

City of Platte Woods

2019 Resident Newsletter

A Message from Chief Jim Kerns

Service to others is one of life's greatest rewards. I am proud to say that this philosophy transcends to each officer of this department. We strive to care for those in need and to protect both our residents and those that go to and from our city. It is a duty and honor that each of us take very seriously.

Be watchful when going to and from your car in shopping areas. One of the greatest defenses we have is awareness of our surroundings. Lock your car doors and do not leave packages in the open. Always remove all valuables and firearms from your car at night.

Ask your neighbor to watch for home delivered packages and hold them for safekeeping. Keep your doors locked and let the police department know if you will be away for an extended period of time. You can complete a Resident Check form at www.cityofplattewoods.org or in person at city hall.

Winter driving can bring many challenges. Watch for invisible ice, extended stopping distances and ice buildup on your windshields, mirrors and back windows. Be sure your car is equipped with anti-theft auto start if you are warming your car unattended. Be prepared with extra blankets, a full tank of gas, good tires and quality windshield wipers.

We recently installed a new phone system for the police department. For non-emergency calls you dial 816-741-7973 and have the option of being routed to the on duty officer by pressing 1 or leaving a general voicemail message by pressing 3. If the on duty officer is unavailable the call will be routed to the dispatch center.

Most importantly be kind, thoughtful and enjoy your friends and family. What better time than now to make peace with those where tension exist. Remember the joy of special moments throughout the year and learn lessons from those times that were difficult.

May each and every one of you have a joyous Christmas season and prosperous New Year.



Ordinance Notice

- All dogs must have a dog tag. Starting 2019, dog tags will be good for 2 years. Dog tags are still \$2.00 or free if you are over 65. They are \$10.00 if your pet is not spayed or neutered. Dogs **MUST** be in control at all times and on a leash when off property including at Imeson Park. Please pick up your pet's waste, it's the law.
- Dead trees **MUST** be removed by City Ordinance. Please have all dead trees removed by February 28, 2019
- Permits may be required for construction or replacement of existing structures. Please contact City Hall before starting any project.
- Nuisances are declared unlawful and subject to violation; vehicles, litter, building materials, trees and shrubs.

Reminder!!

Attached is your sewer bill for January-June 2019. Your payment is due by January 1, 2019.



Contact Information

Platte Woods City Hall: 816-741-6688

Platte County Courthouse: 816-741-8888

WCA Trash Service: 816-390-3666

Platte Woods Homes Association: 816-392-3930

Imeson Park Director: 816-289-9067

Visit the City's new website at www.cityofplattewoods.org for information and updates!

