ben Otis-The Haunted Library-The Secret Room



Did You Know...

The city is trying to go as paperless as possible.

There are many benefits to going paperless.

Saves Time

According to the IDC whitepaper, handling paper waste leads to a 21.3% productivity loss.

Cuts costs

The time cost of having to manually input data and physically manage files is saved when agencies move to digital document management. Cost savings can also be realized by not having to print and mail documents to citizens, and through online payment options that reduce the processing costs for transactions.

Enhanced security

Physical paper can be a significant liability for your company. Sensitive files can easily be compromised, and paperwork can be misfiled, destroyed, or lost.

Call the City today and request to start receiving your utility statements by email! If you change your mind and want to go back to paper statements, just call and we can change it back!

We now offer customers that receive a utility bill, monthly rates to join our FITNESS CENTER!
Single rate \$7.00
Family rates \$10.00

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Southwestern Chicken Salad Spirals

What You'll Need

- 1 (7-ounce) jar roasted red bell peppers
- 2 cups chopped cooked chicken
- 1 (8-ounce) package cream cheese, softened
- 1 (0.4-ounce) package Ranch-style buttermilk dressing mix
- 1/4 cup chopped ripe olives
- 1/2 small onion, diced
- 1 (4.5-ounce) can chopped green chilies, drained
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
- 1/2 teaspoon black pepper
- 8 (6-inch) flour tortillas

What to Do

- 1. Drain roasted peppers well, pressing between layers of paper towels; chop peppers.
- 2.
- 3. Stir together roasted peppers, chicken, and next 7 ingredients. Cover and chill at least 2 hours.
- 4.
- 5. Spread mixture evenly over tortillas, and roll up. Cut each roll into 5 slices, securing with wooden toothpicks, if necessary.

Enjoy!

Meeting Minutes

July 12, 2023

The Udall City Council met for the City Council Meeting on Wednesday July 12th, 2023, at 6:30pm at the Udall City Building Council Room. Matt McAllister, Mayor, called the meeting to order. Council members present were Randy Hoffman, Damon Wilson, Dan Rutschman, Mitch Kratochvil and Jim Caywood. Quorum established. Also present were Ernie Daniels, Steve Brown, and Jennifer Mays.

Modification to Agenda -

Add two executive sessions - 1 for personnel and 1 for legal. MOTION by Wilson to approve 2 executive sessions. SECONDED by Caywood. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Change June 2023 Minutes paragraph 5 to remove Randy as Motioning council member to Wilson. MOTION by Kratochvil to amend paragraph 5. SECONDED by Wilson. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Business from the floor - Steve Brown spoke commending the library staff for everything they are doing and stated they are doing a wonderful job.

OLD BUSINESS

Stewart Addition – Discussion – Smith and Oakes should be here next week for locates and topography. It will take 2 to 3 weeks after this for the design to be completed. - tabled to August Council meeting

116-118 First Street Sealed bids. The city clerk handed sealed bids to Mayor McAllister.

- 1. Jeff Whitfield JR \$2050.00
- 2. Justin and Patricia Caywood \$607.00
- 3. Steve Brown, Carlton Smail and Jeffrey Smail \$3000
- 4. John Beard \$650.00
- 5. Abby Beard \$129.21

MOTION by Kratochvil to accept bid number 3 - Steve Brown, Carlton Smail and Jeffrey Smail in the amount of \$3000.00. SECONDED by Rutschman. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes, Motion carried.

Pet Ordinance – Take away the Dangerous Dog Permit and renewal. They are banned per city ordinance 2-302. Discussion regarding the AAP (Additional Animal Permit). (Additional Animal Permit). (Additional Animal Permit). WoTION by Wilson to amend City Code Chapter II Article 3 Dangerous Dog. SECONDED by Caywood. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Amend City Code 2-123 per City Attorney - Vote on approval of amendment during the next council meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

Water Pressure Issues - Discussion - Pump house 6 has blown fuses and is down - maintenance waiting for repairs.

Walker - Discussion - Street Repair charges - City Clerk meet with Eric Allen to determine materials and labor.

Electric and Water Rates - Bring rate schedule, usage report for 2022, water rate ordinance and electric rate ordinance to August Council meeting. MOTION by Hoffman to table to August meeting. SECONDED by Wilson. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent to Exceed. Proposed Mill Levy Rate Is 52. Hearing to be held on September 13th, 2023, at 6:00 pm and will be held at City Hall in Udall, KS. MOTION by Kratochvil to approve. SECONDED by Wilson. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Fee Schedule – Line Items to be increased. MOTION by Wilson to table to August meeting. SECONDED by Caywood. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

BCBS - KMIT Discussion - Apply for membership to KMIT and give BCBS Questionnaire to all employees. MOTION by Wilson to approve KMIT Application. SECONDED by Rutschman. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Social Security Administration discrepancies from 2021 discussion.

MOTION by Kratochvil to enter Executive Session regarding legal issues to include City Attorney beginning at 7.53pm - 8:03pm. SECONDED by Wilson. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

8:03pm McAllister called the meeting back to order. No binding action taken.

COUNCIL MEMBERS REPORTS

Wilson - None

Rutschman – Dave Williams Demo guy is asking for an extension to be extended to August 10th, 2023. MOTION by Kratochvil to extend to 8/10/2023. SECONDED by Caywood. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION carried.

Hoffman - Some pallets of water at the fire house sunk into the ground and it may need repaired.

Kratochvil – Fourth of July Celebration was successful.

Caywood - Discussion - Accounting Software

Police Dept - Blessing Box has been moved to the North side of the wellness center. His tires need changed, \$140 a piece and \$40 for Jack to install. Grade school trash cans - move for water run-off. County Road pothole and chip seal? Do we want to begin doing this for the Highway tax or let the county keep doing it?

Maintenance – Wilson and Company are the Engineers he has heard about from surrounding towns. City Clerk spoke with them, and they charge on a case-by-case basis. Talk to Harlen and see if he will go to a piece rate?

Find the cost of the replacement of the water line in the alley by the city shop

Office – Pestmaster bid for termites at the park. MOTION by Hoffman to approve the bid for \$1000 plus \$109 annual warranty. SECONDED by Rutschman. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION carried.

KACM for court clerk - \$343 plus meals and mileage. MOTION by Kratochvil to approve. SECONDED by Rutschman. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION carried.

Tablets for council PO \$599.95. MOTION by Caywood to approve PO. SECONDED by Kratochvil. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION carried.

Mayor - Kelsea Hoffman letter - She would like to remove the sidewalk at 306 S Church Street. MOTION by Kratochvil to allow removal. SECONDED by Caywood. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION Carried

MOTION by Hoffman to ADJOURN. SECONDED by Wilson. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION CARRIED

ADJOURN

Local Businesses



CONNIE BUTLER HOMES TEAM - KELLER WILLIAMS SIGNATURE PARTNERS LLC

Quessa Masters 620.218.8529

Qmasters@kw.com



PAULA YAUSSI REAL ESTATE, LLC A KW SIGNATURE PARTNER

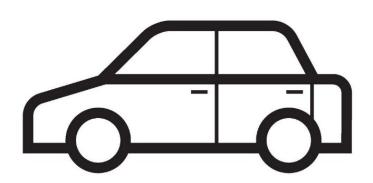
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	Fire Department	TOPS Meeting	6 City Council Work	7 Planning	Cooperettes	Community
	Training @ 7 pm		Session @ 6:30	Commission Meeting @ 6 pm	Meeting @ 1 pm	Breakfast
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Recycle Pickup TOPS Meeting Court @ 6 pm	City Council Meeting @ 6:30 PM Discuss 2024 Budget & Intent to exceed RNR		Senior Potluck @ Noon	City Wide Clean UP City Tree/Limb 8am - 12pm
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	Fire Department Training @ 7 pm	TOPS Meeting	Utility Payments Due by 4 pm			
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24	Fire Department EMS Training @ 6:30 pm	Recycle Pickup TOPS Meeting	27	28	29	30