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Kirkwood *newsletter*

2019 KIRKWOOD WATER QUALITY REPORT AVAILABLE

The 2019 Kirkwood Water Quality Report is available online now at: www.kirkwoodmo.org/2019MO6010430. If you prefer a paper copy of the report, please call 314-984-5936. Drinking water in Kirkwood comes from and is treated by the Missouri American Water Company, purchased by the City and redistributed to Kirkwood customers through City mains. This water that is purchased from Missouri American originates from the Missouri River.

The Kirkwood Water distribution system includes approximately 135 miles of water main. Our smallest diameter water main is two inches, and our largest is 24 inches. We repair an average of 150 main breaks per year. Most existing water mains are four and six inches in diameter and lie beneath street pavement. Most new water mains are eight and 12 inches in diameter and are typically installed beneath grass, between the street curb and the sidewalk.

The City owns and maintains water mains that serve entire neighborhoods. We also own and maintain the water meter assigned to each building or home. If your water meter is leaking or appears to need maintenance, please contact us at 314-984-5936.



KIRKWOOD HOLIDAY CLOSURES & EVENT CANCELLATIONS

City Hall & most City offices will be closed on Friday July 3, 2020 in observance of Independence Day. Additionally, due to St. Louis County restrictions on large gatherings and current social distancing guidelines, the following events have been canceled or postponed:

Route 66 Cars and Guitars Festival 2020 – Postponed

June 13, 2020

Downtown Kirkwood

The Downtown Special Business District and Cars & Guitars Committee are working to reschedule this event in the Fall in Downtown Kirkwood or at the Kirkwood Performing Arts Center.

Making Music Concert featuring the STL Wind Symphony – Canceled

June 27, 2020 at 7 p.m.

Kirkwood Park Lions Amphitheater

Kirkwood Freedom Festival & Fireworks Display – Canceled

July 4, 2020 at 9 p.m.

Kirkwood Park

KIRKWOOD'S 2020 CENSUS RESPONSE & APPLY NOW FOR CENSUS JOBS

America's 1st digital Census is still underway! Households should have received an invitation and reminder postcard to complete the 2020 Census. As of May 24, 2020, Kirkwood has a response rate of 77.7% Your invitation and postcard should include a 12-digit census ID. To get started go to my2020census.gov, and click start questionnaire. It only takes 15 minutes. If you don't want to respond to the Census online, you can respond by phone. To respond by phone just call 844-330-2020.

The Census Bureau is also hiring Census Takers. Census takers work flexible hours, receive paid training, are paid weekly and make \$21 an hour. Apply today by visiting 2020census.gov/jobs or calling 1-855-562-2020.

Check the Box!

You can help. Check the box —> on your Kirkwood Utility Bill to help Kirkwood neighbors struggling to pay their utility bills.



CITY OF KIRKWOOD

KIRKWOOD UTILITIES
P.O. BOX 220579
KIRKWOOD, MO 63122-0579

ACCOUNT NUMBER: XXXXXXXXXXX-XXXX

KIRK  **care**

By checking this box I want to help Kirkwood neighbors struggling to pay their utility bills. I wish to contribute
 \$____.00 this month or \$____.00 each month in future

See back side of bill for more information.



Kirk Care is a nonprofit food pantry helping individuals and families who live within the Kirkwood R-7 School District with food and utility assistance.

Ways You Can Help:

- ◆ Check the box on your Kirkwood Utility Bill.
- ◆ Food donations can be dropped off at area churches and in the red Kirk Care boxes at Kirkwood Public Library, Kirkwood Community Center, the Kirkwood Train Station, and Kirkwood City Hall.
- ◆ Financial donations can be made online at kirkcare.org or mailed to P.O. Box 220652, Kirkwood, MO 63122. Reach them by phone at: 314-965-0406.

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Lending a Helping Hand Since 1982