

CITY OF WALNUT GROVE

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December 2017

December 5: **Planning and Zoning – 7:00/City Hall**

December 21: **Board of Aldermen Meeting - 6:30/City Hall**

December 25, January 1: **City Offices Closed**

CITY HALL – New City Clerk

Hi! I'm Eric Sutton, and I have been brought on as the new City Clerk here in Walnut Grove. I am excited to be a part of this community, and to get the chance to meet you all. I am most recently from Community Partnership of the Ozarks, where I worked with schools and neighborhoods in Springfield to create an increased sense of community. I have experience working in communities of a similar size to Walnut Grove when I lived in Illinois. My passion has always been working with rural communities and living in Southwest Missouri, which has been my home most of my life.

We want to thank Tina Horn for her time of service, and I ask that if you get a chance, drop by City Hall and say hi, I look forward to it!

Eric Sutton

WALNUT GROVE CHRISTMAS PARADE

Saturday December 9, 2017

The parade line up will begin at 1:00 p.m., parade will start at 2:00 p.m.

Refreshments will be served from 1-4 p.m. at the Recreation Center

If interested in participating, please contact Christy Gott at 417-830-4939

POLICE DEPARTMENT

It's that time of year again, there's a bit of chill to the air, and it is pleasant to spend the evenings sitting in the backyard, maybe visiting with neighbors, and enjoying the warmth of a firepit while taking in the beauty of our surroundings.

We love that Walnut Grove is a community like this, but we do need to issue a reminder about burning. Be careful of what materials are in your firepits and burnpiles. Plastics and other materials release noxious fumes, and can disturb others who are trying to enjoy the beauty of their backyards as well. This situation does fall under nuisance ordinances, so we ask, if you "wood", only burn wood, and in manageable amounts. Thanks!

