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Sevierville Convention Center RV Show January 5-7



The [Sevierville Convention Center](#) is hosting the 2018 Knoxville RV Show January 5-7.

Show hours:

Friday & Saturday: 10am to 8pm;

Sunday: 10am to 5pm.

The show features the very latest makes and models of recreational vehicles from all the nation's top manufacturers. Special factory rebates, financing, and on the spot loan approval makes this show a cannot miss for serious RV enthusiasts! Seminars will also be offered throughout the show. Click [here](#) for more information.

Winter Driving Tips

Winter weather and road conditions can change in the blink of an eye in East Tennessee, so it's best to be prepared when we are traveling this time of the year. Here are a few winter driving tips to consider.

Be sure your vehicle lights, brakes, battery, tires and wipers are in good condition.

Check the antifreeze fluid level and condition.

Slow down and increase the distance between your vehicle and the vehicle in front of you to allow for added stopping time.

Pack supplies in case you become stranded, including blankets, food, and water.

Visit the [National Highway Traffic Safety Administration](#) for more winter driving tips.



Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Facility & Service Schedules

The following schedules will be in effect for [City of Sevierville](#) facilities and services in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day on Monday, January 15:

The [Sevierville Community Center](#) will be open regular hours.

The [Sevierville Golf Club](#) will be open regular hours.

The regular [BMA Meeting](#) scheduled for January 15 has been moved to January 22.

[Commercial garbage collection](#) scheduled for January 15 will be collected on January 16.

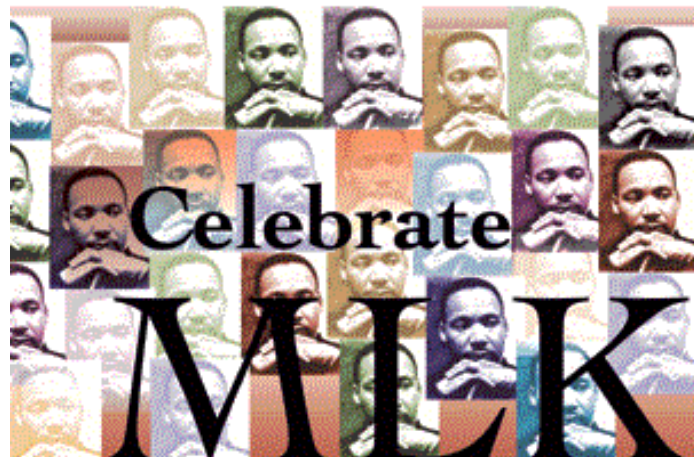
[Sevierville City Hall](#) will be closed .

[Sevierville Water Systems](#) administrative offices will be closed. For emergency service, please call 453-5522.

The [Sevierville Convention Center](#) administrative offices will be closed.

The [Sevierville Civic Center](#) will be closed.

The [Sevierville Police Department](#) records office will be closed.



Sevierville Social Media Will Keep You In the Know!

Did you know that we have six Facebook pages and a Twitter page designed to help you know what's happening in your city?

The [City of Sevierville](#) Facebook page



includes information on a range of topics, while the following Facebook pages provide more specific information: [Sevierville Parks and Recreation](#), [Sevierville Golf Club](#), [Community Center Aerobics and Fitness](#), [Sevierville Police Department](#) and [Sevierville Convention Center](#).

The [Sevierville Police Department Twitter](#) page tweets information on current road

conditions, vehicle crashes, and lane or road closures.

Sid Wade Memorial Rain Garden Completed

Memorial Rain Garden in Honor of Sidney Paul Wade

By Kelly DeBord, Sales, Marketing, and Public Relations Coordinator

As a vision becomes reality history becomes our legacy. With great vision and hard work this is how the Memorial Tree Program and the New Memorial Rain Garden have become such a part of Sevierville's lifeblood.



While working for Delta Airlines in the 1980's, Sidney Paul Wade traveled the world and saw how cities and towns from near and far were working to grow their communities. With Sid's deep passion for his hometown, Sevierville, he began to bring home all he was learning and he shared with family, friends, and community leaders. His passion was deep, his knowledge was growing, and Sid's vision was leading the way. In 1984 the City of Sevierville established the very first Tree Board with Sid Wade acting as Chairman. [Read more.](#)

Two Revised Tennessee State Laws for Drivers

The following revised Tennessee State laws took effect on January 1, 2018.

With few exceptions (mainly for law enforcement and emergency vehicles), vehicles may display ONLY steady-burning white or amber lights to the front of the vehicle, except white or amber factory installed emergency flashers. No other steady-burning or flashing colored lights are allowed to be displayed to the front of the vehicle.



In marked school zones when a warning flasher or flashers are in operation, drivers 18 years old and older are ONLY permitted to use hands-free cell phones. Drivers who are under the age of 18 are not permitted to use a cell phone in any manner. The law does allow an exception in the event of an emergency.

A listing of revised laws effective January 1, 2018 is available [here](#).

Winter Fire Safety



The [Sevierville Fire Department](#) compiles monthly fire safety information which is available [here](#). The focus this month is winter fire safety.

Topics include:
Wood Stoves/Alternate Heating
Winter Weather
Heating Hazards: Portable Heaters
Manufactured Home Safety

Leaf Pick-Up Schedule Reminder

The City's leaf collection service is scheduled to conclude on January 26.

For complete collection guidelines, click [here](#).

If you have any questions regarding leaf collection, please contact the [Public Works Department](#) at 429-4567.



Job Openings

City job openings are posted on [our website](#). As of the release of this eNewsletter, the following positions were available:

Fitness Instructor, part-time, Parks and Recreation
Trades Worker, part-time, Facility Maintenance
Housekeeping, part-time, Convention Center
Reserve Firefighter, part-time, Fire Department

Upcoming Scheduled Board of Mayor & Aldermen Meeting Dates



All regular meetings of the [Sevierville BMA](#) take place at 6PM at the Sevierville Civic Center in the Municipal Complex.

January 8*

January 22*

*Note: the regular January meetings have been changed from January 1 & 15.

[Meeting Agendas & Minutes](#)

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