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Sevierville Receives Tennessee Green Fleet Certification



Fleet Maintenance Team, left to right: Curt Price, Kenneth Williams, Charles Hulsmán, Roy Davis, Alvin Caldwell, David Cope, Jim Dennison.

[Tennessee Clean Fuels](#) (TCF) certified the City of Sevierville as a Tennessee Green Fleet at their third annual Sustainable Transportation Awards and Forum in Nashville earlier this year.

The City of Sevierville operates over two hundred and fifty pieces of equipment and vehicles from fire trucks to back hoes and all of them are fueled by B-20 bio-diesel or E-10 ethanol.

Sevierville was one of six government fleets to be certified in 2017 and only three other cities use B-20.

"The benefits of utilizing these alternative fuels can't be overstated," said Jim Dennison, [Sevierville Public Works](#) Fleet Manager. "They are much cleaner and environmentally friendly and bio-diesel also extends the life of engines and decreases maintenance costs." Decreased maintenance also results in less down time for critical vehicles and equipment, meaning more effective and efficient service to our residents. [Read more.](#)

Get to Know Sevierville Walking Tours

Have you ever wanted to know more about your hometown? Now is your chance! *Get to Know*

Sevierville Walking Tours will be offered this year and in 2018. The first free tour is on Wednesday, August 16 @ 10:30AM. Tours will include visits to City buildings and facilities, as well as information on City services, recreational opportunities, and City history. Lunch is on us!



To register or learn more, click [here](#).

There's Still Time to Enjoy Summer Fun at the Outdoor Pool!

Grab your swimming suits and sunblock and head over to the outdoor [Family Aquatic Center](#) at Sevierville City Park! There's still time to beat the heat and enjoy some summer fun at the pool. The last day to visit the Family Aquatic Center this season is Sunday, August 13, 2017.



The Family Aquatic Center hours of operation for the remainder of the summer are as follows:

Monday - Saturday	11AM-5PM
Sunday	1PM-5PM.

For additional information, please call 865-453-5441.

Labor Day Holiday Facility & Service Schedules

Facility and service schedules for the City of Sevierville Labor Day holiday are as follows:

[The Sevierville Golf Club](#)

will be open normal operating hours.

[Commercial dumpster](#) and cardboard collection normally scheduled for Monday, September 4 will take place on Tuesday, September 5.

[Bulk waste/junk collection](#)

normally scheduled to begin on Monday, September 4 will begin on Tuesday, September 5.

[City Hall](#) will be closed.

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

[The Community Center](#) will be closed.

[The Police Department](#)

records division will be closed.

[Water and Sewer](#)

[Department](#) offices will be closed. For emergency assistance please call 865-453-5522.

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



Fire Department Schedules CPR/AED Class for Residents

The [Sevierville Fire Department](#) has scheduled a CPR/AED certification class for residents on Saturday, August 19 from 8:30AM-12:30PM at Fire Station 1 (main downtown station), 122 Prince Street.

The class fee is \$20.00/person, which includes all class materials and a certificate.

To register or learn more, click [here](#) .



Beginning of School - Traffic Safety Reminder



Area students will return to school on Wednesday, August 16, causing pedestrian and vehicle traffic to increase significantly. The flashing yellow school zone lights, indicating the presence of school children around schools, are being activated to remind drivers that the school year is about to begin. Please take note of the following recommendations from the [Sevierville Police Department](#).

Arrive at least one-half hour early for the first two weeks.

Allow extra driving time during the morning and

afternoon hours. Traffic will be extremely heavy around the school areas. Please exercise patience and remember there will be new students and parents who are unfamiliar with the process of dropping children off and picking them up. [Read more.](#)

Flashing Yellow Arrows Installed on Veterans Boulevard



A steady red arrow means STOP. Drivers turning left must stop.



A steady yellow arrow means the signal is getting ready to turn to red. Drivers turning left should stop if it is safe to do so.



A flashing yellow arrow means left-turns are permitted. Drivers may turn left but must first yield to oncoming traffic and pedestrians and then proceed with caution.



A steady green arrow means left-turns are protected. Drivers may turn left. Conflicting traffic must stop.

In 2013, the [City of Sevierville](#) started installing new flashing yellow arrow traffic control technology on Highway 66 designed to prevent accidents and improve traffic flow for vehicles making left turns.

In the past year, the flashing yellow arrows have also been installed on intersections on Veterans Boulevard. The technology incorporates the usual green/yellow/red signal indication colors that motorists recognize on standard traffic signals. Additionally, the flashing yellow arrow indicates that left turns are permitted but must yield to oncoming traffic and pedestrians.

Fire Safety Information



The [Sevierville Fire Department](#) compiles monthly fire safety information which is available [here](#).
August theme: Eliminate Hazards in the Home

Topics include:
Fire Safety for Older Adults
Hoarding Portable Fire Extinguishers
Fire Safety for People with Disabilities

FREE Child Car Safety Seat Check-up Available

The [Sevierville Police Department](#) has scheduled a free Child Car Safety Seat Check from 10:00AM-1:00PM on Saturday, August 19 at the Sevierville Police Department, 300 Gary Wade Blvd.

Through past child car safety seat checks, the SPD has learned that many child car safety seats are no longer safe due to past accidents, the age of the seat, manufacturer recalls or missing parts.

For additional information, click [here](#).



Sevierville Convention Center August Events

The following events are open to the public this month at the [Sevierville Convention Center](#).

[New River Jujitsu](#) August 26



Job Openings

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

Traffic Engineer, full-time
Groundskeeper, part-time, Golf Course
Reserve Firefighter, part-time, Fire Department
Fleet Assistant, part-time, Public Works
Cook, part-time, Golf Club

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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.

August 7

August 21

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