**LOCAL SCENE**

Please check with individual organizers to find out if your event has been canceled or postponed.

**Thursday, June 25**
- Warren County Commission administration building, 9 a.m.
- Farmers Market, Diekroeger Park, Wright City, 3:30-6 p.m.
- W8 Watchers meeting, 107 W. Walton, Warrenton, 5 p.m.
- Adult Program, all Scenic Regional Library Facebook page, 4 p.m.
- Wright City Board of Aldermen, City Hall, 6:30 p.m.

**Monday, June 29**
- Warren County Commission administration building, 9 a.m.
- Kids Club, all Scenic Regional Library Facebook page, 4 p.m.
- AH-Anon, College United Methodist Church, Warrenton, 7 p.m.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Group 130 meeting, Fellowship Baptist Church, 8:30 a.m.

**Tuesday, June 30**
- Farmers Market, Warren County Fairgrounds, Warrenton, 3:30-6 p.m.
- Warren County Commission administration building, 9 a.m.

**Wednesday, July 1**
- Story Time for Preschoolers, all Scenic Regional Library Facebook page, 10 a.m.

**LOTTIE T. SUMMER**
- Kiwanis Club of Wright City meeting, Ruiz Castillo, Wright City noon.
- Warren County Methadone clinic, Warrenton, 6:30 p.m.
- PVF Post 2180 Auxiliary meeting, Warrenton PVF, 6:30 p.m.
- PVF Post 2180 meeting, Warrenton PVF, 7:30 p.m.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Group 130 meeting, Fellowship Baptist Church, 8:30 p.m.
- Tara Harman meets all Scenic Regional Library Facebook page, 3 p.m.

**PROJECTS**

**Capital projects**

Major capital project expenses include:
- $2 million for engineering, easements and construction of new Sewage mains leading to the wastewater treatment plant on Willow Road. This is part of ongoing bond-funded construction to expand the city's sewage system capacity, which was approved by voters in 2014.
- $14 million for stormwater sewer construction on Steinhegen, McKinley Avenue, Veterans Memorial Parkway and Highway MM.
- $1 million for sewer system engineering and construction in the area around the new interstate 70 interchange.
- $666,000 was approved for a new well at the Warrior Avenue water tower. This is a response to the need for greater water capacity in that area of the city, created by the new home construction, as well as the improvement of water flow supplied to existing homes, Thorns said.
- $553,000 to replace water mains on Vossell Avenue, Tomahawk Lane and Hawthorne Drive.
- $400,000 to repaint the interior and exterior of the water tower at the industrial park on Highway M, a project required by the Department of Natural Resources.
- $190,000 for additional engineering for stormwater systems and street improvements on Roosevelt Avenue, Veterans Memorial Parkway and Highway MM, which were initiated earlier this year.

**Other major projects**

Several other major projects are included in Warrenton's 2020-2021 budget. They include $2.5 million for right-of-way acquisition and construction of sidewalks along North Highway 47. A significant portion of this project is being funded by the Missouri Department of Transportation City Administrator Terri Thorn said the city hopes to begin construction on that project in early 2022. Also budgeted are $525,000 for a new police station and sidewalk improvements, as well as $200,000 for landscaping improvements at the I-70/Highway 47 interchange.

The city will also pay $4.5 million in debt service on loans for several projects. About $4,992,000 will go to pay for the new I-70 interchange. Over $948,000 will go toward repaving water and sewer improvements, $244,000 will pay down the loan for the new Warren County Pool Park, and $133,000 is for the Highway 47 sidewalk project.

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**Todd announces retirement**

Todd has earned many awards for developing marketing campaigns for local newspapers and has been a great asset for our community newspapers and she leaves big shoes to fill. She has been the general manager of The Standard since 2018.

She previously was advertising manager at The Warren County Record, a position she held from 2006 to 2018.

Over the past few months she has also assisted efforts at The Record since the publishing the best newspaper possible. She has been a great asset for our community newspapers and she leaves big shoes to fill.

Over the years, Todd has also earned many awards for local development news. She is an active member of the local community and a leader in her field.

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