



BILL BUTLER, BUTCH Girten, and Bill Hite were presented a certificate and pin recognizing fifty years membership in Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5488. Post Commander Sam Householder made the presentations at a recent meeting.



ASHLYNN T. HARGROVE was presented a Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5488 scholarship check by Commander Sam Householder recently. Ashlynn plans to attend Eastern Kentucky University to pursue a degree in Healthcare Administration; she is the daughter of Terry and Stephanie Hargrove.



CONNER L. MORGAN was recently presented a Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5488 scholarship check by Post Commander Sam Householder. Conner plans to attend Henderson Community College then Murray State University to pursue a degree in special education. He is the son of Jason and Brooke Morgan.

Union County Master Gardeners Complete Summer Planting

The Union County Master Gardeners have completed their summer community projects.

Club members planted the flowers in downtown Morganfield with help from the FFA club at UCHS. Master Gardeners are maintaining the rose garden at the city park. The group also hopes to plant HYBRID tea roses and maybe some decorated brick next year in the garden at the park.

The organization appreciates help from Randy Greenwell, Danhauers,

WalMart, Tractor Supply, Southern States, and Consolidated Grain Barge in Uniontown. Special thanks to Mary Truitt, Ann Duncan, Ethan and Jackson Buckman.

Community members are asked to take a minute and enjoy the flowers.

Union County Master Gardeners work out of the extension office; the group was established in 2018 in Union County.

--submitted by Carolyn Buckman
UC Master Gardener.

UC Fair Continues Through Saturday

The Union County Fair opened Monday, with a free gate for opening night. Fairgoers enjoyed good food, the baby contests and live music. On Tuesday, the rides opened, new fair royalty was announced (they will be pictured in the Sturgis News next week) with a new Miss Union County Fair and Little Miss and Mr. being crowned.

This year's fair also features pig races and a petting zoo

Tonight, Wednesday, the new Miss Pre-Teen and Miss Teen were named and the ATV rodeo will bring excitement to the arena.

On Thursday, fair goers won't want to miss the pedal tractor pull or dirt drags. Live music will continue each night.

Friday night will bring in the always popular tractor pulls on the track and a fun rodeo in the arena.

Saturday is a full day of events as the 2025 fair winds down. The morning starts with the annual 4-H country ham breakfast at 8:00 a.m. followed by the 4-H/FFA livestock show at 9. At noon Sunshine Day will be held and at 4:00 p.m. the Farm Bureau Day events will start in the convention center. The 2026n Union County Fair will conclude with live music, the demo derby and the Whippoorwill Rodeo Saturday night.

Fairgoers can continue to buy half-pot tickets for \$1. The winner will be drawn at 9:00 p.m. Saturday (you do not have to be present to win). Tickets are available at the fair booth or junior fair board members will be on the grounds selling tickets. The drawing will be held live on Facebook.

Waverly Commission Called Meeting

The City of Waverly will have a special called meeting Tuesday, June 23rd at 6:00 pm at City Hall for the second reading of the Waverly budget for 26/27 fiscal year.

The public is invited to attend.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

UNION COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SURPLUS SALE

Union County Public Schools will accept sealed bids on surplus library furniture. Sealed bids must be completed using the UCPS bid form and be delivered to the Union County Schools Administrative Office located at 4500 US Hwy 60 W, Morganfield, KY 42437 before 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, June 23, 2026. Electronic bids will not be accepted.

All bids must be sealed and labeled "Bid - Furniture". Bids will be opened at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 23, 2026.

A complete list of available furniture and the UCPS bid form is available on the district website at www.union.kyschools.us under the Bulletin Board section on the home page.

The furniture will be available to view in person by appointment. Please contact Morganfield Elementary School at 270-389-2611 to schedule an appointment. 6/17c

-- PUBLIC NOTICE --

ORDINANCE 2026-06-10

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF STURGIS, KENTUCKY, ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2026 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2027 BY ESTIMATING REVENUES AND RESOURCES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT

WHEREAS, pursuant to K.R.S. 91A.030, each city shall operate under an annual budget ordinance adopted and administered in accordance with state law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the budget proposal so presented by the Mayor and has made necessary modifications in anticipation of the financial needs of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF STURGIS, KENTUCKY, that the annual budget for the City presented by the Mayor for Fiscal Year 2027, beginning July 01, 2026 and ending June 30, 2027, is hereby adopted, and, further, the following summarized budget is authorized for publication:

CITY OF STURGIS, FY 2027 BUDGET SUMMARIZED BUDGET		
	Income	Expense
General Fund	\$ 976,528.14	\$ 976,528.14
Water	\$ 856,823.20	\$ 856,823.20
Sewer	\$ 550,039.99	\$ 550,039.99
Gas	\$ 525,879.64	\$ 525,879.64
Sanitation	\$ 288,000.00	\$ 288,000.00
TOTAL	\$3,197,270.97	\$3,197,270.97
LGEA	\$ 26,000.00	\$ 26,000.00
MRA	\$ 33,261.86	\$ 33,261.86
ABC	\$ 19,374.20	\$ 19,374.20
GRAND TOTAL BUDGET	\$3,275,907.03	\$3,275,907.03

Any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance that is for any reason held unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such infirmities shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance shall hereby be repealed.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect upon final passage by the City Council and publication in The Sturgis News.

EFFECTIVE DATE

FIRST READING: On first reading of the foregoing Ordinance at a regular meeting on May 13, 2026 on motion made by Councilperson John Deibler, seconded by Councilperson Hunter Davis, that the Ordinance be APPROVED on its FIRST READING.

WHEREUPON, the vote was called. Upon roll call the vote stood:

Councilperson Collins	YEA	Councilperson Garnett	YEA
Councilperson Davis	YEA	Councilperson Greer	YEA
Councilperson Deibler	YEA	Councilperson Odom	YEA

SECOND READING: On second reading of the foregoing Ordinance at a regular meeting on June 10, 2026, on motion made by Councilperson Hunter Davis, seconded by Councilperson Allan Collins, that the Ordinance be ADOPTED on its SECOND READING.

WHEREUPON, the vote was called. Upon roll call the vote stood:

Councilperson Collins	YEA	Councilperson Garnett	YEA
Councilperson Davis	YEA	Councilperson Greer	YEA
Councilperson Deibler	YEA	Councilperson Odom	YEA

WHEREUPON, Mayor Billy R. Adams declared the Ordinance ADOPTED on its Second Reading, affixed his signature and the date thereto, and ordered same to be published in summary form and thereafter recorded.

Approved this the 10th day of June 2026.

This Ordinance shall be EFFECTIVE on the 1st day of July, 2026, or upon publication, whichever shall occur later.

BILLY R. ADAMS, Mayor
City of Sturgis, KY

ATTEST:
SANDY GERMANE, City Clerk

The full text of the FY 2027 Budget of the City of Sturgis is available upon request at City Hall, 106 West 6th Street, Sturgis, Kentucky, Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.