

E-Brief 2022

Excellence Innovation Teamwork Integrity Action-Oriented



Friday, January 7, 2022



Thank you to all our teams who worked hard during our winter weather event! The City accumulated approximately six inches. With low temperatures overnight, we are looking at icy roads this morning. Our **Street Department** crews did a great job keeping working overnight and throughout the day the past two days to treat and work to clear City streets. **Police and Fire** have also done great work responding to accidents throughout the day yesterday and monitoring conditions to help direct our street clearing efforts. **Communications** covered the snow event on our socials and had great response.

Check out **Robert Mott's** ride along with **Mark Taylor** in one of our snowplows!

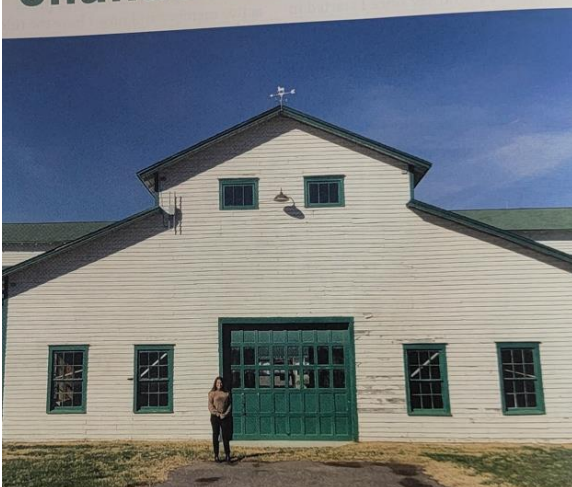
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0Rb2PrCeHRA>

Sanitation crews will resume curbside trash and recycling services tomorrow.

Thanks again for all our team members do!



Shahad Abdulrahman



City of Franklin Staff Engineer Shahad Abdulrahman was featured in **American Public Works Magazine** with a feature about her and how she got into engineering and public works. She also highlighted her favorite project, the Harlinsdale Park main barn. Shahad grew up in Iraq and her father is an engineer. She knew from an early age she wanted to get into the engineering profession. Her family moved to Franklin in 2008, and she is a graduate of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. She often works on projects with the Parks Department! The full article is attached.

The **Human Resources Department** is happy to announce they have started accepting nominations for the **1st Quarter** of the **Employee of the Quarter 2022 Program**. You can submit paper nominations by coming into the Human Resource Department within City Hall or via email by filling out the attached nomination form.

As a reminder, the guidelines are as follows:

- **Any employee** can be nominated
- HR will accept unlimited nominations during the nomination window for each quarter
- **Nomination forms** are attached and will be available on *Inside the City*
- **Two employees will be selected per quarter** by a committee made up of your peers!
- Completed nomination forms can be emailed to nomination@franklintn.gov

The deadline for submitting nominations for the 1st Quarter is February 4th!



The Franklin Police Color guard presented the colors at the Predator Hockey game last Saturday. **Pictured L-R are Detectives Matt Thompson, Kyle Brink and Tyler Wiggers and Officers Dustyn Stevens and Sullivan Tuck.**

Here is the COVID-19 case update for Tuesday (1/4/22)

Key Changes:

Up 9,230 More positive cases day over day in the State of Tennessee (1,462,996 total positive cases)

Up 5,177 More active cases day over day in the State of Tennessee (99,206 total active cases)

Up 293 More positive cases day over day in Williamson County (46,356 total positive cases)

Up 142 More active cases day over day in Williamson County (**3,782 total active cases, an all-time high for active cases throughout the COVID-19 pandemic**)

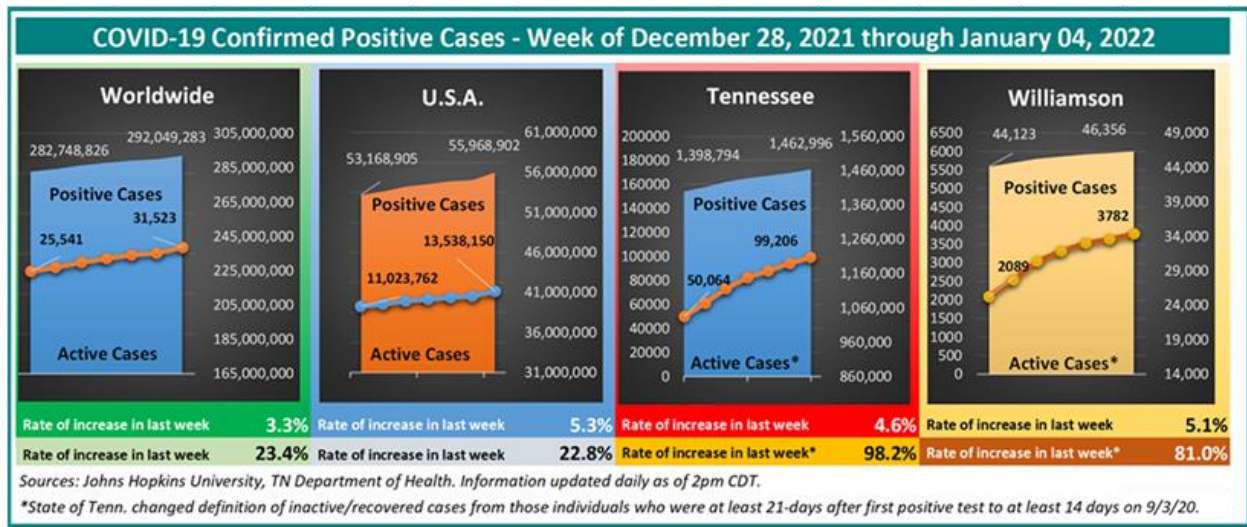
Level Williamson County share of total positive cases within Tennessee at **3.2**

Up Percent Positive / Total Tested at **12.34%**

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

Level **No New** deaths in Williamson County (**323** total deaths)

-Williamson County Community Transmission Status (CDC): **High**



Thanks for *all* you do! We made it through the first week of 2022! Here's to a great rest of the year! Stay safe and warm during this winter weather. Take care.

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