CITY NEWS

MESSAGE FROM MAYOR LOU HARTFIEL

A State of Emergency has been declared in the Commonwealth of Kentucky concerning the COVID-19 pandemic. As a community, we need to stay vigilant and do our part in curbing the spread of this pandemic through early intervention and practicing good hygiene. We are in communication with the Northern Kentucky Health Department as well as the Kenton County Homeland Security Emergency Management to stay informed about the situation. I ask for your support as we navigate through this unchartered territory.

A new date and/or any change in procedures will be posted on our website https://crescent-springs.ky.us in the next few weeks.

Cancelled Events/Programs/Meetings

In an effort to prevent the spread of the virus, I am cancelling all city events and meetings at the city building and city parks until further notice. This may be extended in the future depending on the impact this pandemic will have on our community and region.

Health and Safety of our First Responders and City Staff

The health and safety of our first responders and City staff is vital during this pandemic so they can address community needs as they arise. We have instituted internal protocols to minimize social gathering and interaction. All public/visitor access to the City Building is restricted until further notice. We are still available by phone at 859-331-3535 for general inquiries. In case of emergency call 911. For non-emergency situations call 859-356-3191. Thank you for your understanding and assistance to keep everyone safe.

CITY DECLARES STATE OF EMERGENCY CITY BUILDING CLOSED TO PUBLIC

Mayor Lou Hartfiel has issued a State of Emergency for the City of Crescent Springs in response to the worsening COVID-19 pandemic. Effective today March 17th, the Crescent Springs city building will be closed to the general public to protect residents and employees by limiting face-to-face contact. This order is in effect until Monday, April 30th

Mayor, Lou Hartfiel
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unless otherwise extended or suspended. The staff will continue to work and perform

their daily duties during this time; however, communication will be limited to phone and email in most cases.

Those with city business should call 859-341-3017 for direct assistance. Please refer to the city's website (https://crescent-springs.ky.us) and Facebook page (https://www.facebook.com/CrescentSprings) for most up-to-date information regarding the city.

The Mayor encourages all Crescent Springs citizens to limit social gatherings within the community to prevent the further spread of the COVID-19 virus.

We appreciate everyone's patience during this time and we apologize for any inconvenience.

Information Resources

It is important that we all stay informed about this pandemic. Here are a few resources that provide the best information:

Kentucky COVID-19 www.kycovid19.ky.gov

Northern Kentucky Health Department https://nkyhealth.org/individual-or-family/health-alerts/coronavirus/

Center for Disease Control https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html

In addition, Governor Andy Beshear is holding two press conferences a day that is being telecast live on Facebook, if you have access to social media. This is an excellent source of information to keep posted on issues statewide.

COVID-19 Hotline (800) 722-5725

In this time of the national health crisis our restaurants have been ordered to close their dining rooms. The following is a list of our local Crescent Springs restaurants that are still open for delivery and pick up. Please call them for availability and hours of operation. Once again we thank you for following the directive for social isolation but we need to stand together in spirit. Please support your local businesses.

City of Crescent Springs Restaurant & Food Services

Arby's Bonefish Grill Burger King	2517 Hazelwood Dr. 588 Buttermilk Pk. 337 Terry Ln.	341-1621	11a – 10p
Cancun Mexican Chipotle Mexican Grill	2313 Buttermilk Crossing 525 Buttermilk Pk.	331-0345 341-8111	Subject to Change/Close
Cincy Seafood	2301 Buttermilk Crossing		4:30p – 9:30p
Domino's Pizza Dunkin Donuts	2353 Buttermilk Crossing 2410 High St.	331-4040 331-4202	
Empire Buffet	570 Clock Tower Way	341-8009	Closed until further notice
Gold Star Chili	2516 Hazelwood Dr.	331-9426	
Guru Indian	2303 Buttermilk Crossing		11:30a – 9p
Jimmy John's	2404 High St.	331-1112	
Joella's Hot Chicken	2440 High St.	341-4444	
Kremer's Market	755 Buttermilk Pk.	341-1067	
LaRosa's Pizzeria	2446 Anderson Rd. #2	331-6221	
Lupita's Bakery	2351 Buttermilk Crossing	371-9300	
Marco's Pizza	598 Clock Tower Way	341-4300	
McDonald's	2513 Hazelwood Dr.	341-2232	
Miyako Sushi & Steakhouse	2511 Ritchie Ave.	578-0031	normal hours
Panera Bread	622 Buttermilk Pk. Ste. A	916-6049	
PeeWee's Place	2325 Anderson Rd	341-4977	9a – 7p
Penn Station	2355 Buttermilk Crossing	331-6585	
Remke Market	560 Clock Tower Way	331-4200	
Skyline Chili	550 Buttermilk Pk.	426-5929	11a – 9p
Subway Sandwiches	2522 Hazelwood Dr.	331-1313	
Sweet Basil Thai & Sushi	2520 Hazelwood Dr.	331-0666	Call for hours
Taco Bell	609 Emily Dr.	331-1936	
Velvet Smoke	564 Buttermilk Pk.	360-1769	
Walgreens	606 Buttermilk Pk.	344-1824	

RESPONSE TO FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL DECLARATIONS OF EMERGENCY

City of Crescent Spring's staff will continue to serve this community as best as is possible in the face of declarations of emergency from Washington, Frankfort, and Kenton County. Staff recognizes that many of the services we provide are integral to the safety of our local and regional residents and commits to work through challenges as they present themselves to our operations.

We provide the following parameters for City of Crescent Springs operations from March 17th through April 30th at which time city procedures will be reevaluated.

The annual community Easter Egg Hunt, scheduled previously for Saturday, April 4, has been canceled. With the potential spread of the Coronavirus being so unpredictable, we want to minimize the risk of infection. The event will not be rescheduled. It is our main priority as City Officials to keep our property owners and their guest's safe at all times.

Shelter reservations will not be taken for dates through April 30th.

Matters scheduled for public meetings with staff and before city council and any other board or committee will be rescheduled out of caution for members, the public and staff health.

The Crescent Springs city building will be closed to the public. We strongly encourage you to use phone-in service, email, or our website https://crescent-springs.ky.us if at all possible. This is as much about your health as it is about staff's.

Staff members may work from their homes depending on individual circumstances. Depending on the subject, this may not necessitate a postponement of needed conversations and/or guidance. You may be asked to leave a message and staff will return your call as soon as possible. Emails will be a welcomed method of communication.

Staff has been instructed to provide as much care as possible to avoid facilitating the virus. They will follow the safety protocols recommended by the US Centers for Disease Control and Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services.

Staff will continue to process city business paperwork as quickly as possible. If you need assistance with any of these types of issues please call the City offices for support.

Declarations and events may warrant changes to these parameters without much notice. If that happens, we will distribute those changes through our social media platforms on the website https://crescent-springs.ky.us and Facebook.

CINCINNATI BELL

Answers to questions about what steps Cincinnati Bell is taking to ensure community members have ongoing access to broadband, voice, and other important services can be found at https://www.cincinnatibell.com/special-pages/coronavirus

DUKE ENERGY

Duke Energy power plants, and electricity and natural gas delivery facilities, are staffed, ensuring dependable service to customers. Visit www.DukeEnergyUpdates.com for complete customer information, including answers to frequently asked questions.

CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS/SPECTRUM

Kentucky households with K-12 or college students that do not already have broadband access can call 1-844-488-8395 to receive free Spectrum broadband service and WiFi access for 60 days



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2020 COMMUNITY EVENTS

Saturday, April 4th

Easter Egg Hunt 1pm - CANCELLED

May 1st & 2nd City-wide Yard Sale

Saturday, May 16th

5K Armed Forces Run/Walk Reg. 7:30am Race 8:30am

Sunday, May 24th Veteran's Memorial Service 2 pm

Monday, Sept. 11th 9/11 Memorial Ceremony 7pm

Saturday, September 19th Music Fest 5 –10:30 pm

Saturday, October 24th Halloween in the Park 1pm

Sunday, November 8th Veteran's Day Service 2pm

Saturday, Dec. 5th Christmas in the Park 5:30-8:30pm

City-wide Yard Sale - Joint City Yard Sale!!!

We're partnering with Villa Hills again this year for a giant 2-city yard sale on May 1st & 2nd. Hours are 9AM – 3PM.

Copies of the map and address list will be available at www.villahillsky.org and at the city office the week of the yard sale. Registration is free.

To sign up – residents of Villa Hills and Crescent Springs- just email ABailey@villahillsky.org. Provide your street address and indicate which day/days you are holding your sale.

Kenton County Spring Clean-Up

Kenton County Public Works is hosting their annual Spring Clean-Up May 7th-9th. More information regarding locations, hours, and accepted items will be updated closer to the event. This event is intended for private Kenton County residents. You may be asked to show proof of residency. Hazardous material and waste will NOT be accepted at any of the locations. Hazardous items include, but are not limited to, paint, household cleaners and pesticides.

Due to the current circumstances all events are subject to change or cancellation.

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Shelter Reservations

Shelters will not be rented for any dates through April 30th at this time. We will take reservations for rentals after this date for Shelter #2 and Shelter #3. The rental is \$40 for residents and \$80 for non-residents. Please call the City Building to reserve your date. 859-341-3017

Kentucky Veterans Hall Of Fame

If you know of a veteran that has lived in the state for a minimum of 5 years and has served their community well after discharge, please contact the city offices to nominate them! Posthumous nominations will be considered, as well.

NEW BUSINESSES

Now Open!!

There have been a lot of new businesses open since the end of last year as well as some location changes.

Cincy Seafood - 2301 Buttermilk Crossing

AT&T - 2426 Sarah Lane

Pearle Vision - Panera Bread Plaza

Mr. Spotless Car Wash - 515 Terry Lane

Big League Haircuts - 2418 Sarah Lane

Coming Soon!!

Sportsman's Warehouse — 520 Clocktower Way

NOTICE

The majority of the city's restaurants are still open for business via carryout or delivery. Please see the enclosed list of businesses for more information.