



Friday, August 16, 2019

Blue Bin Update: **Blue Bin sign-up tracking.** Here is a dashboard that our GIS team put together for the Blue Bin registrations, which gives you a map to see where they are located throughout the City. To date, we have over 5466 households registered. Here is the link: <http://franklin.maps.arcgis.com/apps/opsdashboard/index.html#/7a53ea03404748a1bd82e16f7ce5edf8>

The **Planning Department** held a **Public Open House** to see the public draft of the Zoning Ordinance last night at **City Hall**. The Zoning Ordinance contains standards for how land can be used and developed. The purpose of the update is to:

- Better align the Zoning Ordinance/Zoning Map with the Envision Franklin policies
- Reduce the number of conflicts and overlapping provisions
- Re-focus the standards on zoning districts by eliminating multiple overlay districts
- Make the document more user friendly, interactive and easier to understand

You can see a draft of the ordinance at www.ZoneFranklin.com

Our Management Fellow, **Holland Schellhase** has organized an event with the **Engaging Local Government Leaders (ELGL) national group**. ELGL seeks to “engage brightest minds in local government” to focus on building community, foster innovation/improvement, educate, value diversity in our leadership and within our communities, communicate with a national network of local government leaders, and encourage joy in public service. **The event is August 29, 6-8pm at Black Abbey Brewing, at 2952 Sidco Drive in Nashville.**



If you are interested go to one of the following links to RSVP. All are welcome. We are hoping to bring together a cross section of local government leaders from middle Tennessee. You can learn more about ELGL here <https://elgl.org/>

RSVP link: <https://nashvillesupperclub.eventbrite.com>

Calendar link: <https://elgl.org/event/nashville-supper-club/>

Facebook link: <https://www.facebook.com/events/386833505305727/>

Welcome to the following new City Team Members:



Juan Walker—Firefighter

Juan is originally from Picayune, Mississippi but has lived in Nashville for the past 14 years. Juan is engaged and has one son. In his spare time, Juan enjoys working out, basketball, softball, flag football and cheering for the Philadelphia Eagles. Juan previously worked as a personal trainer at Fitness 1440.

Tyler Barnes—Firefighter

Tyler is from Ft Lauderdale, Florida and moved to Franklin about a year ago. Tyler is married and has a three year old daughter and a son due in three weeks! In his spare time, Tyler enjoys playing and watching sports, working out and spending time with his family. Prior to joining the City, Tyler worked for the Goodlettsville Fire Department.

Tyler Ramos—Firefighter

Tyler is originally from Southern California and now lives in Springfield, TN. Tyler is married and has two sons, a four year old and eight month old baby. In his spare time, Tyler enjoys spending time with his family, doing home improvements, motorcycles and trucks. Tyler previously worked for the City of Dickson Fire Department.

Lynn Brown—Communication Infrastructure Tech. IT.

Lynn was born in Franklin but now lives in Columbia. He has one son and a girl on the way! Lynn enjoys gaming and all things “techy”. Lynn went to Page High School and MTSU. Before working for the City, Lynn worked for the King’s Daughters’ School.

Jose Dibube—School Patrol, Franklin Police

Jose is originally from La Habana, Cuba. Jose enjoys cultural activities, reading and collecting Cuban memorabilia and art deco. He also enjoys watching his favorite sports team, the Florida Gators.

Welcome to the City!

That’s all for now. Thanks for *all* you do. Enjoy your weekend!



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