**CITY CLIPS**

 **October 2016**

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**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:**

 **Recycling Dates –** Oct. 6th, 7th, 20th & 21st

 *(All meetings below are held in Council Chambers at City Hall)*

 **City Council Meetings –** Oct. 24th

 **School Board Meetings –** Oct. 20th

 **Planning Commission Meeting –** Oct. 27th

**CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th FOR LABOR DAY**

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Oct. 10th, Offices will be closed but our Garbage crew will pick up that day!

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Along with all their other wonderful events, MLK has line dancing every Monday at 7:00 p.m.., the fee is $20 for 5 weeks of fun! For further information, contact the King Center @ 757-562-2475.

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**FALL Amnesty Week**

The City of Franklin Department of Public Works and The Department of Community Development are pleased to announce that they have declared **October 3-7, 2016**, as **Fall Amnesty Week.** In an effort to assist ***City*** residents in a major fall cleaning, these days are set aside by the City to allow resident owners and tenants (current city customers only) a temporary pardon to rid properties of unsightly accumulations of trash, junk and debris without cost to residents for pickup and removal.

**The following items may be placed at the curb for pickup on October 3,4,5, 6 and 7 *ON YOUR REGULAR TRASH DAY****.*

* **Unused objects from your yard such as lawnmowers, containers, old tires, etc.**
* **Unused objects from your home such as appliances, furniture, TV’s, etc.**
* **Unused deteriorated building materials and firewood.**

Any items placed at curbside should be left in neat piles adjacent to the street. Please be mindful of obstructions when placing those items to allow for safe collection by our crews. Obstructions can be parked vehicles, power poles, overhead utility lines, mailboxes, fire hydrants, signs, trees or hedges, or any fixed object that interferes with the safe collection of the items placed at curbside.

**Caution: No demolition debris, trees over 6’’ in diameter, lot-clearing materials, paint or other hazardous materials will be collected. Limbs must be cut to ordinance lengths (4’ long) and piled neatly at curbside. Please call 757-562-8564, if you are in doubt about any items before placing them at the curb.**

**Items not available for pickup by the City, may be carried to the SPSA Transfer Station on Route 671 (General Thomas Hwy) Phone Number is 757-420-4700 ext 527.**

***For further information contact Franklin Public Works at 757-562-8564***

For FCPS SPORTS SCHEDULES, please visit:

<http://www.tririversdistrictva.org/g5-bin/client.cgi?G5genie=302&school_id=4>

COMMUNITY CENTER

WILL CLOSE

FRIDAY SEPT. 30TH AT 2:00 P.M.

& REMAIN CLOSED ON

SATURDAY 1 OCTOBER

FOR MAJOR CLEANING.

THE CENTER WILL RE-OPEN ON

MONDAY 3 OCTOBER.