



Friday, July 30, 2021

Welcome to our newest employee in the **Streets Department**.

Jerry Hatcher. Assistant Director of Street

Jerry is from the Nashville area but now lives in Spring Hill. He is married to wife, Colleen and has a daughter, Julia and two cats. Jerry is an avid cyclist including road and mountain biking. Jerry received his BS in Civil Engineering from UT-Knoxville. Prior to joining the City, Jerry worked for Tennessee DOT for 29 years! Welcome to the City!

We received very nice thank you notes for our **Sanitation and BNS Departments**.

Mr. (Jack) Tucker- I wanted to let you know that I have had great recent customer service with your employees on the phone about excessive yard waste. Please let them know that it is evident the pride that they have in their position.—Alan Baker

Mr. (Alex) Brown, I just wanted to drop you a quick note and let you know what an incredible employee you have in **Mark Pagan**. I emailed him a couple zoning questions yesterday morning, and not only was he quick to respond, but he was incredibly helpful in providing me with exact links and directions to all the codes and rules. He also answered all of my questions pertaining to those codes. I really appreciate the help he gave me this week. It's so refreshing to be able to contact someone for help and actually get it!—Sincerely, Diane McDaniel

You may have read or heard it in the news, this week the State of Tennessee made a formal announcement that **Kaiser Aluminum** is moving its corporate headquarter to Franklin. This \$1.8 Billion dollar company is moving approximately 80 jobs to Franklin from California. Great news for the community!

In honor of the **20**th **Anniversary of 9/11**, we are teaming up with government agencies across Middle Tennessee to collect at least 2,977 pints of blood as a tribute to the 2,977 innocent lives lost on September 11, 2001. This initiative is called "**Remembering the Badges Blood Drive**." Our drive is scheduled for **August 4**th in the **City Hall Training Room**. To make an appointment, you can go to the online scheduling system at www.redcrossblood.org. and enter sponsor code: FranklinTN19. You can streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting www.RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.

Here is the COVID-19 case update for Thursday (7/29/21)

Kev Changes:

Up 2,586 More positive cases day over day in the State of Tennessee (891,331 total positive cases)

Up 1,808 More active cases day over day in the State of Tennessee (16,876 total active cases)

Up 111 More positive cases day over day in Williamson County (29,563 total positive cases)

Up 79 More active cases day over day in Williamson County (664 total active cases)

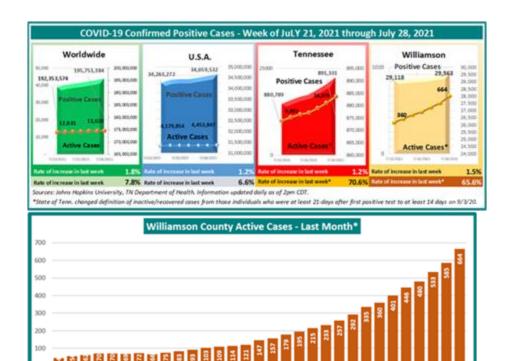
Level Williamson County share of total positive cases within Tennessee at 3.3%

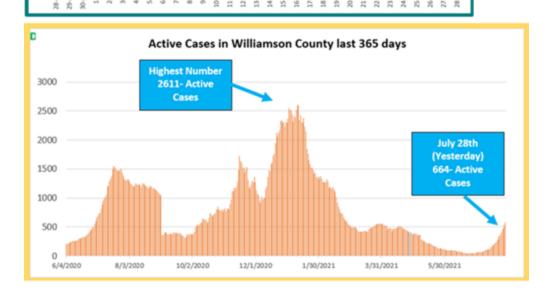
Up Percent Positive / Total Tested at **11.41%**

Level Williamson County **Sixth** highest # of positive cases in Tennessee

Level No New deaths in Williamson County (220 total deaths)







This weekend, a local group is sponsoring the **first Franklin Pride Festival at the Park at Harlinsdale Farm!** Thank you to our City Team who are working to make this festival safe and fun for visitors.

That's it for now. Have a great weekend and stay COOL! Thanks for all you do!





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