



April 2019

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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

Happiest when?
His children
succeed

Peter Glenn



First job?
KFC

Peter is originally from Latonia but currently resides in Cold Springs with his wife of 25 years Catherine Anne, son Peter Michael II (22) and daughter Paxton Ann (19).

Peter and the family really enjoy the outdoors from hiking, camping or boating at Lake Cumberland but they are very much into skiing and snowboarding. They enjoy going to Perfect North and going out west for a week to cherish time together and enjoy the Rockies.

Peter has a passion for many things, of course skiing and family but a couple of others that stand out are handmade gifts, public works and urban forestry. Peter is closing in on 20 years of public service.

Peter still has a few things on his bucket list to accomplish to name a few Sliding Rock, NC, sunrise bicycle volcano tour in Maui and Yosemite National Park to climb the cables on Half Dome. If you don't know what it is Youtube it, it is amazing. When Peter slows it down, you might catch him watching a movie (American Flyers) or listening to some Bob Seger or just enjoying Larosa's pizza.

Peter said his biggest inspiration is his father a Korean War Vet, worked 42 years Cincinnati Bell, 65 years of marriage and family first. From the looks of it, the apple didn't fall far from the tree.

PROGRAMS

STREET SWEEPING

Street sweeping for April was been completed. Team Member Ralston went down all city owned streets and Dixie Highway and Commonwealth Avenue. He also completed a detailed cleaning of the street sweeper.

The next round of sweeping is scheduled for the week of June 3rd.

Storm Sewer/Issues Report/Problem Checks

Problem storm locations were checked and cleaned 2 times in the month of April.

Staff continues to work on various issues and concerns throughout the city.

PROGRAMS

MONTHLY ROW/PARK CLEANUP

8	Rotations Completed
140	Bags Collected
108	Man Hours
575	Miles

STREET REPAIR

Team Members patched **168** potholes utilizing **13.6** tons of hot mix

Zone #1-	39
Zone #2-	0
Zone #3-	103
Zone #4-	26

PROGRAMS

Mowing



Team Members have made 2 complete rounds of mowing for the month of April, utilizing 250 man hours.

PROGRAMS

Mowing History

The mowing program for the Erlanger Public Works Department usually runs from late March through late October. The team consist of 4 team members cutting, trimming, pulling weeds and making sure everything has been blown off and left to look like nobody was ever there.

The team cuts 35 locations around the city consisting of just around 60 acres. They range from facilities (4), parks (12) and right of ways(19). The mowing team also schedules time to do routine maintenance on the mowers and other equipment during the mowing season.

The team is also very instrumental in other areas while they are out mowing. Litter control by picking up litter in all these areas before mowing. Checking for any damage or vandalism at our parks to insure a safe play environment. Team Members also carry with them pesticides to spray those unwanted weeds that every homeowner is trying to eliminate.

The mowing doesn't stop there, the team will mow delinquent property with code violations of high grass along with city owned alleys (10) that are cut and trimmed once a month.

PROGRAMS

PARKS



The Public Works Department contracted Quinn Electric to add electric to Rainbow Park. This enhancement will be beneficial with park events moving forward.

In the near future you can look forward to water being added for a water fountain.

PROGRAMS

PARKS



Team Members have moved onto bed mulching around the city. They have completed the Depot Park. The black dyed mulch really adds to the beauty of the park.



PROGRAMS

PARKS



Silverlake Park has been completed with all the beds edged and fresh mulch.



PROGRAMS

PARKS



Team Members are currently edging and mulching in The Glades and will continue through Spring Valley Park.



CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

The City of Erlanger has contracted with JPS Construction for the Alpha Court, Beta Court, Kelli Lane and Michelle Circle Capital Improvement Street Reconstruction Projects. These projects will be full pavement removal of the center islands in the cul-de-sacs along with identified sidewalk panel replacement.

Michelle Circle has completed its first of three pours.



Half of Beta Court has been torn out and repoured

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

- The Center Street Improvement Project is underway with the drainage and full depth repairs being completed. The next steps will be to mill the existing pavement, apply the leveling layer of asphalt, replace curbs and driveways aprons and then the final surface layer of asphalt.
- The Brightleaf Boulevard connector from Turkeyfoot Road to Narrows Road had been planned to begin on Thursday 4/25/19 but due to the rain the start was delayed. The first step on this project will be to remove the existing curb cuts (5) and replace with full curb, remove and rebuild ADA sidewalk ramps. After the concrete has cured the contractor will then mill the existing pavement, apply a leveling layer of asphalt with the surface to complete the project.
- The Atlas Drive portion of these three asphalt resurfacing project is a milled keyway and overlay which will fall in line with asphalt portion of Center Street and Brightleaf Boulevard projects.
- The Public Works Department will also be starting two parking lot resurfacing projects, one at the City Building (rear lots) and the other at Safety Center East (4100 Narrows Road)

TRAINING

- Mike Grizzell and Chris Johnson completed Chainsaw Safety Seminar in Madisonville KY, on April 16th through April 18th.
- Certified Playground Safety Inspector (CPSI) in Mason Oh was April 10th through April 12th. Team Members Joe Daugherty and Bob Martin took part in this valuable training.
- Team Members have been leading safety briefings daily on "Ground Maintenance Equipment/Equipment Training"

UPCOMING TRAINING

- Work Zone Technician and Basic Work Zone/Flagger in Burlington KY.
- Team Members daily briefing will talk about Warm Weather and things to look for.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Anniversary



Brian Ralston
9 Years



Chris Johnson
2 Years