

# E-Brief 2022



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**Friday, July 1, 2022**



Happy July! It is hard to believe that we are already into July. We received a nice surprise yesterday. After several months of road closure and work on a bridge, **TDOT opened Lewisburg Pike** yesterday afternoon. This is great news with the holiday weekend ahead of us.

Thousands of people are expected to attend the popular **Franklin on the Fourth celebration** on the square happening Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup> in Franklin and sponsored by the **Franklin Lions Club**. Festivities begin at 10:00 a.m. with music, food and craft vendors, antique cars, and much more. The event will also feature a Children's Patriotic Parade at 5:00 p.m. line-up for the parade begins at 4:45, to register go to the Lions Club Booth on the square at the event. There will be prizes for best costume and decorated bikes and wagons. Pets are welcome.

The Park at Harlinsdale is the prime spot for viewing the fireworks show. The show is sponsored by **WAKM**, and the **City of Franklin**. **Friends of Franklin Parks** is hosting the community in the **Tractor Supply Co. Arena** featuring music by Mix Tape, an 80's tribute band, starting at 6:00 p.m. There will also be family games provided by Games to Go and food trucks and concessions. Sponsors working with Friends of Franklin Parks to bring a free and fun family event include Jackson as the stage sponsor. Other sponsors include Wesley Mortgage, Berry Farms Animal Hospital, Tennessee Equine Hospital, Concord Road Animal Hospital and Pet Spa, Berry Farms, A Boyle Development, and 107.5 The River. Attendees are invited to bring lawn chairs or blankets to view the show. The fireworks are expected to begin at approximately 9:00 p.m.

Next Friday, July 8, the City is bringing back **KITTY HALL!** The pet adoption event will run **from 10:30-2:30 in the "Fishbowl" conference room at City Hall.** Cats and kittens will be available for adoption. The fees will be half price at \$25.00 for a cat or kitten. Adoptable shelter animals can be viewed at [www.adoptwcac.org](http://www.adoptwcac.org) Mars PetCare is one of the sponsors and free coffee will be provided by Starbucks!



**2022 CAT ADOPTION EVENT**

**KITTY HALL**

**JULY 8**  
**10:30AM-2:30PM**  
INSIDE CITY HALL!

**THE PAWFECT ADDITION TO YOUR FAMILY**

**\$25 ADOPTION FEE**

**The City received the following thank you letters to our City team:**

**TO: Alex Brown ,Assistant Director Development Services. Building and Neighborhood Services**

*Although this may be an overlooked task, I feel that I must bring to your attention the outstanding service I received from your Department of Building and Neighborhood Services on 6/29/2022. I could not ask to be treated any better than I was. I just wanted to let you know how nice I was treated. From the time I walked up to the desk out front and **Presley Parker and Mike Wilison** helping me with the ONE-STOP Permitting process. Their professional and courteous attitude, expert knowledge, and patience in handling my specific needs was very important to me. Everyone was very nice to me and went out of their way to help me. I want to add how lucky you are to have employees like this. Thank You—**Gerald R. Brown***

**To Paige and crew at the Parks Department**

*Thank you for another wonderful season of tennis. The courts were in great shape, bathrooms were always clean when we arrived. The assistance to move water off the courts to allow us to play after a rainstorm was exceptional. We are so grateful for all you do!—**Liz Piper, Nalta B4***

Thank you to all our team members working on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. We appreciate everyone working to make the holiday safe and enjoyable for our community.

Have a great holiday weekend! Thanks for *all* you do!



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