

# THE VISION



**SAFE AND  
CONNECTED**

**PG. 4**

## **Pools Open Soon**

Explore pool amenities and learn more about the summer schedule for outdoor pools.

## **Know Before You Ride**

Different rides have different rules. Learn where you and your kids can ride a bicycle, e-Bike, scooter, etc.

## **Scam Stoppers**

Scammers count on you to act fast. Knowing what to look for can keep you safe.

# BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

## St. Louis Embroidery

**LOCATION: 121 AVALON INDUSTRIAL PKWY. WENTZVILLE, MO 63385**

**OWNERS: Tim Maloney and Patrick Byrne**

### WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE THING ABOUT WENTZVILLE?

Our favorite thing about Wentzville is that it's a vibrant, growing community with a strong sense of pride and opportunity for local businesses.

**WHAT IS NEXT FOR YOUR BUSINESS?** Continuing to grow our presence in Wentzville while expanding our custom union print, embroidery, and promotional product offerings and strengthening community partnerships.

**WHAT IS YOUR VISION FOR WENTZVILLE'S FUTURE?** A city that continues to foster smart growth, opportunity, and strong local and union-supported businesses.

**IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE YOU'D LIKE TO SHARE?** You can find us online at [www.stlouisembroidery.com](http://www.stlouisembroidery.com), email us at [insidesales@stlouisembroidery.com](mailto:insidesales@stlouisembroidery.com) or call us at (636) 724-2200, Monday-Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.



**WHAT YEAR DID YOU OPEN, AND WHY DID YOU LOCATE IN WENTZVILLE?** With roots dating back to the 1800s, our business is built on more than 130 years of quality craftsmanship. We relocated to Wentzville in 2016 and have proudly served the local community and surrounding areas since then. Wentzville's central location, strong community values and continued growth make it an ideal place to serve Wentzville and the greater St. Louis region.

**WHAT DO YOU BRING TO WENTZVILLE BY HAVING YOUR BUSINESS HERE?** As a proud union print and embroidery shop, we provide quality union craftsmanship, local employment opportunities and dependable services while supporting local businesses, schools, first responders and organizations throughout Wentzville and surrounding communities, as well as serving clients across the country.

**WHAT DOES YOUR BUSINESS OFFER?** Custom union embroidery, printed apparel and promotional products, including uniforms for first responders, as well as items for businesses, sports teams, schools and other organizations.



Welcome to  
our New  
Businesses!



**UHY Advisors Midwest**  
4 E. Pearce Blvd.

**Element Learning Center**  
100 Mall Pkwy., Ste. 500

**Paws & Claws Grooming**  
507 W. Pearce Blvd.

**Auto Authority**  
15290 Veterans Memorial Pkwy.

**FoiledbyTrin**  
120 Creekside Office Dr., Ste. 6

**Kids Academy**  
120 Wilmer Meadow Dr.

**Rooted Touch Massage**  
1015 Meyer Rd.

**Cadence Academy**  
1652 W. Meyer Rd.

**Willowbranch Place**  
12 W. Main St., Unit 2

**Extra Space Storage**  
2065 W. Pearce Blvd.

**Rhino Roofing**  
1530 Swantnerville Dr.

**Ethos Fitness**  
1844 W. Pearce Blvd.

**Wentzville Music**  
702 W. Pearce Blvd.

*Note: These businesses have all applied for a business license, but may not be open to the public yet.*



**Mayor Nick Guccione**

# MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR:

## *Staying Safe, Connected and Prepared*

**Across Wentzville, this time of year brings more activity to our streets, trails and neighborhoods. As more people spend time outdoors, it's a great reminder to stay aware, look out for one another and take simple steps to stay safe.**

That awareness shows up in the small, everyday choices we make. Whether you're heading out for a walk, riding a bike, driving through a neighborhood or planning time away from home, staying informed helps create a safer and more welcoming community for everyone.

This issue highlights several ways you can stay prepared this season. One of the most visible updates is the City's riding guidelines for bikes, e-bikes and other motorized devices. As technology continues to evolve, so do the ways people move through our community. These updates are designed to provide clear direction, reduce confusion and help ensure that everyone (riders, drivers and pedestrians) can safely share our streets, sidewalks and trails. Taking a few minutes to review the information and the full chart on pages 4 and 5 to understand how the guidelines apply to you or your family can make a meaningful difference.

This is also a good opportunity for parents to talk with teens and new riders about expectations and safety. As more young people take advantage of these devices, understanding where they can ride and how to do so responsibly is an important part of keeping everyone safe.

**“What makes Wentzville special is the way our community looks out for one another.”**



In addition to staying aware on our roadways and trails, it's equally important to stay alert in other areas of daily life. Scams continue to affect communities across the country, and Wentzville is no exception. These situations often rely on creating urgency or confusion, which is why taking a moment to pause, verify information and avoid sharing personal details can go a long way in protecting yourself and your family. You can find out more on pg. 7.

Our Police Department also offers services that can provide added peace of mind, especially during the busy months ahead. If you're planning to be away from home, vacation checks are available to help keep an eye on your property. Extra patrol requests can also be made if you notice unusual activity or have ongoing concerns in your neighborhood. These are simple, proactive steps that residents can take to feel more confident and supported. Learn more on pg. 4.

What makes Wentzville special is the way our community looks out for one another. That sense of connection shows up in meaningful ways — checking in on a neighbor, sharing important information with family members or taking a few minutes to understand the guidelines and resources available to you. Thank you for being an active part of our community. By staying informed, aware and engaged, we can continue to make Wentzville a safe, welcoming place for everyone to enjoy.

## The Next Issue of *The Vision* is Available Only Online

***The Vision* is going digital-only for two of our six annual issues! While you will continue to receive four printed editions in your mailbox, the July/August and November/December 2026 issues will be shared online only. Stay up to date at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/TheVision](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/TheVision).**



# Public Safety in Wentzville

*WPD works every day to support a safe and welcoming community.*

The Wentzville Police Department (WPD) plays an active role in the community every day — and that work goes far beyond responding to calls. Throughout the year, officers connect with residents in meaningful ways, from neighborhood events and youth programs to safety education and outreach efforts. These interactions help build relationships, answer questions and create a better understanding of how public safety works in Wentzville.

That day-to-day presence is an important part of how WPD supports the community. Whether it's officers out in neighborhoods, attending local events or taking time to talk with residents, these everyday interactions help build familiarity and trust. Over time, that visibility helps create a stronger connection between the Police Department and the community it serves.

For those who want a closer look, WPD also offers opportunities like tours of the Law Enforcement Center and the Citizens Police Academy. These programs give residents a behind-the-scenes view of policing and create space for open, two-way conversations. Learn more by visiting [www.wentzvillemo.gov/PD](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/PD).

As new tools and technology continue to evolve, the Department is adapting to better serve the community — while staying focused on what matters most: being visible, approachable and engaged. Whether it's a conversation at a community event or a day-to-day interaction, WPD remains committed to supporting a safe and welcoming Wentzville.



## Know Before You Ride

As more people take advantage of warmer weather, we're seeing more bicycles, scooters, e-bikes and other motorized devices on our streets, sidewalks and trails. To keep everyone safe, the City of Wentzville has updated its riding regulations to reflect the way people are getting around today.

These updates create clearer guidelines for where different devices can be used, especially as newer, faster options become more common. The goal is simple: reduce confusion, prevent accidents and make sure everyone (including riders, drivers and pedestrians) can safely share our public spaces.

To make it easier to understand, we've included a quick reference chart on the next page that breaks down where different types of devices are allowed. If you're unsure where your bike, scooter or other device fits, start there. The chart is designed to give you a simple, at-a-glance answer so you can quickly *know before you ride*.

As a general rule, higher-speed devices have more restrictions, especially in areas like sidewalks, parks and multi-use trails. Some devices may also require a valid driver's license to operate on roadways. These guidelines are in place to protect pedestrians, reduce conflicts between users and create safer shared spaces across the community.

Before you head out, take a quick look at the chart and guidelines. If you have teens or new riders at home, this is a great time to review it together. A quick check now can help prevent confusion later and ensure everyone can enjoy Wentzville's streets, sidewalks and trails safely.

**You can view the full list of guidelines and FAQs at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/KnowBeforeYouRide](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/KnowBeforeYouRide)**

## Did You Know? Public Safety Goes Beyond 911















Are you heading out of town, or did you notice something unusual in your neighborhood? The Wentzville Police Department offers services designed to give you added peace of mind when you need it most. Residents and business owners can request a free vacation check, where officers will periodically check on a home or property while you're away. It's a simple step that can help you feel more comfortable leaving your home unattended. WPD also offers extra patrol requests for neighborhoods experiencing ongoing concerns or unusual behavior. These targeted patrols help provide additional visibility and support where it's needed most. These services are easy to request and are designed to help residents stay proactive about safety. Visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/WPD](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/WPD) to learn more.



# Know Before You **RIDE** in WENTZVILLE

Different rides have different rules. Here's what you need to know.



Device Type		Roads	Sidewalks	Parks and Multi-Use Trails
	Bicycle	Allowed (all streets)	Allowed	Allowed
	E-Bike (Class I and II)	Allowed (all streets)	Allowed	Allowed
	E-Bike (Class III) (16 years or older)	Allowed (all streets)	Not Allowed	Not Allowed
	Sit-On Motorized Scooter (with license)	Allowed (all streets)	Not Allowed	Not Allowed
	Stand-On Scooter (without license)	Not Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
	Stand-On Scooter (with license)	Residential streets only*	Allowed	Allowed
	Motorized Alternative Vehicle (without license)	Not Allowed	Allowed	Not Allowed
	Motorized Alternative Vehicle (with license)	Residential streets only*	Allowed	Not Allowed
	Razor Minibike, Pocket Motorbike (electric)	Not Allowed	Allowed	Not Allowed
	Minibike/Go-Kart (gas)	Not Allowed	Not Allowed	Not Allowed
	Nonmotorized (skateboard)	Not Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
	Motorized Play Vehicle	Not Allowed	Allowed	Not Allowed
	Electric MTD (Motorized Transportation Device)	Not Allowed	Allowed	Not Allowed
	EPAMD (Segway)	Not Allowed	Allowed	Allowed

## IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- Some devices have limited access without a valid Missouri driver's license.
- Higher speeds equal more restrictions.
- Mobility scooters and motorized wheelchairs are not included in these regulations.
- Generally, every ride is allowed on private property with the owner's permission.
- When in doubt, be safe and respectful!
- Learn more at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/KnowBeforeYouRide](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/KnowBeforeYouRide).

\* Residential streets **exclude** Wentzville Parkway, West Meyer Road, Interstate Drive and David Hoekel Parkway.



# NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Essential news, program details and resources specifically for Wentzville residents and business owners.*

## Wentzville Business Grant Opportunities

Do you own (or are you planning to own) a business in Historic Downtown Wentzville? If so, consider applying for a Facade Improvement or Business Development grant during the June 1-30 application period. The Board of Aldermen is committed to preserving and improving Historic Downtown Wentzville. These grants will help to stimulate property development, strengthen new and existing businesses, and facilitate the rehabilitation of downtown buildings — all while preserving their history and community value. Learn more at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/EDGrants](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/EDGrants).

## Utility-Tax Rebate Ends on May 31

Between now and May 31, Wentzville residents can apply for a utility-tax rebate from the City. To be eligible, you must rent or own your primary residence in the City of Wentzville; be at least 65 years old or considered totally disabled by Social Security; and have a 2025 maximum gross income of \$62,400 for a single-person household or \$71,300 for a married-couple household. Total gross income includes your Social Security. To learn more and view application options, visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/TaxRebate](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/TaxRebate).

## Pools Opening Soon

When it comes to spending the summer poolside, Wentzville has two outdoor pools to choose from. **Progress Park Pool** has both drop and spiral slides, a diving board and a separate baby pool for young swimmers to play. **Splash Station Aquatic Center** boasts spiral and drop slides, a standard diving board, plus a high dive for the most adventurous guests. Young kids can play and splash at the water playground or in the leisure pool. If relaxing is more your style, you can lounge in the lazy river. The summer season begins with a special Memorial Day weekend event, May 23-25, at Splash Station Aquatic Center. Both pools will open for regular daily operations on June 1. To view the updated pool schedule for the season, pricing and more information, visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/Aquatics](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/Aquatics).

## Split Irrigation Restarts on June 1

To help maintain a sustainable water supply during the summer, residents and businesses are encouraged to follow a split watering schedule from June 1 to Sept. 30. This includes a suggested three-day-per-week plan based on address numbers, plus tips for watering outside peak hours to improve efficiency and water pressure. View the recommended watering schedule, lawn care conservation tips at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/LawnManagement](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/LawnManagement) or call (636) 327-5101. Your efforts help keep our community beautiful and our resources strong — thank you for doing your part!

## Election Results

In early April, Wentzville residents went to the polls to vote for the candidates they want to lead and serve the City for the next two years. Below are the official results from the St. Charles County Election Authority.

- Alderman, Ward 1 - Two-Year Term: Linda Roth
- Alderman, Ward 2 - Two-Year Term: Frank Martell
- Alderman, Ward 3 - Two-Year Term: Michael Hays

Congratulations to our new and newly re-elected City officials, who were sworn in at the Board of Aldermen meeting on April 22. For a full list of Countywide results, visit [www.sccmo.org/437/Election-Results](http://www.sccmo.org/437/Election-Results).

## Fireworks Reminders

City ordinance allows fireworks to be discharged ONLY on July 3 and July 4 of each year, and only between the hours of noon and 11 p.m. each day. These restrictions will be strictly enforced. Outside this allowed time frame, a summons may be issued, and fireworks may be confiscated. Please take precautions when shooting off fireworks and be mindful and courteous of your neighbors. Please note that fireworks are not allowed to be set off on City property, including streets, sidewalks and cul-de-sacs, or at any park within the City. To report illegal fireworks use, please call the nonemergency line at (636) 327-5105. To learn more, please visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/Fireworks](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/Fireworks).

### NEW FIREWORKS LOCATION THIS YEAR!

Looking for some festive fun this Fourth of July? Spend your day with Wentzville Parks and Recreation at our annual Fourth of July Celebration! We'll start the day with a free parade bursting with colorful floats and all the patriotic excitement you could ask for. Once the sun goes down, grab your favorite lawn chair and meet us over at **ROTARY PARK** for our fireworks show. Trust us, you won't want to miss it! To learn more and view the parade route, visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/FourthOfJuly](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/FourthOfJuly).





**Wentzville Board of Aldermen: Linda Roth (Ward 1), Chantel Summers (Ward 1), Robert Hussey (Ward 2), Frank Martell (Ward 2), Michael Hays (Ward 3), Michael Lovell (Ward 3) and Mayor Nick Guccione. Want to connect? Please visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/MeetTheBoard](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/MeetTheBoard) for contact information.**

## Board Update: Recognizing and Preventing Scams

Scams continue to impact residents each year, and they're becoming more sophisticated. From phone calls and text messages to social media links and even AI-generated voices, scammers are constantly evolving their tactics. The good news is that most scams share common warning signs — and knowing what to look for can help you avoid becoming a victim.

One of the biggest red flags is urgency. Scammers often pressure you to act immediately, whether it's claiming you'll be arrested, lose access to an account or miss out on a prize. Take a step back. Legitimate organizations will give you time to verify information and make decisions.

Be cautious of how someone asks you to pay. Requests for gift cards, wire transfers or cryptocurrency are almost always a scam. No legitimate business or government agency will require payment in these forms. Similarly, be wary of anyone asking for sensitive personal information, especially if the contact is unexpected.

Technology has also changed the scam landscape. Scammers now use artificial intelligence to mimic voices or create convincing messages that appear to come from someone you know. If something feels off, trust your instincts and verify the situation by contacting the person or organization directly.

It's also important to remember that caller ID and email addresses can be fake. Just because a number looks local or familiar doesn't mean it's legitimate. If you receive a suspicious call, message or link, don't engage. Hang up, delete it or report it. If you think you may have been targeted or have already sent money, contact your financial institution right away and report the incident to the Wentzville Police Department. You can also learn more about unwanted calls and what to do about them when you visit [ftc.gov/calls](http://ftc.gov/calls).

**Staying informed and taking a moment to pause before responding can make all the difference.**

## Counterfeit Protection for Your Business

The Wentzville Police Department offers free counterfeit detection pens to local businesses as a simple tool to help identify possible counterfeit currency during cash transactions. If your business accepts cash, these pens can add an extra layer of protection for your employees and help reduce financial loss. The pens are easy to use and available at no cost.

To request a counterfeit pen or learn more, please contact the Wentzville Police Department or stop by the front desk at 1019 Schroeder Creek Blvd., during normal business hours.

## Important City Reminders

### RUN FOR THE WALL

This annual cross-country motorcycle ride honors the memory of all veterans. This year, the group will arrive from westbound I-70 around 5:15 p.m. on Monday, May 18. They will then head to the VFW for the evening. On Tuesday morning, May 19, at approximately 8 a.m., the group will gather at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial (located at 209 W. Pearce Blvd.) for a short ceremony. Please note: Pearce Boulevard will be closed briefly during the ceremony.

### HOLIDAY HOURS AND SOLID WASTE COLLECTION CHANGES

- Memorial Day: City Hall will be closed on Monday, May 25. Meridian Waste services will be delayed one day this week. For more information, visit [www.meridianwaste.com/Wentzville](http://www.meridianwaste.com/Wentzville).
- Independence Day: City Hall will be closed on Friday, July 3, to observe Independence Day. Meridian Waste services will not be impacted as July 4 falls on a weekend.

### 2025 CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT

The Annual Water Quality Report Consumer Confidence Report (or CCR) is intended to provide you with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made to provide safe drinking water to Wentzville residents. A copy of the complete 2025 CCR can be found on the Missouri Department of Natural Resources website at <https://dnr.mo.gov/ccr/MO6010849.pdf> or [www.wentzvillemo.gov/Water](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/Water). If internet access is not available, a hard copy can be requested and mailed to you by contacting the City's Water Division at (636) 639-7564.

### BACKFLOW TESTS DUE JUNE 1

All lawn irrigation systems, fire sprinkler systems and commercial service lines within the City of Wentzville are required to contain a backflow prevention device. These devices must be tested annually by a state of Missouri-certified tester. Annual backflow test reports are due to the City of Wentzville by June 1. Before June 1, early-bird filing fees are only \$14. To learn more about where to send your backflow report, find a list of certified testers, review the fee structure and more, visit our website at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/BackflowTests](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/BackflowTests) or call (636) 639-2165.

# Wentzville Days

in Historic Downtown Wentzville

**May 15-17**

 [www.wentzvillemo.gov/WentzvilleDays](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/WentzvilleDays)



Don't miss the *fun!*

## Friday, May 15

- Carnival: 6-10:30 p.m.
- Vendors & Live Music: 6-10:30 p.m.
- Children's Area: 6-9:30 p.m.



## Saturday, May 16

- Carnival: Noon-10:30 p.m.
- Vendors & Live Music: Noon-10:30 p.m.
- Children's Area: Noon-9:30 p.m.



## Sunday, May 17

- Carnival: Noon-6 p.m.
- Vendors & Live Music: Noon-6 p.m.
- Children's Area: Noon-6 p.m.

