

What's happening in Foristell...

This is our third newsletter. We plan to send these out periodically to keep you informed on current events and pertinent information as it relates to our city and our residents.

Updates regarding Businesses in the area

American Foods Group Beef Processing Facility (in Warren County bordering Foristell) – As you have noticed, construction is well under way, and we expect them to be operating in the first quarter of 2025.

Taco Loco – Has recently opened to great reviews and we are happy to have a new dining option in Foristell!

Dollar General – Has opened since our last newsletter. Hopefully, you find them convenient and a great neighborhood addition.

Kings Excavation – Is open on the South Outer Road offering excavation services as well as Amish constructed pavilions.

Riteair Heating & Cooling – Coming soon to the lower level of 21498 Veterans Memorial Parkway

The Personal Gift Basket Company – Coming soon to the upper level of 21498 Veteran's Memorial Parkway

Cold Storage Facility – 128,000 sq ft. Building consisting of office and warehouse space off of Cotton Road under construction.

Wholesale Plumbing – At the corner of Schaper Rd and Veteran's Memorial Parkway now open

Infrastructure projects (Roads/Bridges, etc.) – With the addition of many homes and businesses in the area, this is an item of great importance for all of us. Our Mayor and City Administrator have been working regularly with MoDot as well as St. Charles County to expedite the rebuilding of our already undersized overpass. As of this moment, we cannot share specific plans, but we can say that major progress has been made. Some time ago, we expected this to be a project completed in 5 - 7 years, but its looking like we may see progress on the overpass as soon as 2 years from now. Nothing is confirmed for this, but definite progress has been made in moving this project forward. We will keep you posted.

The extension of Interstate Drive is another project we are anticipating. No new news to report at this time, but our hope is that when extended to HWY T, that road can help to alleviate some traffic on the South side of town.

Hi Speed Internet – Currently, Gateway Fiber and Spectrum are being installed in some locations. Although not available to all residents, they are extending their service areas. For more information, please reach out to them directly to inquire about service at your location.

Alternatively, some neighbors have had good luck with other services like T-Mobile that offer more of a ‘whole home hot spot.’ If a wired service is not available at your location, several other service providers may have a solution for you.

Foristell Police Statistics – We thought it might be interesting for our residents to get a feel for how many calls for service occur during a given month. The following highlights some of the police activities for the month.

128 Calls of Service

C&I Driving	1
DWS / DWS / No DL	4
911 Hangup	2
Abandoned Vehicle	3
Alarm Sounding	5
Assist Motorist	4
Assist Other Agency	7
Crashes	13
Check Well Being	1
Discharging Firearm	1
Domestic	2
DWI	3
FTA / Warrants	32
Property Damage	1
Pedestrian Check	2
Property Damage	1
Resisting Arrest	2
Sick Case	2
Stealing	2
Suspicious Per/Veh/Activity	4
Traffic Hazards	1
Trespass	1

Foristell Police Referral Program – It is expected that the above numbers will increase based on the growth of the city in the upcoming years. With that in mind, we need additional police officers to join our department and we are offering a ‘finder’s fee’ to residents to help us. The City of Foristell is offering a referral fee of \$1,000.00 dollars to any city resident or current city employee who refers an applicant to the police department who is hired as a police officer. The police officer applicant must stay employed for 90 days from the start of employment before the referral fee will be paid.

Board of Alderman meetings – As a reminder, we meet every 1st and 3rd Monday of the month at 7:00pm. These are public meetings at City Hall, so I encourage you to attend if you want to know in real-time what is going on in our city.

Finally, if you have anything you would like to see in future updates, please let City Hall know and we will do our best to incorporate any ideas into the next newsletter.

Mayor, Board of Alderman, and City Staff