



Your Callaway Connection

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MEETING SCHEDULE

COMMISSION MEETING
Tuesday, July 10, 2018

COMMISSION MEETING
Tuesday, July 24, 2018

CODE ENFORCEMENT
Thursday, July 26, 2018

Meeting agendas are posted at City Hall, on the City's website and provided to the local media prior to the meetings. Please call the City Clerk at 215-6694 to confirm information for a specific meeting.

All meetings are public and held at 6:00 pm, unless reflected above, at the Arts and Conference Center, 500 Callaway Park Way.



OPEN POSITIONS

- ◆ Firefighter
- ◆ Utility Service Worker I

For detailed descriptions visit:
www.cityofcallaway.com/jobs

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING!!!

YARD OF THE MONTH PROGRAM - The City's Yard of the Month Program is underway! Nominations will be accepted April through October and can be made by e-mailing recommendations, including address and pictures, by the 15th of each month to the City Clerk at yardofthemonth@cityofcallaway.com.

ORD. NO. 984 - On May 8, 2018, Commission adopted Ordinance No. 984, which restricts placement of trash and large items collected by the City to no earlier than 12:00 p.m. on the day before your designated collection day. You will still be able to place yard debris curbside on Saturday before your designated collection day.

COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULE - Commission, at its April 24th meeting, voted to resume twice a month meetings in lieu of once a month with a preceding workshop. The new schedule is the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.



BAY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

CALLAWAY STATION

252 N. STAR AVENUE

MAIN PHONE: 850-248-2176

CRIME PREVENTION TIPS



- Please lock your doors.
- Please keep exterior doors, windows, and garage doors closed and locked.
- Please obey traffic laws.
- Please beware of phone scams, DON'T give personal information out over the phone.
- Destroy personal information on documents before discarding them, use a shredder if possible.
- REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY!

Callaway Fire Department FIREWORKS SAFETY



Follow these safety tips when using fireworks:

- Never allow young children to play with or ignite fireworks.
- Avoid buying fireworks that are packaged in brown paper because this is often a sign that the fireworks were made for professional displays and that they could pose a danger to consumers.
- Always have an adult supervise fireworks activities. Parents don't realize that young children suffer injuries from sparklers. Sparklers burn at temperatures of about 2,000 degrees - hot enough to melt some metals.
- Never place any part of your body directly over a fireworks device when lighting the fuse. Back up to a safe distance immediately after lighting fireworks.
- Never try to re-light or pick up fireworks that have not ignited fully.
- Never point or throw fireworks at another person.
- Keep a bucket of water or a garden hose handy in case of fire or other mishap.
- Light fireworks one at a time, then move back quickly.
- Never carry fireworks in a pocket or shoot them off in metal or glass containers.
- After fireworks complete their burning, douse the spent device with plenty of water from a bucket or hose before discarding it to prevent a trash fire.
- Make sure fireworks are legal in your area before buying or using them.

Callaway Historical Society 522 Beulah Avenue

The Historical Society meets the 3rd Sunday
Business Meeting - 3:00 p.m.
Open House - 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The Callaway Historical Society is opening the museums and one-room schoolhouse for tours starting in June.

Museums are located at 522 Beulah Avenue and will be opened on Mondays from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. except holidays. Admission is free.

All are invited to join in preserving Callaway's heritage. New members are welcome and membership is \$5.00 per year.

The City of Callaway Arts & Conference Center is the perfect event venue for parties of all sizes!



For Facility Rental Information visit
www.cityofcallaway.com or contact the Leisure
Services Department at (850) 874-0031.



RECYCLING for residents!

Recycling bins are located at the back of City Hall for citizens wishing to recycle! Acceptable items are paper, plastic, cardboard, and aluminum.

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



Congratulations to Connie Cunniff!

“YARD OF THE MONTH FOR MAY”

Congratulations to Shirley Shoemaker

503 Camelia Avenue!



Please e-mail your nominations to
yardofthemonth@cityofcallaway.com.

IMPORTANT UTILITY BILLING DATES

Monthly - 15th* Payment must be received by 5:00 p.m. to avoid a **10% late penalty**.

25th* Payment must be received by 5:00 p.m. to avoid **interruption of services**.

- * If this date falls on a weekend or holiday, you have until 5:00 p.m. the next business day to avoid a penalty or disconnection of service.
- **Payments deposited in the drop box **after 5:00 p.m.** are not posted until the next business day!
- The City is not responsible for the timeliness of the U.S. Postal Service. Failure to receive your payment will not excuse penalties or disconnections.
- Prior to service being disconnected, a phone call is placed to a citizen, so we encourage you to make sure the contact number we have on file for you is updated.
- In the event service to an existing account is disconnected for failure to timely pay for services, regardless of cause, reconnection of service will be on the **same business day if payment is received by 3:00 pm.**

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