



# CITY OF ST. REGIS PARK

## NEWSLETTER

### December 2020



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Dear Citizens,

I hope this finds all of you doing well. Our December council meeting will be:

December 1, 2020 at 7:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Meeting ID: 825 0266 8598

Passcode: 426750

Phone In: 877-853-5247

Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/join/82502668598>

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With the COVID-19 pandemic, 2020 has been a very difficult and challenging year. One bright spot has been the St. Regis Park real estate market. Activity is high and prices are strong. There have been a number of homes sold immediately upon being listed, with many houses bringing multiple offers.

On behalf of the City Council, I'd like to welcome the dozens of new families who have chosen St. Regis Park for their new home. New residents will be pleased to know that your large "cover" trees are free. That's right, FREE! Simply let the Tree Board know the variety you prefer and where you want it planted and they'll get you on the spring planting list. If you aren't sure, our City Arborist, Cindi Sullivan will be glad to assist with your selection.

This fall's planting will begin in mid-December and will include about 25 new specimens, bringing the total to over 300 in the last 6 years. We are proud of our effort to "Re-Tree the Park" and would like to express our gratitude to the Tree Board for the all the volunteer work that they do to make it happen. For complete details about our free tree offerings as well as information about assistance with our "Tree Maintenance Program" which includes reimbursement of 40% up to \$500 per year, please visit: <http://www.retreethepark.com/>

Also, for new citizens and anyone else, please like our Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/stregispark> if you haven't already. This is a perfect way for citizens to stay engaged and communicate.

For security purposes, please make sure you are keeping your car doors locked, nothing valuable in sight and your outdoor lights on as well as garage doors down. Unfortunately, it is that time of year where we tend to see more break-ins, etc. If you would like to be added to our city-wide block watch email list, please send an email to [stregispark@gmail.com](mailto:stregispark@gmail.com).

Also, based on the most recent election, I would like to welcome our new council member Matt Sanderfer. I would also like to thank DJ Fountain for all of his hard work and contribution he has made to the city while serving as a council member for St. Regis Park. Also, thank you to all the other citizens who ran for council and to all the citizens who got out and voted. Please see the election result insert later in the newsletter.

We will be having a drive-through celebration from 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM on December 20th in the rear parking lot of St. Andrews UCC located at 2608 Browns Ln. Obviously due to Covid-19 we aren't able to have it inside the gymnasium as in years past. However, Councilwoman Cheryl Willet has done a great job thinking outside the box and we will be doing the best we can given the circumstances. Please come on out and say hello to Santa!

Remember, the City of St. Regis Park is a great place to live! Together, we will make it even better!

Sincerely,

Brandt Davis, Mayor

*Brandt Davis*

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Tue	Dec 1	<b>City Council Meeting 7 PM</b> See "Meeting Minutes" on page #2 for info
Sun	Dec 20	<b>St. Regis Drive-Thru Holiday Party!</b> 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM St. Andrew United Church of Christ Rear Parking Lot 2608 Browns Lane
Mon	Dec 21	<b>Winter Solstice</b>
Fri	Dec 25	<b>Christmas Day</b>

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**CITY OF ST. REGIS PARK  
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MONTHLY  
COUNCIL MEETING**

**November 3, 2020**

Following are the Minutes of the November 2020 City Council Meeting for the City of St. Regis Park, held at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 3, 2020 via ZOOM video conferencing.

Present: Mayor Brandt Davis  
Council Members: John Amback, Donald Fountain, Craig Theis, Eric Shackelford, Louie Schweickhardt, and Cheryl Willett.

Absent: Jeff Weis

Mr. Charles Venneman, CPA presented the October 2020 financial report. Mr. Shackelford made a motion

to approve the October 2020 financials. Ms. Willett seconded the motion and it passed without dissent.

Mr. Shackelford made a motion to approve the October 2020 Minutes. Mr. Amback seconded the motion and it passed without dissent.

Mr. Schweickhardt made a motion to approve a variance for the construction of a covered auxiliary structure behind the house at 4403 Dannywood Road. Mr. Amback seconded the motion and it passed without dissent.

Mr. Schweickhardt made a motion to approve a variance for the installation of a shed at 4607 Lowe Road, noting that the structure will be behind the house. Ms. Willett seconded the motion and it passed without dissent.

Mr. Amback made a motion to implement city email addresses for the mayor, council members and employees, in lieu of using personal email accounts. Ms. Willett seconded the motion and it passed without dissent.

There being no further business, Mr. Shackelford made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Mr. Schweickhardt and it passed without dissent. The meeting adjourned at 7:56 pm.

Submitted by Bill Hodapp, City Clerk  
(These Minutes are considered unapproved until signed by Mayor Brandt Davis.)

Approved:

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Brandt Davis, Mayor, City of St. Regis Park

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# ELECTION RESULTS

## CITY OF SAINT REGIS PARK COUNCIL MEMBER

Don "DJ" FOUNTAIN.....	401
Sarah STALKER.....	453
Jeffrey D. WEIS.....	461
Javan ROY-BACHMAN.....	284
Eric SHACKELFORD.....	519
Cheryl M. WILLETT.....	617
Craig THEIS.....	476
Louie SCHWEICKHARDT.....	596
John AMBACK.....	458
Mathew "Matt" SANDERFER.....	490

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<b>2020 City Council Meeting Attendance</b>			
Name	Meetings Held	Meetings Attended	YTD%
Mayor Brandt Davis	11	10	91%
Cheryl Willett	11	11	100%
Louie Schweickhardt	11	11	100%
Eric Shackelford	11	11	100%
Jeff Weis	11	9	82%
John Amback	11	9	82%
Don Fountain	11	10	91%
Craig Theis	11	11	100%



# BRANCHING OUT

December, 2020

Thanksgiving is such a lovely holiday, even if this year our large gatherings might be replaced by Zoom meetings. Still gratitude and thankfulness are always in order, so we will begin by thanking the Mayor, the City Council, and all of our citizens for their support of the Tree Board and our educational, tree planting, and tree maintenance efforts. We could not do it without you!

What does November mean for your trees? If you have a Gator Bag on a new tree, you should take it off around Thanksgiving and store it until about St. Patrick's Day. For the most part in the winter, trees are fine, but should we have an unseasonably warm late Fall, you might want to water once a week. If your new tree has had the bag on it for two years, and the bag is still good, we would appreciate your returning it, cleaned off, if possible, to the front porch of 4512 Lincoln Road, so we can re-use it.

This year's new trees will be planted in mid-December. If you missed the cutoff date, please get your name on the Spring list by contacting Susan Messerschmidt at [smesserschmidt4313@gmail.com](mailto:smesserschmidt4313@gmail.com) Nothing makes us more thankful than having you request a free tree!

If your tree needs trimming or evaluation, your window is probably closing until leaves return in the Spring, but if you have maintenance questions, please direct them to Joe Hinkle at [joerunjoe@gmail.com](mailto:joerunjoe@gmail.com)

If you have general inquiries or suggestions for the tree board or for this Branching Out column, please contact Mary Mattingly at [msmattingly@outlook.com](mailto:msmattingly@outlook.com)

Happy Thanksgiving to you all, and thank you for all you do to ReTree the Park!

Your tree board and consulting arborist,

Joe, Susan, Mary, and Cindi

# Did You Know?

## FENCES

*(E) A fence constructed on property lines must be made of ornamental metal, wire or wood and shall not be over six feet in height from ground level. Solid or closed construction type fences are not permitted.*

For a detailed listing of all St Regis Park ordinances, please visit the city's website at: [www.stregispark.net](http://www.stregispark.net) Then click on "Ordinances" at the top of the page.

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<b>St. Regis Park - Recently Sold Homes</b>		
<b>Address</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>Date Sold</b>
2801 Milburn Avenue	\$355,000	October 30, 2020
2813 Browns Lane	\$275,000	October 14, 2020
4307 Statton Road	\$317,500	September 28, 2020
4423 Danywood Road	\$271,000	September 18, 2020
4303 Statton Road	\$250,000	September 9, 2020
4303 Saint Regis Lane	\$268,000	August 28, 2020
4408 Mount Vernon Road	\$290,000	August 20, 2020
4607 Lowe Road	\$325,000	August 14, 2020
4415 Mount Vernon Road	\$250,000	August 10, 2020
2611 Browns Lane	\$220,000	August 7, 2020
2407 Aintree Way	\$308,266	August 7, 2020
2402 Aintree Way	\$272,500	July 31, 2020
2713 Browns Lane	\$249,000	July 28, 2020
4401 Statton Road	\$304,500	July 23, 2020
2405 Sir Johns Court	\$275,000	July 8, 2020
4509 Mount Vernon Road	\$330,000	July 2, 2020



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Canned:

Corn

Green beans

Mix Veggies

Fruit

Cranberry Sauce

Yams/Sweet Potatoes

Box/Bag:

Instant Potatoes

Shelf Stable Dessert

Stuffing

Bread/Rolls

Dry or Shelf-Stable Mil

More info:

For drop off days/hours go to [www.sbcm.org](http://www.sbcm.org) or contact [clarewallace@slcm.org](mailto:clarewallace@slcm.org)

Your Neighbor,  
Sarah Stalker







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Eric Shackelford, Public Works – 299-9859  
Jeff Weis, Finance – 548-0522  
Craig Theis - 553-6107  
Cheryl Willett, Public Safety – 458-8386

### CITY EMPLOYEES

Bill Hodapp, City Clerk/Treasurer – 654-8145  
Jason Lewis, Citation Officer – 836-4535

### CITY NUMBERS

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Council Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM. Please see "Meeting Minutes" on page #2 for info

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