May 2019

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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

Joe Daugherty

Joe grew up in Covington KY, and attended Holmes High School. Currently Joe resides in Erlanger with his wife of 29 years, Michelle. Joe and Michelle have two grown children Trevor (28) and Kristin (23).

Joe's happy place is during the summer months when he and his wife are at camp at Lake Cumberland. Where they can enjoy the lake life with a good dinner (Roast and potatoes), old movie (Back to the Future) or just sitting around a fire with friends and some Garth Brooks music in the background.

Joe still has plans to visit Alaska, do to the pure beauty and scenery. He also wants to attend the "Greatest 2 minutes in sports" the Kentucky Derby and what native Kentuckian wouldn't want to do that.

Joe says his biggest inspiration is his father who instilled in him respect, work ethic and a taste for good bourbon.

Joe's first car
1973 Gremlin

Joe's first job:
Walgreen in
Latonia

PROGRAMS

STREET SWEEPING

The next round of sweeping is scheduled for the week of June 24th.

Street Sweeping History

Street sweeping is a vital operation, that most take for granted or do not realize it is even being done.

Street sweeping keeps areas clean. Whether its a parking lot or a street, the areas need to be clear of dirt and debris. A clean surface will prevent slips and falls or auto accidents that could cost thousands of dollars.

Secondly people take pride in a clean area. Residents enjoy a clean neighborhood and patrons enjoy shopping in a clean shopping center. A clean area provides a positive first impression.

Street sweeping will pick up harmful substances that contaminate the environment and could eventually make it to storm drains and our waterways. Street Sweeping is of paramount importance. Imagine what your property and streets would look like if left unattended. The dirt and grim would build up, properties would be unsightly. Water would not be able to reach the storm drains due to clogging which would cause flooding.

Residents can do their part by cleaning up yard debris grass clippings, leaves and limbs. Disposal of trash, debris and newspapers in a proper trash receptacle.

PROGRAMS

MONTHLY ROW/PARK CLEANUP

7	Rotations Completed
174	Bags Collected
110	Man Hours
618	Miles

STREET REPAIR

Team Members patched **30** potholes utilizing **2.63** tons of hot mix.

Zone #1-	2
Zone #2-	9
Zone #3-	4
Zone #4-	15

PROGRAMS

Mowing

Team Members have made 3 complete rounds of mowing for the month of May, utilizing 400 man hours.

PROGRAMS

PARKS

Team Members have completed mulching Sherbourne Park.

PROGRAMS

PARKS

Team Members mulched Safety Center East and added some river rock for a beautiful contrast of color.

PROGRAMS

PARKS

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Mulch beds leading into the Glades have been completed. All beds had preemergence added to try and battle those unwanted weeds.

PROGRAMS

Community Involvement

Members of Erlanger Christian Church volunteered to spread mulch at Flagship Park on Sunday May 19th.

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PROGRAMS

Community Involvement

Volunteers wheelbarrowing mulch
for spreading at Flagship Park.

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Community Involvement

A big thanks to Lindsey Hensley and her volunteers from Erlanger Christian Church along with Crew Leader Jason Iames for overseeing the mulching at Flagship 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. The Alpha and Beta Courts portion of these projects have been completed with just one more section of roadway left to be poured back on Kelli Ln. and Michelle Cr. for their completions.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

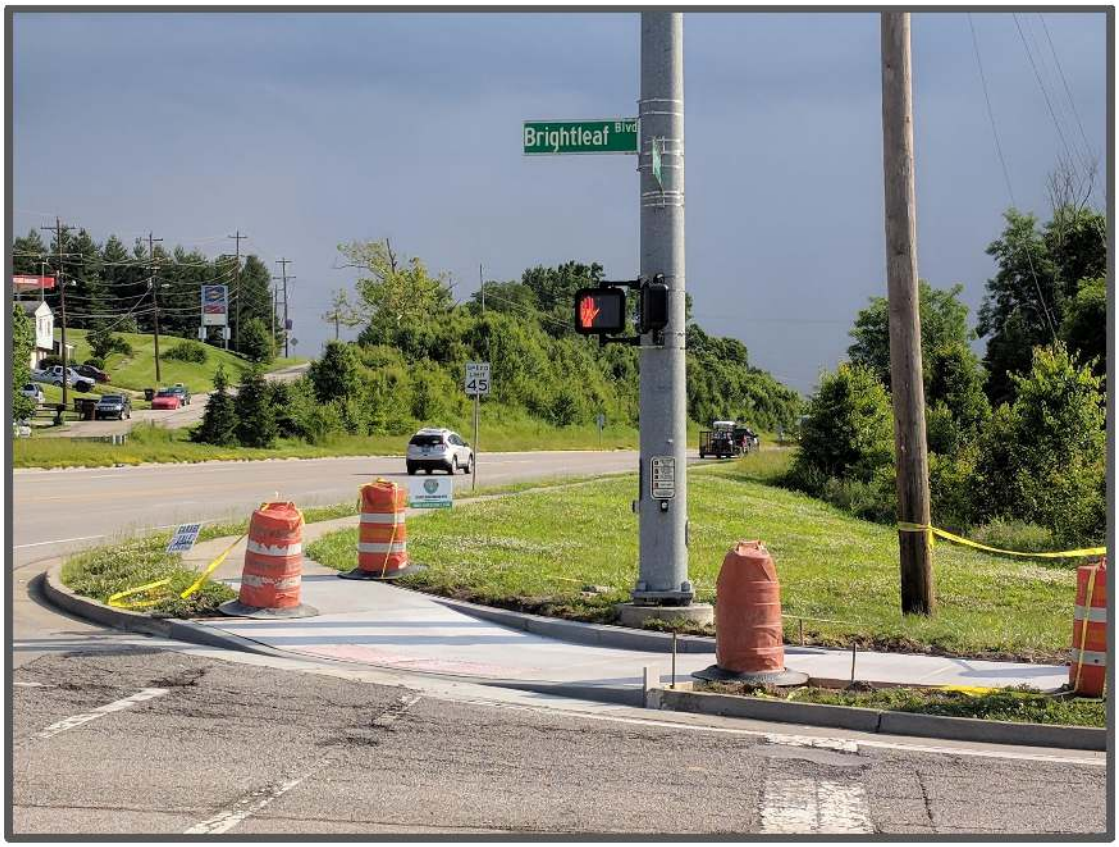
- The Center Street Improvement Project is underway with the drainage and full depth repairs being completed. Now that Center Street has the old asphalt milled off we have discovered further full depth repairs that need to be made before we proceed. The full depth repairs are being made this week with the leveling surface and curbs to follow.

- 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, on at the City Building (rear lots) and the other at Safety Center East (4100 Narrows Road)

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

- The Brightleaf Boulevard connector from Turkeyfoot Road to Narrows Road project is underway with the curb cuts removed and replaced with full curb along with the ADA sidewalk ramps replaced and up to standards. The new traffic loops that signal the traffic lights will be installed on Thursday June 6th with milling and overlay to follow.



TRAINING

- Team Members participated in training class on Understanding the Differences in People.

- Would like to congratulate Joe Daugherty and Bob Martin on passing the Certified Playground Safety Inspector Course.

- Team Members have been leading daily safety briefings on Warm Weather. example: sun protection, hydration, heat stroke and exhaustion.

UPCOMING TRAINING

- Communication class in Lexington KY.

- Chemical Spill class in Georgetown KY.

- Team Members daily briefing will talk about use of Hand Tools.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Bryce Staverman

Bryce Staverman's family have always been huge supporters of the Erlanger Public Works Team. So when they reached out to us and asked if we would like to participate in a Dixie Heights High School tradition "The Final Lap" with Bryce. We were extremely honored.

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Bryce and Public Works Member Bob Martin in the Dixie Heights Final Lap.

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Congratulations Bryce!
2019 Dixie Heights High School Graduate

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Anniversary

12 Years
6/4/19

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6/28/19