



City Commission Agenda Item

Meeting Date: September 21, 2021
From: Randy Frazer, City Manager
Item: City Manager Updates

Purpose: City Manager's Report on Upcoming Activities

Background:

1. The monthly **Cowley Indoor Market** will have its next event from **5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, September 22** at Burford Theatre Arts, located at 118 S. Summit St. in downtown Arkansas City.
2. Visit Ark City (VAC) will be host to a special "**Aloha party**" as they bid a fond Aloha to outgoing director Pam Crain and welcome Jill Hunter as the new VAC director from **5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, September 23** at Burford Theatre Arts, located at 118 S. Summit St. in downtown Arkansas City.
3. City staff will meet with project consultants about the **CDBG North Summit Street Resurfacing Project** at **10 a.m. Monday, September 27** in the city manager's office. We hope to let bids later this year.
4. The **Arkansas City Farm and Art Market** will finish out its 2021 season with its final market from **4 to 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 28** at the Wilson Park rotunda, located at 701 N. Summit St.
5. The next **City Commission** study session will be in my office here at City Hall at **noon Friday, October 1**.
6. There will be a special "**Mommy & Me Fair**," sponsored by 4 Friends Events LLC, from **10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday, October 3** at Burford Theatre Arts, located at 118 S. Summit St. in downtown Arkansas City.
7. City staff will participate in a virtual **Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) local consult meeting** at **1:30 p.m. Monday, October 4**. This is a great opportunity gain state support for our street projects!
8. The **National Night Out kickoff party** will be from **5 to 8 p.m. Monday, October 4** at Wilson Park. The Police Department is very excited to bring this event back after having to take 2020 off due to COVID-19!
9. The City Commission will convene as the **Land Bank Board of Trustees** at **5 p.m. Tuesday, October 5** in the commission room at City Hall, prior to its next regular City Commission meeting at **5:30 p.m.** We will try to end that City Commission meeting by **6 p.m.** so that the commissioners can attend some of the National Night Out block parties from **6 to 8:30 p.m.**

Approved for Agenda by:

Randy Frazer, City Manager