



St. Matthews Living

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NOVEMBER 2016

Ad valorem tax discount raised to 44%

To offset extra costs incurred by the increase in property taxes this fall, St. Matthews City Council has voted to increase the discount offered on the ad valorem tax to 44%. All residents who pay their taxes before Oct. 31 will receive this discount.

For those unfamiliar with the ad valorem tax, it is a property tax collected by all cities from owners of property within city limits based on the assessed value of the property. Earlier this year, homes in St. Matthews and adjoining areas had their property values reassessed by the Jefferson County Property Valuation Department for the first time since 2007. The Jefferson County PVA is a Kentucky state constitutional office whose job is to assess property at its real value. PVA staff members met with St. Matthews residents at the St. Matthews Eline Library in April and May to answer questions concerning their taxes.

The City of St. Matthews does not have its own assessment department. In order to calculate the correct taxes owed, the City purchased the assessment data from the Jefferson County Property Valuation Assessment Department at a cost of \$50,000.

After evaluating the PVA data, the City was concerned that those residents who pay their tax bills through an escrow account would most likely have to add more out of pocket this year, as the escrow account would not have reserved enough funds to pay this year's tax bills. "St. Matthews residents live in one of the most desirable communities in Jefferson County," said Mayor Rick Tonini. "The new PVA assessments are reflective of that popularity and have caused an unexpected tax for many residents. Though the City of St. Matthews had no control over the unexpected tax debt, we felt that we should do what we could to lessen the tax burden for our residents."

The ad valorem tax rate will remain at 20 cents per 100 and is due by the end of the year. However, for residents electing to pay their taxes by Oct. 31, the City's Mayor and Council voted to increase the ad valorem tax discount from 40% to 44%. The City

hopes the additional tax discount will help offset some of the out of pocket expense that residents will have this year. Mayor Tonini continued, "The City Council and I are sensitive to decisions that affect our citizens and do our best to assist and support them. We want to continue to be good stewards of City funds while maintaining the great services that makes St. Matthews one of Louisville's most sought after



The Jefferson County PVA assessed St. Matthews houses this past summer for the first time since 2007.

communities."

Some of the services St. Matthews residents enjoy include an outstanding Public Works Department that labors to improve City parks for everyone's enjoyment, provides a fall leaf pickup service, and maintains streets during all types of weather, allowing residents to travel and

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A Message From...

As the holiday season approaches and you choose where to spend your hard earned dollars, consider buying gifts at local St. Matthews businesses. You can find great gifts while strengthening your local economy, saving gas, and

getting to know your neighbors.

And while you're getting to know your local shop owners, why not reach out to your St. Matthews mayor and City council? They are always ready to hear your concerns or to learn your views on our city.

Use the Call St. Matthews system at 638-4STM (638-4786), then press 1 for City Administration. For email, go to stmatthewsky.gov and click on "Contact Us" under Communications. Let us hear from you!

Sign up for Reach Alert

Sign up for Reach Alert to get notices from the City. It's FREE!

Two levels of communication provide either emergency notices only or both emergency and community notices. Some examples of alerts are:

- Street closures
- Helpful City reminders
- SMPD safety alerts
- Community event notices

Notification options include text, email, and/or phone.

Home, apartment, and business residents may register for Reach Alert notifications at no charge. Residents may also register loved ones.

Take a moment to sign up online at www.reachalert.com or by calling Reach Alert at 1-877-307-9313.



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Hometown History

1877

Where do you think this picture was taken in 1877? See p. 11 to solve this issue's Hometown History mystery.



Louisville Gas & Electric

502-589-1444

Fast path options are: 1-1-1 (gas) and 1-1-2 (electric).

Emergency Contact Numbers

Louisville Water Company

502-583-6610

To report emergencies like water main breaks or broken fire hydrants.

Easy Being Green



2017 tree planting

Now is the time to get on the spring 2017 tree

planting list. St. Matthews will plant free trees in rights-of-way for residents who call City Hall and request to be added to the list. Depending on the weather, Public Works will begin planting after the ground remains thawed in the spring. Tree planting not only beautifies the City but contributes to the overall effort to support the tree canopy.

In some situations, a request may not be filled. Examples of situations where planting may not be possible include the presence of underground utilities or overhead lines, proximity to drainage catch basins, and potential visual obstruction at an intersection. To learn whether you are eligible, please call City Hall.

Using wood fireplaces

More than one-third of Americans use fireplaces, wood stoves, and other fuel-fired appliances as primary heat sources in their homes. The U.S. Fire Administration encourages you to practice the following fire safety steps to keep those home fires safely burning:

- Have your chimney or wood stove inspected and cleaned annually
- Clear the area around the hearth of debris
- Leave glass doors open while burning a fire to ensure complete combustion
- Close glass doors when the fire is out to keep air from the chimney opening from getting into the room
- Use a metal mesh screen with fireplaces that do not have a glass fireplace door
- Use fire-resistant materials on walls around wood stoves

- Never use flammable liquids to start a fire or leave a fire in the fireplace unattended
- Allow ashes to cool before disposing of them and saturate them with water
- Stack firewood outdoors at least 30 feet away from your home
- Keep the roof clear of leaves, pine needles, and other debris
- Cover the chimney with a mesh screen spark arrester
- Install smoke alarms, test them monthly, and change the batteries at least once a year

Christmas tree disposal

To dispose of your Christmas tree, set it by the street on your regularly scheduled trash day.



Recycling is collected every other week on the same day as trash on weeks highlighted in red. Holidays are marked in blue and will delay recycling and trash one day.

November 2016

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January 2017

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Police Beat

New vests inserts

St. Matthews Police Department has purchased new bulletproof vest inserts that can withstand a rifle bullet. Former bulletproof chest plates were designed to handle the force of handgun ammunition. The new chest plates are slightly heavier in weight, but still manageable for officers to wear comfortably.

The expense of the new chest plates was paid for with Forfeiture Funds, which are monies awarded to SMPD from drug arrests and seizures after convictions.



Facebook page not for emergencies

Though the St. Matthews Police Department has created a new Facebook page, it is not staffed 24/7 like the police station. Always report suspicious activity and crimes in progress directly to SMPD at 893-9000 or dial 911.

To anonymously report information about a previously committed crime, call the SMPD Tip Line at 498-CLUE (2583).

Narcan, lockout kits

Since being equipped with Narcan kits, between June 1 and Sept. 13 alone St. Matthews officers have successfully administered over 20 doses to approximately 10 individuals who were then transported to area hospitals. Narcan is a life-

saving drug used to help reverse the effects of opioid or heroin overdoses. Because police are typically first responders at the scene of an overdose, SMPD Police Chief Norm Mayer suggested that each of the three patrol beats in St. Matthews have an officer equipped with a Narcan kit.

Besides the Narcan kits, SMPD has purchased lockout kits to assist in the rescue of children locked in hot vehicles. A few minutes can make the difference in life and death in this kind of emergency.



Crime Buzz

Block watch

St. Matthews Police Department wants to know if you are interested in organizing a block watch. A block watch is an organized group of neighborhood residents who watch out for criminal and suspicious behavior and report it to local law enforcement and, additionally, share the information with neighbors. This strategy attempts to provide local law enforcement with additional eyes and ears to

watch out for all types of criminal activity and promote neighborhood security.



residential burglary and other crimes around the home, such as larceny and vandalism. Their presence can also help deter criminals who would attempt

Community crime watches can address all types of crime, but their primary focus is typically

to conduct drug- or gang-related activities in a neighborhood.

If you are interested in forming a neighborhood watch, contact St. Matthews Police Officer Troy Armstrong at Troy.armstrong@stmatthews.ky.gov.

Crime prevention

As the holiday shopping season fast approaches, be aware that not everyone has the holiday spirit. Criminals are looking for

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“good deals” as well! When possible, place valuables in your car out of sight or in your trunk when in parking lots or even your home driveways. Park close to the entrance and under lighting when possible and always lock your vehicle.

Don’t leave your car running when you are not in it. It’s not only a theft hazard, it’s illegal.

After purchasing that new big-screen TV or other expensive item, remember to place the boxes in a trash receptacle and not on the curb. Criminals have been known to cruise neighborhoods looking to see what you have placed out for trash as a way to judge your residence as a potential target.

Don’t pile presents under your Christmas tree in front of a window. This only serves as an invitation to burglars to break in.

As always, if you see something suspicious, call immediately to report it. The St. Matthews Police Department is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and, no, you are not bothering them.

Report unauthorized Solicitors to SMPD

Per City of St. Matthews ordinance 14-09, every person desiring to engage in soliciting in the City of St. Matthews, is required to obtain a City Certificate of Registration. The certificate should be carried by the solicitor, and both this certificate and the County Clerk/Metro certificate should be displayed upon request.

The ordinance also specifies that it is unlawful, whether a registered solicitor or not, to solicit before 9 a.m. or after 7 p.m. on weekdays and Saturdays and any time on Sunday or on a state or national holiday.

Free house watches

SMPD offers free House watches for residents on vacation or away from home for other reasons. Just telephone SMPD at 893-9000 to schedule.

Community meeting on neighborhood safety to be held Oct. 19

At a meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 19, St. Matthews Police will be sharing safety tips and answering questions from the community. The meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the first floor council chambers at St. Matthews City Hall.

ID This Person

Check out www.idthisperson.com if you believe you can ID a criminal. New pictures are posted daily. Anonymous tipsters may receive a \$25 reward

Park Place

Table for 12, please!

Cooler fall weather makes it the perfect season to get outdoors with the family. Why not reserve a pavilion at Brown, Community, or Warwick Park? Pavilions can be reserved for a specific date and time, at no charge, by any person in the community – St. Matthews residency is not required.

Anyone interested in reserving a pavilion must visit the City Administrative Office during regular business hours to complete a reservation form and

provide photo identification. A brochure regarding park pavilion reservations is available at City Hall or online at www.stmatthewsky.gov under the Community tab.

Don’t need a table? Take a walk in any of the City’s four parks and enjoy the fall foliage. You won’t need to tip Mother Nature.



Code Words

Vehicle parking

The Code Enforcement Department has received multiple complaints regarding the number and placement of vehicles parked at residences.

As a general rule, no more than four passenger vehicles may be parked at a residential lot, including in the driveway and on the right-of-way along the street in front of the residence. Any vehicle that is not a passenger vehicle may not be parked at a residence. Any truck or similar vehicle with dual rear wheels is not allowed at residential property.

No vehicle may be parked in the front yard of a residence at any time.

If a vehicle is parked along the right-of-way, there are certain rules that must be followed:

- Vehicle must be parked heading in same direction as traffic flow on the same side
- Vehicle may not be parked so as to create an impassable obstruction of roadway
- Vehicle must be at least 30 feet from any stop sign or corner on either side of street

Sidewalk impairment

Another significant issue is the impairment of public sidewalks. In addition to vehicles being parked completely across a sidewalk, all too often a vehicle is parked so that the bumper or other extension of the vehicle

partially blocks a sidewalk. The entire width of the sidewalk must be kept clear and free from obstruction.

The Americans with Disabilities Act requires the City to make every effort to ensure sidewalks are not obstructed. Please be a good and considerate citizen and do not create a problem for others using City sidewalks.



Library expansion plans take shape

As planning for the expansion of the St. Matthews Eline Library continues, some details regarding the additional 11,300 square feet of space are emerging.

The Children's area will be enlarged and a Read to Me

Room will be added as well as an outdoor Children's Garden. Additional seating and reading areas for the adult section are built into the plan as are two enclosed study areas and large and small conference rooms.

A new geothermal HVAC system will ensure the comfort of patrons in any season.

The City Hall campus will likewise be revitalized with separated designated parking lots and entrances for the library, police station, and City Hall. There will be land-

scape improvements throughout the campus. Green technology is incorporated into the landscape plan via pervious pavers. Pervious pavers serve the same purpose as pavement, but because there is a bed of small stones beneath them and between them, water can soak through where it can be filtered back into the soil.

Current library plans are being finalized to form a cost estimate. After the planning phase, the project will be put out to construction companies for bids. The goal is to begin work the first quarter of 2017.



Your Works at Work

Football is back, and it won't be long until the autumn breeze starts affecting the leaves. But don't fear – your Public Works Crew is here! Here's what was accomplished last quarter:

Completed Projects

- Removed summer storm debris
- Patched pot holes
- Planted, trimmed, watered, and mulched beds in City and parks
- Completed regrading existing storm drainage ditches along Massie
- Installed a drainage system in alley between Brown and Sherrin
- Regraded crushed stone alley between Iola and Oxford (Frankfort to Beverly)
- Performed "green-ups" on Norbourne and St. Germaine

- Filled sinkhole on Briarwood
- Repaired catch basin on Virginia damaged by water main break
- Cleared and trimmed multiple alleys and drainage ditches in Warwick area
- Repaved portions of Winchester, Washington Square, Dupont Road, Dupont Circle, and Corn Island

Current Projects

- Beginning storm drainage project along Oechsli Avenue and behind a few houses on Brown Avenue
- Working with MSD to create a drainage project between Kentucky and Washburn
- Paving alley between Brown Avenue and Sherrin and alley between Iola and Oxford

- Landscaping entrance to Springhill Road at Browns Lane and Breckenridge
- Working with MSD and Metro on spot drainage improvement on Wendover

Future Projects

- Spot drainage improvement at Hycliffe and Breckenridge
- Spot drainage improvement on Wiltshire
- Phased street sign replacement project throughout City
- Possible road widening of Primrose from Dellridge to Westport
- Improvements to City Hall and Eline Library

St. Matthews 10-year-olds win state tournament

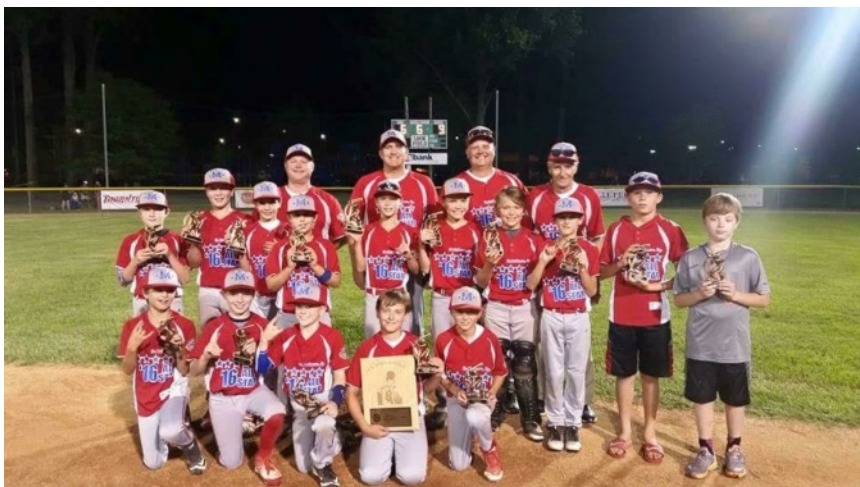
The 2016 St. Matthews Baseball and Softball season was a fun and successful one with increased youth enrollment and three teams playing in state tournaments.

The organization's 10 year old team went undefeated and won the state tournament, advancing to the regional level where they took third place. Each team player and coach received a letter of congratulations from St. Matthews Mayor Rick Tonini at the City Council's Aug. 23 meeting.

The organization's nine year old team was the state tournament runner up and qualified for the regional tournament.

Registration for the 2017 season opens Jan. 1. To register, visit www.stmatthewsbaseballand

softball.com. Join the fun next summer at St. Matthews Community Park.



The 10 year old "boys of summer" on St. Matthews Baseball's Cal Ripkin team earned the 2016 State Championship.

Seasons Greetings

Halloween in Brown Park to be held Oct. 29

Get ready, all you princesses, goblins, and jedis. This year's Halloween in Brown Park will be held Saturday, Oct. 29, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Trick-or-treating runs from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Free parking is available at the Baptist Health Doctors Building across the street from the hospital. Do not park at the hospital. Come dressed in your best costume for this free, community event.



Brown Park to light up St. Matthews on Dec. 3

Light Up St. Matthews has been a tradition for decades for hundreds of residents and visitors to St. Matthews. This year, the annual celebration launching the holiday season is expanding its light display by adding eight new displays.

Light Up St. Matthews begins Saturday, Dec. 3, at 4 p.m. with the customary celebration of

cookies and hot chocolate, a live DJ, pictures with Santa and

Mrs. Claus, horse drawn carriage rides through the park, activities for the kids, and fun for the entire family. All activities

start under the big tent. At 6 p.m. the event concludes with

Santa turning on the lights throughout the park.

The park's holiday lights will remain lit throughout the park each evening for the viewing enjoyment of residents and visitors until after New Year's Day.

The annual event is held at Brown Park in St. Matthews, located on Kresge Way next to Baptist Health hospital. Parking for the event will be at 4007 Kresge Way, a part of the Baptist Health Louisville Campus directly across from the hospital.



Alexander Hamilton Historical Society of Kentucky

The Alexander Hamilton Historical Society of Kentucky meets in the second floor meeting room of the St. Matthews-Eline Library at 10:30 a.m. All meetings are open to the public.

Nov. 19

Retired Naval Academy Professor of History Dr. Richard Werking will review *The Idea of*

America: Reflections of the Birth of the United States, by Gordon S. Wood, who sees the revolution as a pivotal event that infuses "into our culture all of our highest aspirations and noblest values."

Dec. 17

The society is celebrating its tenth anniversary. The subject is to be announced.

Jan 21

University of Louisville's Dr. John McLeod will review *Revolution on the Hudson: New York City and the Hudson River Valley in the American War of Independence*, by George C. Daughan. The British believed control of the Hudson was the key to the war's outcome, but the author posits this strategy cost them the Colonies.

The Woman's Club of St. Matthews



The Woman's Club of St. Matthews meets the fourth Monday of each month at 11 a.m. in the St. Matthews Community Center at 310 Ten Pin Lane. For more information, call Bev Potts at 896-6575 or visit the club's website at WCSM.org to learn

about upcoming events and programs.

Upcoming programs

Oct. 24

Brandon Edwards of the Louisville Vet Center will discuss how the center supports and serves military veterans of different ages

and circumstances. He will also share how the general public can help with this vital support.

Nov. 28

The club will make flower arrangements for shut-ins to be distributed through Senior Care Experts.

Good Neighboring

Catch basins

Keep catch basins clear of leaves and debris to prevent flooding.

Appliance and junk pick up

As you acquire new things over the holidays, remember that Rumpke is only contracted to pick up one large item at the time of your regular garbage collection. If you have several items to dispose of, please contact Rumpke directly at 502-568-3800. They may schedule a special pickup and advise you of any additional charges you might incur.

Get ready for snow

When it snows, remove cars or other obstructions from the streets so that Works Department snowplows can get through.

After heavy snowfalls and when sidewalks are icy, garbage cans must be carried to the street. Be a good neighbor and clear snowy sidewalks.



Street lights

When clocks turn back Sunday, Nov. 6, residents will want to double their efforts to watch for children walking to school or waiting for

the bus in the dark. Working street lights are especially important for the safety of children. To report an out of service street light or one that burns all day, telephone 638-4STM (4786) and select option 2, then option 4.

Tree maintenance

Tree maintenance is the homeowner's responsibility. Call Daryl Cleary, City arborist at 899-2544 for advice on proper trimming. No tree in the City's right-of-way should be removed without prior approval from the City.

Leaf collection just around the corner

Leaf collection begins the last full week of October or the first week in November, depending on leaf fall.

To participate in the leaf pick up program, leaves should be raked to the edge of the front of the property but not



into the street. Crews will remove leaves along the street, utilizing a vacuum system. Each area is scheduled to be covered only once; however, should time and weather permit, a possible second sweep may occur.

If you have placed your leaves at the street edge of your property and have

been missed by our crews, please contact City Hall at 895-9444.

Leaves can also be disposed of at the time of your regularly scheduled garbage pick-up. Leaves must be placed in trash containers marked "Yard Waste" or in biodegradable yard bags. Free "Yard Waste" stickers for your trash containers can be pick up at St. Matthews City Hall.

Hot Off the Press

Ambulances purchased for fire district protection

Two ambulances, stretchers, and medical supplies have been ordered to begin serving the St. Matthews Fire Protection District this fall.

Last year, Fire Chief William J. Seng saw the need for an ambulance service to better serve the residents of the St. Matthews and surrounding areas and asked the fire district's Board of Trustees to allow him to investigate the possibility. As a result, the St. Matthews Fire Protection District Holding Company applied to the State of Kentucky for a Certificate of Need to operate two ambulances.

The current operational model calls for one ambulance to be assigned to each of the district's two fire stations. The CSX railroad tracks divide the district in half with Station #1 located at 240 Sears Avenue and Station #2 located at 4400 Brownsboro Road.

The Fire Protection District protects 10 small cities: Beechwood Village, Bellwood,

Brownsboro Village, Druid Hills, Indian Hills, Maryhill Estates, Norbourne Estates, Rolling Fields, St. Matthews, Windy Hills, and Woodlawn Park. Each of the small cities was supportive of the new ambulances during the hearing process in Frankfort.

The ambulances will be placed in service as soon as personnel are hired and the Kentucky Board of Emergency Medical Service completes a new service inspection.

Fire station receives overhaul

If you have driven by the intersection of Brownsboro Road and Hubbard's Lane you may have noticed that St. Matthews Fire Station #2 looks



a little different. The fire district is in the middle of a major remodeling project at the 27 year old station. Built in

1989 to better serve homes and businesses north of the railroad tracks, the station housed only volunteer firemen until 2000 when the station was staffed with a 24/7 career crew of four firefighter EMTs.

In 2015 the station hired Luckett & Farley Architects, Engineers & Construction Managers, Inc. to review the current layout and needs of the building. A plan was submitted to the fire district trustees for their approval.

The project includes working primarily on both sides of the station apparatus bays. The current living spaces on the quarry side of the building will be remodeled to include a new restroom and kitchen, as well as updated bedrooms.

An addition to the Brownsboro Road side will incorporate a new office, exercise room, and laundry facility.

David Construction was awarded the bid to perform the renovation work, which is scheduled to be completed early in 2017.

MetroCall 311 answers your questions

Topics that should be addressed to MetroCall 311 rather than the City of St. Matthews are:

- Potholes on Metro Louisville or state roads
- Unsynchronized stop lights
- Electronics or machinery disposal
- Animal control
- Mosquito problems
- Structural maintenance complaints
- Strange odors

- Elections
- Jefferson County events
- Metro-wide ordinances

For more information, visit MetroCall's website at <https://louisvilleky.gov/government/metrocall-311>.

Ad valorem tax

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conduct business safely and efficiently.

The City has a fully accredited police department that has a strong presence in the community, effectively protecting citizens and visitors using cutting edge equipment, methods, and technology.

This year, the City of St. Matthews is making a major financial investment in its residents' educational resources with the expansion of the Eline Library (see article on p. 6).

"Your government is here to provide the best service we can for our residents," concluded

Mayor Tonini. "We hope giving a further tax discount to those who pay by Oct. 31 will provide some relief to the property owners in St. Matthews."

Eline Library: Check it out

Nov. 1-30

Cards for Soldiers

Supplies will be available during library hours for children, ages 0-18, to make cards to send to soldiers serving overseas.

Nov. 8, 2:30 p.m.

Getting Back to Biking

Join Louisville Bicycle Tours for this one-hour workshop to discuss what it takes to ride a bike well into your golden years. Discussion includes the use of proper equipment, health concerns, how to choose the proper bike, and how to plan a safe route.

Nov. 12, 10:00 a.m.

ACT Basics

This session provides an introduction to the ACT, including what will be covered on the test, strategies for studying, and how to approach test day. Please call 574-1771 to register 7th through 12th grade students.

Nov. 29, 2:30 p.m.

Lost Houses of Louisville

Our city is known as a great place to live, but we have lost many fine homes due to fire, urban renewal, and demolition for other newer buildings. Steve Wiser will provide



a memoriam of beautiful estates and streetscapes that once graced Louisville, including the Breckinridge/Caldwell House and the Burks Houses.

Dec. 1-23

Cards for Seniors

Supplies will be available during library hours for children, ages 0-18, to make cards to send to senior citizens who are residents in St. Matthews area nursing and retirement homes.

Hometown History - 2016

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Early in 1877, brothers Louis H. and John E. Bauer purchased the two-story, brick grocery and tavern at the crossroads that Henry Holzheimer erected and operated after he purchased the site from Daniel Gilman in 1871. Later, their younger brother, Henry, joined their venture. (Information found in St. Matthews, The Crossroads of Beargrass by Samuel W. Thomas.)

NOW

Today, the land is occupied by Gross Diamond Co. and St. Matthews Hardware. The latter was established in 1921.



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Tim Holland

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Martha Schade

Tony Weiter

Patrick Wissing

**Council meetings begin at 7 p.m. on
the second and fourth Tuesday of
each month.**

City Council meeting minutes are
online at www.stmatthewsky.gov.

REACH ALERT

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community service notifications
through St. Matthews' Reach Alert
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638-4STM (4786)

Administration Press 1

Services Press 2

News Press 3

Police Press 4

Government Access

City Hall Office: 895-9444

Code Enforcement: 899-2512

Police Department: 893-9000

City Engineer: 899-2518

Public Works: 899-2517

Property Taxes: 899-2511

Police Records: 899-2537

Anonymous Tip Line:

**498-CLUE
(2583)**

Emergency: 911