

City of Sweeny

September 2014 Newsletter

School reopened on August 25th and that means a new round of sports for student athletes, and a host of activities for all our students. We wish all a successful year whether it be in drama, math, science, debate, spellingbee, or sports, and at whatever level. Encourage your student to be the best they can be in whatever endeavor they choose to participate.

Upcoming Events for September:

- *9-11-014, 2:00 P.M., Salute to First Responders at the Fountains*
- *9-14-014, 1:30 P.M., Veterans Memorial Dedication*
- *9-19-014, POW/MIA Day*

City Council conducted two budget workshops during August, and has proposed a tax rate of \$0.908000 per hundred valuation for the upcoming Fiscal Year (October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2015). This does increase the rate over last year's budget, and requires two public hearings. The hearings will be September 2nd and 9th, 2014 at 6:00 P.M., at City Hall, and are your opportunity to provide input to Council on the 2014/2015 Budget.

The City is now accepting Applications for Sweeny Economic Development Corporation Director positions. Applications can be obtained at City Hall, and are due back by September 10th at 12:01 P.M. Positions are 2-year terms.

Recycle dates for September are the 4th and 18th.

Monday the 1st of September is "Labor Day", and we encourage everyone to be safe, with special attention paid to our little ones. City Hall will be closed on that day, and will reopen on Tuesday, September 2nd.

If you have a suggested topic for the newsletter, please let us know.

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