



# Beechwood Village

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## Paving The Way

Everyone likes a smooth drive. So, the Beechwood Village City Council has prioritized a new round of street repaving. First on the list are Sage Road, Ring Road, and Cordova Road.

Before paving, these streets will be milled to remove the top layer of old pavement. This helps the new pavement bond more solidly, and also prevents the streets from growing higher and higher over time.

The planning process is already underway. Final timing of the paving projects will depend on the weather and the availability of contractors.

## Holding The Line On Taxes

While some cities are raising taxes, Beechwood Village is keeping its property tax rate the same for the 2020-2021 fiscal year. This is the third consecutive year our tax rate has remained flat. Your city government works hard to deliver quality services, while keeping a close eye on expenses. We're proud to hold your taxes low.



## Register To Vote

Voting is one of our most sacred American rights. In order to exercise it, though, you have to be registered. If you need to register for the first time or update your current voter registration, you can do it online. Just visit: <https://vrsws.sos.ky.gov/ovrweb/>. The deadline to register for the November 3rd election is 4PM, Monday, October 5th.

If you are interested in Absentee Voting, information is available at: <http://elections.jeffersoncountyclerk.org/mail-in-absentee-voting/>.

## Your 2020 City Council Candidates

All seats on the Beechwood Village City Council will be up for election on November 3rd.

Here are the candidates who will appear on this year's ballot:

Mary Ellen BAKER	(Cordova Road)
Kelly CARLS*	(Marshall Drive)
Andrew CONLISK*	(Marshall Drive)
Lora COOMES*	(Biltmore Road)
Mary-Gwynne DOUGHERTY*	(Marshall Drive)
Phyllis SKONICKI*	(Marshall Drive)

\* = Incumbent

## Criminal Nuisance Ordinance

Beechwood Village has adopted a new Criminal Nuisance Ordinance. This new ordinance augments the original Nuisance Ordinance adopted in 2019.

The purpose of the Criminal Nuisance Ordinance is to target criminal activity, repeat violations, and incidents involving multiple law enforcement actions. The ordinance also holds landlords accountable for activities at their rental properties.

For more information on the new Criminal Nuisance Ordinance, please visit [www.beechwoodvillage.org](http://www.beechwoodvillage.org), and click on the "Ordinances" tab.



## Who You Gonna Call?

In Beechwood Village, we receive public services from several different providers.

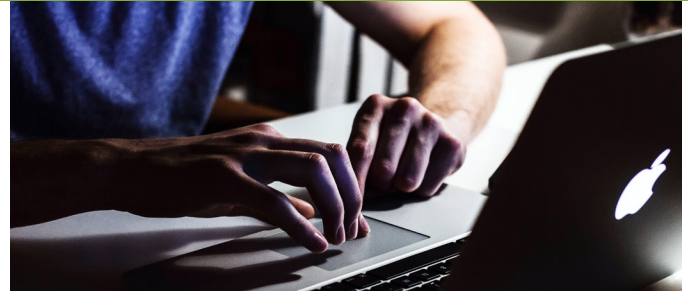
If you have a question about trash collection, recycling, yard waste, or special pickups, contact Waste Management at (502) 966-0117, or online at: <https://www.wm.com/us/customer-support/question>.

Our Fire Protection service is provided by St. Matthews Fire And Rescue. For non-emergency questions (fire safety, smoke alarms, etc.), call (502) 893-7825. For fire emergencies, dial 9-1-1.

Community policing is handled by the Graymoor-Devondale Police Department. For non-emergency questions or concerns, call (502) 327-COPS (2677). In any emergency situation, dial 9-1-1.

In the event of a medical emergency, always call 9-1-1 as quickly as possible.

For investigation of potential city code and ordinance violations, please email: [code@beechwoodvillage.org](mailto:code@beechwoodvillage.org).



## City Information With A Click

The Beechwood Village city website is full of useful local information. You can find updates on community events, city services, and ongoing projects. Village ordinances are posted there, as well as important contact information for city officials, government agencies, and service providers. When you need to know something about Beechwood Village, please visit: [www.beechwoodvillage.org](http://www.beechwoodvillage.org).

## Calendar of Events

### Tuesday, September 8

Monthly City Council Meeting

### Monday, October 5

Deadline To Register To Vote

### Tuesday, October 13

Monthly City Council Meeting

### Tuesday, November 3

Election Day

### Tuesday, November 10

Monthly City Council Meeting

### Tuesday, December 8

Monthly City Council Meeting



## Fall Lawn Care

Autumn means cooler temperatures will be on the way. For most of us in Beechwood Village, it also means working on the lawn and picking up leaves. Here are some tips to get the job done right:

By ordinance, grass in Beechwood Village must be kept to no more than 6 inches long. Please make sure you're mowing regularly.

Leaves and grass clippings should be bagged or placed in a separate can/tote and left next to the street at the front of the property.

Leaf bags must be made of paper or other biodegradable material. Leaves and yard waste left in regular plastic garbage bags will not be picked up.

Twigs, limbs, and branches must be placed in their own can/tote, or tied in bundles. Bundles

should measure no more than 4 feet long and 6 inches in diameter, and should not weigh more than 50 pounds.

Loose piles of leaves, limbs, or branches will not be picked up. Neither will stumps, tree trunks, large limbs, and items which do not meet the specifications above.

Leaf burning is strictly prohibited in Beechwood Village.

Yard waste is collected on Mondays, the same as regular trash and recycling.

Please be a good neighbor and attend to your yard waste in a timely fashion. Also, if you own a rental property, please ensure your tenants understand how the yard waste collection process works.

