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Platte County COVID-19 Testing & Self-Reporting Tool

The Platte County Health Department now has access to COVID-19 testing kits and is asking residents to complete a short online questionnaire. If you meet the criteria for a screening, the health department will contact you directly to schedule an appointment at their drive-in testing site.

Residents can fill out the self-reporting tool at plattecountyhealthdept.com



This testing provides the health department information to measure the effectiveness of interventions and assist in deciding when to ease restrictions. It also helps identify people that are infected so contact tracing activities can be implemented.

Please continue to follow CDC guidelines, including:

- Washing your hands often for 20 seconds or more
- Avoiding touching your eyes, nose or mouth
- Socially distancing from other people outside of your home
- Wearing a face covering in public
- Monitoring yourself for symptoms
- Self-quarantining if you're sick or have been exposed to someone who is sick

For more information about coronavirus, visit cdc.gov/coronavirus

For updates from the Platte County Health Department, follow them on Facebook [@plattehealth](https://www.facebook.com/plattehealth).



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Now Open: E.H. Young Riverfront Park

New and Improved Amenities are Completed and Ready For You!

Warm, sunny weather has arrived in Riverside! Take advantage of this perfect play weather and visit the newly re-imagined E.H. Young Riverfront Park.

In 2018, through a series of public meetings and a survey, Riverside residents got to voice their opinions and contribute to a master plan update for E.H. Young Riverfront Park. Now that it is complete, Riverside residents can see how their ideas have come to life when they experience the park improved for the community, by the community.

“Two of my favorite components of this project are the community involvement in the vision of the space and that our Monarch Migration Art Walk leads right into it,” said Deana Winter, Park Board Chair. “We can now add these two gems to the long list of what makes Riverside Upstream from Ordinary.”

The re-imagined park now features ways for anyone and everyone to play. Cyclists, walkers and runners can travel the new concrete loop around the park or the connected Line Creek trail. The new playground includes a large climbing tower, zip line, musical instruments and more for children to explore. If you’re looking for some friendly competition, grab a partner and head to one of eight new pickleball courts. And don’t forget your canine family members: Large and small dogs can roam the off-leash dog park.

While you’re visiting the park this summer, please remember to practice social distancing and sanitize your hands often.

For more information and updates, follow Riverside on Facebook [@riversidemo](#) or visit [riversidemo.com](#)



Get Out & Active: Amenities Update

Ready to get out of the house this summer? Riverside has a couple of Upstream from Ordinary amenities waiting for you!

Fitness Court

Located just outside the Community Center, the Fitness Court is free and open to those ages 14 and up every day from dawn to dusk. While enjoying your outdoor full-body workout, make sure to give other guests six feet of space and sanitize your hands after using the equipment.



Fitness Classes

Members of the Community Center can enjoy a variety of fitness classes, from line dancing to Tai Chi Monday - Friday. Find the updated class schedule at riversidemo.com

Pool

Cool off at the Community Center pool during the following hours:

- Mon./Wed./Fri./Sun.: 1-6 p.m.
- Tues./Thurs.: 3-7 p.m.
- Sat.: Noon-7 p.m.

Health screenings and physical distancing measures will be in place. As always, please stay home if you're sick.

For updates, follow Riverside on Facebook @riversidemo

It's Not Too Late

Your response matters in the 2020 Census

Be a part of shaping Riverside's future! The self-reporting deadline for the 2020 U.S. Census has been extended to October 31. Non-responding households will receive follow up visits or calls from a trained census taker between August 11 and October 31.

Why should I participate?

- The information collected helps federal, state and local government agencies plan important projects for you and the entire Riverside community.
- Data from the Census impacts funding provided for local education including Head Start, Pell Grants, school lunches, adult education and special education.
- The results determine how many seats each state gets in Congress.
- It's the law: The U.S. Constitution requires all citizens to participate in the Census, which takes place every 10 years.

Make sure you are counted in 2020: Fill out the Census today by completing and mailing back the paper questionnaire, calling (844) 330-2020 or visiting 2020census.gov.

Learn more about the 2020 U.S. Census at 2020census.gov

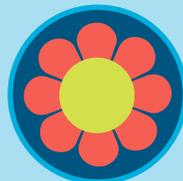
GO GREEN: EARTH-FRIENDLY LAWN TIPS



Try grasscycling: leave grass clippings on your lawn to naturally add nutrients to the soil.



Use lawn chemicals sparingly and be sure to follow application and disposal instructions on the label.



Plant a rain garden that absorbs stormwater, reduces flooding and looks gorgeous in your yard.



Consider building or buying a rain barrel to collect stormwater from your downspout and rooftop.

For more information, visit cleanwaterkcmetro.org

Hike, Bike or Stroll Today

Safely Explore Riverside's Extensive Trail Network

Looking for ways to soak up the sun while socially distancing this summer? Hop on one of Riverside's 10 trails and explore! With connections to the City's parks as well as Kansas City, Parkville and Platte County, the opportunities for new adventures are endless.

Enjoy of the beautiful weather and over 13 miles of interconnected trails with these tips in mind:

- **Keep six feet away** from other trail users outside of your household.
- **Stay to the right** when you are walking, running or cycling.
- **Pass with courtesy** by calling out "on your left" when you are passing others on foot or bicycle.
- **Leash your dog** as mandated by City ordinance.
- **Be aware** of your surroundings at all times and carry a mobile phone.
- **Look for trail safety signage** displayed at key positions along the trail. In case of emergency, share the unique identification number with the 911 dispatcher.
- **Take nothing but photos.** If you admire a flower, don't pick it.
- **Leave nothing but footprints.** No littering, and pick up after your pet.

Whether you're walking, running or cycling this summer, you can breathe easy thanks to the Board of Aldermen's new Tobacco-Free parks and trails policy.

To find a map of city trails and updates on trail openings, visit riversidemo.com



Time to Mow: Know Your Responsibilities

Mow your lawn frequently to keep your property looking good and ward off unwanted critters. Remember, it's the law: As a property owner, you are required to mow your lawn up to the street edge once it exceeds 10 inches in height.

Be a good neighbor and clean up the streets after your yard work, but never sweep waste to the curb or down the storm drain, as it will clog the sewer system.



Dispose & Recycle Responsibly

Where Should I Bring My Recycling?

Commingled recycling and glass recycling are available at City Hall. Please put your recyclables inside the appropriate container; do not overfill or leave materials outside of the container once it's full.

What About Household Hazardous Waste?

Residents may drop off their hazardous waste materials, including paint and fuel, free of charge at 4707 Deramus Avenue, Kansas City, Mo. Read the list of accepted items and other details at kcwater.us/programs/hhw

Celebrate the Fourth Safely

- Avoid large gatherings and socially distance from those outside of your household to limit possible exposure to COVID-19.
- Be careful around lit fireworks, even those that fail to go off.
- Stand all fireworks on a clean, flat and firm surface away from buildings and dry grass.
- Read the full Riverside Fireworks Code at riversidemo.com

