

Horse Cave City Council City Explores Park Upgrades & Sidewalk Grants



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City Clerk Joy Bennett presented information and answered questions about possible playground updates and information about the potential splash pad.

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The Horse Cave City Council met in regular session on Monday, July 13 with Mayor Randall Curry and all council members in attendance. The council noted that there was no unfinished business to address.

Under new business,

City Clerk Joy Bennett presented ideas for local park upgrades, beginning with plans for a potential splash pad.

The proposed “flow-through” system for a splash pad would be entirely chemical-free, require 60 gallons of water per

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From left to right: Resource Alliance Community Partner Barrett Wright, United Way, Steering Committee Member Rick Smith, Resource Connector Kelsey Smith, and Steering Committee Member Anthony (A.J.) Wilson at the Caverna Med Center Resource Fair at Hart County High School in May.

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Hart County is home to dozens of organizations dedicated to helping residents through life's challenges. The problem isn't always a lack of resources - it's knowing where to find

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Munfordville City Council Moves To Establish Strict Data Center REGULATIONS



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During the July 13 Munfordville City Council meeting, Mayor Ricky Line held up the 21-page ordinance regarding data centers within the city limits of Munfordville.

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During its July 13 meeting, Munfordville City Council gave the first reading to a proposed ordinance that would establish regulations for future data centers within the city.

If adopted, the 21-page ordinance would create a detailed local review process for future data center projects, requiring developers to meet zoning, environmental, infrastructure, and operational standards

before construction could be considered.

Mayor Ricky Line said the ordinance was developed after reviewing regulations adopted by other communities.

“Any roadblock any city has come up with,

we have put in here (the ordinance), from water to electricity to noise... environmental study... the community impact,” Line said.

Line also shared that the city intentionally

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Fiscal Court Holds First Reading For One-Year Data Center Moratorium



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Judge/Executive Joe Choate explained that he has not been contacted by anyone in regards to wanting to purchase the county-owned land in Bonnieville for a data center.

Last week, Hart Fiscal Court approved the first reading of a proposed one-year moratorium on data centers and other high-intensity computing facilities, temporarily advancing a measure county officials say will give them time to study the issue and involve residents in deciding how Hart County should respond to future development proposals.

The court discussed the first reading of Moratorium Ordinance

No. 9-10.4, which broadly addresses the construction, development, and operation of data

centers, artificial intelligence facilities, cryptocurrency mining operations, and similar high-intensity

computing facilities.

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