



January 15, 2019

The Honorable City Council  
City of Wildwood, Missouri  
16860 Main Street  
Wildwood, Missouri 63040

Re: ***Parks and Recreation Update for Mid-December, 2018 to Mid-January, 2019***

Council Members:

Listed below is a summary of the efforts the City has completed/underway relative to implementing the goals and recommendations for parks and recreation that were set forth in the Citizens Committee for Park Progress' Action Plan (2007). This summary reflects major items that have been the focus of the City, since the Planning and Parks Committee's December 2018 meeting:

**Baby Sitting 101 Class:**

- The last Baby Sitting 101 Class of 2018 was held on December 27, 2018, at Wildwood City Hall.
- This popular class had twenty-four (24) registered participants (class is limited to 25 participants) that attended between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.
- The class is instructed by staff from St. Louis Children's Hospital.

**General Preparation for 2019:**

- Considerable time and effort has been spent scheduling, organizing, and preparing contracts for the over one hundred (100) events, programs, and classes that will be offered to Wildwood residents in 2019.

**Next City Events:**

- *Wildwood Frozen Feet Half Marathon Trail Run ..... January 19, 2019 [Due to predicted weather and trail conditions, this event was rescheduled to February 9, 2019]*

If you should have any questions or comments in this regard, please feel free to contact the Department of Planning and Parks at (636) 458-0440. Thank you for your review of this information and continued support of these and other events and activities of the City.

Respectfully submitted,  
**CITY OF WILDWOOD**

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Planning and Parks Committee

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