

City of Velda Village
Hills
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Resident of the
City of Velda Village Hills

Important Numbers

Ameren U. E.
314-342-1111
American Water
1-866--430-0820
Animal Control
314-615-0650
Board of Elections
314-615-1800
Emergency: 911
MSD
1-866-281-5737
Non-- emergency
314-427-8000 ext. 1
Normandy School District
314-493-0609

North County Co-Op
314-427-8000 ext. 1
Northeast Fire Dept.
314-382-1501
SPIRE/Laclede Gas
314-621-6960
Waste Management Customer Service
1-800-964-8988
**For further assistance contact City of Velda
Village Hills City Hall at**

314-261-7221 (main)
314-261-7225 (fax)
(email)
veldavillage@sbcglobal.net

Board of Alderpersons

Mayor - Patricia Ross
314-498-5174

Alderwoman Annie Barnard
Forestry
314-827-9091

Street and Building Commissioner
Alderman Henry Brooks
314-620-1099

President-Board of Aldermen
Alderwoman Effie Moore
314-660-2967

Health Commissioner
Alderman Jimmie E. Ross
314-630-6397

CITY OF VELDA VILLAGE HILLS NOVEMBER 2023



Hello Residents.

November has arrived and what an entrance it has made,

Draw the curtains and pull down the window shades.

Holiday festivities are in the air

Decorations are adding so much flair!

As you recover from the busy days of October

Beware of juggling heavy loads on your shoulders.

The Spirit of Thanksgiving generates peace and goodwill

Thankfully praise those who prepared your delicious meal.

Enjoy your favorite sports, movies, and entertainment of all kinds

But don't forget to to thank the One who made these special binds.

Winter has its good days, bad days, sad days, and happy days but when the lights go out at night and you are safely in bed, say a little prayer for those who did not make it to the end of the day. Danger looks us in the face as we move cautiously from one location to another. Be aware of your surroundings at all times. Keep porch lights burning brightly to guide and protect you. Being neighborly, friendly, and helpful to others makes you feel humanly safe from most danger and trouble.

Streets where every house is safely shining bright, looks so beautiful in the darkness of night. Encourage your neighbors to keep their porch lights on at night. Not only, does it protect us, but it's a beautiful scene throughout the neighborhood.

Parents have an important role to play in the development of their children. Every day is a challenging experience to them – from tiny tots to terrific teens who attend schools or walk the streets. Education is not a toy to wind up when you feel the need for a little joy. Education is a serious, demanding, and rewarding experience too many of our students are losing. It not only increases your chances of obtaining a successful future in whatever skills and talents develop within you, but it also lessens your chances of becoming another statistic of failure. Failure may not appear important to some of our youths and family leaders, but it does not open the door to what could determine how you live the rest of your life. Tutors, sponsors, and teachers are available for those needing guidance but you have to want it to get it. **“A mind is a terrible thing to waste”** is a quote used to encourage students to use their full potential in achieving success in the world through the importance of a good education. It helps students find what their full potential is and how to conquer failure in our changing world.

As the Mayor of the City of Velda Village Hills and the Board of Alderpersons we feel obligated to reach out to any students having difficulty in reaching their full potential. Our doors are open to those needing assistance and encouragement. You are always welcome to visit and talk with us.

Sincerely,

Mayor Patricia E. Ross



THE CITY CORNER

The Regular Board Meeting for
NOVEMBER will be held:
Thursday, NOVEMBER 9, 2023
@ 6pm.

*Any questions concerning the City can
be directed to the City Clerk
Administrator, Diane C. Turner
@ 314-261-7221, ext. 100.

CITY STICKERS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!

City Stickers are \$5

**AFTER FEBRUARY 15th, Stickers are \$7
and violations will be enforced.**

***Residents who live in the City of Velda
Village Hills and own a
vehicle are required to obtain
a City Sticker.**

CODE ENFORCEMENT

***Residents already residing in the City of
Velda Village Hills must have a current
Occupancy**

**Permit on file. New Residents must
obtain one BEFORE moving in.**

Cost = \$40 Violators = \$25/day

***Home owners must obtain an
Occupancy Inspection BEFORE renting the
property.**

Cost = \$95.35

***Residents who own or drive a vehicle
are required to obtain a City Sticker.**

Cost = \$5

***Pet owners are required to obtain a pet
license.**

Cost = \$5

THE COURT CORNER

***The City of Velda Village Hills' Municipal Court will
hold in-person court on Monday, November 13,
2023 @ 4pm.**

***If you are scheduled to appear in Court, please do
so
BEFORE 5:30. to avoid any warrants.**

***Court fines can be paid on-line @
www.courts.mo.gov/pbw, or in
person @ City Hall.**

***Any court questions or concerns can be directed to
the City's Court Clerk/Administrator, Patricia Whitted
@ 314-261-7221, ext. 101.**

ATTENTION:

**DUE TO THE HIGH VOLUME OF COURT CASES...
THE COURT CLERK/ADMIN. WILL NOT ACCEPT
PHONE CALLS OR
PAYMENTS ON THE DAY OF COURT.**

HELP WANTED

The City of Velda Village
Hills is seeking to fill the
following

part-time positions at
City Hall:

*Code Enforcer

*Street Department

**Mayor Ross, the Board of
Alderpersons, and Staff would
like to wish all of our
residents born in the month of
NOVEMBER a very
Happy Birthday!**

TRASH

***Every household in the City of Velda Village Hills must
have trash service, Please contact Waste Management
@ 1-800-964-8988**

***Please do not put your Trash Bin and
Recycling Bin out for collection on the same day.**

***If Waste Management misses a pick-up, please
contact Alderman Ross @ 314-630-6397.**

***All residents age 62 years or older should be receiving
a discount on their Waste
Management trash bill.
Contact Waste Management to confirm.**

ATTENTION RESIDENTS

THE CITY OF VELDA VILLAGE HILLS'
HOLIDAY CELEBRATION:
VIKINGS HALL (North Oaks Plaza)
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2023
6pm—10pm

WASTE MANAGEMENT CUSTOMERS

The Mayor and The Board of Alderpersons would like to ask the
Residents to please have patience with the City's "promise to
pay" each household's Waste Management trash bill.

PLEASE PAY YOUR BILL FOR THIS QUARTER!

Residents who have paid this quarter's trash bill will receive their
next quarter payment from the City of Velda Village Hills.



NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH MEETING:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2023
VELDA VILLAGE CITY HALL
@ 6pm.

**TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE
CONCERNS AND HAVE CONVERSATIONS
WITH THE POLICE OFFICERS WHO ARE
PROTECTING AND SERVING THIS
COMMUNITY.....**

