

SHIVELY BULLETIN

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Saturdays, Beginning April 29, 2023
8:00am-9:00am
Shively City Hall
3920 Dixie Highway
Cost: \$1.00 per visit
Instructor: Kenitha Avery



FREE SHREDDING EVENT

MAY 8-12, 2023
8:00am-4:30PM DAILY
Shively City Hall Parking Lot
3920 Dixie Highway
It is a great time to clear out your file drawers
and closets!
SAFE AND SECURE!

REMINDER FROM THE TAX DEPARTMENT

Just a friendly reminder, delinquent 2022 property taxes must be paid on or before **March 31, 2023** to avoid a tax lien being placed. Please contact Shively City Hall (502) 449-5000 to discuss your delinquency. City Hall is open Monday - Friday, 8:00am-4:30pm. Payments can be made in person, over the phone, or can be dropped off after hours in the drop box located in the parking lot. 3920 Dixie Hwy.

**Delinquent Property
Tax Liens will be
filed in April 2023.**

Greetings from Mayor Maria Johnson,



We have made it to another year and, thus, another State of the City Address. As of December 31, 2022, the city's total revenue was \$7,076,563.14, with a total expenditure of \$9,576,450.39. We received \$4,192,714.38 from the federally funded American Rescue Plan Act (APRA). We have spent a total of \$3,662,734.62. All funds must be allocated by 2024 or we will lose them.

The budget for the current fiscal year, July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, anticipates \$15,699,951 in revenue and authorizes expenditures of \$15,697,755. The breakdown is listed below:

Total revenue for the year ending 2022: **\$7,076,563.41.**

Total expenditures for the year ending 2022: **\$9,576,450.39.**

Department Expenditures

Government: **\$3,694,355**

Fire: **\$3,824,110**

Police: **\$5,713,060**

Public Works: **\$1,821,230**

Golf Course: **\$100,000**

Parks: **\$267,000**

MAP (Municipal Aid Program) Expenditures

Street Paving **\$100,000**

Snow Removal **\$40,000**

MAP Allowable Expenses **\$138,000**

This year's top priority is the safety and security of our youth and businesses. I will focus on safe neighborhoods, youth, and senior citizens programs. I will be attracting new businesses, funding public infrastructure, and improving the efficiency of operations in the city. But most importantly, I will be cultivating better lines of communication between residents and city officials. I want to hear your concerns, get your input, and keep you informed on the happenings of our great city. To maintain transparency and uphold a high standard of integrity, I will be hosting community forums for our residents. The first forum is scheduled for April 27, 2023, at The Heritage (formerly Shively Community Building), 1901 Park Road, at 6:00 pm.

Congratulations to all the winners of the 2022 Shively General Election! Two new council members were elected in November: Monica Bizzle and Kelly Gibson. Four incumbents, Sharon Baker, Tiffany Burton-McBroom, Shanell Thompson, and Wendell Vincent were re-elected. It is with a heavy heart that I report the passing of our beloved Councilwoman, Ms. Baker, who passed away on November 16, 2022. Gigi Talbott was appointed to fill her seat for the remainder of 2022. On January 3, 2023, city council members voted for Ms. Talbott to serve on the council until the next election cycle.

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JOIN US FOR



Come out and purchase some good food and listen to The Ultimate Show Band featuring Don Wright and Robin Shaw.

Friday, June 9th

5:00pm – 9:00pm

Shively Park

1901 Park Road

Sponsored by Mayor Maria Johnson

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE NEXT FOOD TRUCK FRIDAY:
FRIDAY, JULY 14, SAME TIME & LOCATION

IT'S BACK!

CHAIR YOGA

You can now experience the many benefits of breath and movement while comfortably seated in a chair.

EVERY THURSDAY
BEGINNING MARCH 2
FROM 1:00PM – 2:00PM

SHIVELY CITY HALL
3920 DIXIE HIGHWAY

COST: \$1.00 PER VISIT

Instructor: Karen McKnight

NO REGISTRATION NEEDED!

Shively Fire Department 2022

Awards/Recognition

Exceptional Duty Award

The Shively Fire Department hereby express our sincere appreciation to

Scott Early

for your outstanding performance and exceptional commitment to the Shively Fire Department in the implementation of the fire departments social media platforms as well as the other projects that have showcased the fire department to the general public.



Unit Citation Award

Unit citation award for actions performed on January 21, 2022, at 4517 Dover Road. Members honored for their actions were:
Captain Chris Faith, Sergeant Rhett Sample, FF Jeremy Colville, FF Jason Strange, FF Brandon Smith, FF Devin Bannister.



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City of Shively Staff Leadership:

City Clerk - Mitzi Kasitz – mitzi.kasitz@shivelyky.gov

Fire Department – Chief Charles Mucker – charles.mucker@shivelyky.gov

Police Department – Chief Emery Frye – emery.frye@shivelyky.gov

Public Works Manager – Steve Lingerfelt – steve.lingerfelt@shivelyky.gov

We are fortunate to have our own fire, police, and public works departments. Below are 2022 statistics related to our Fire, Police, Public Works, and Code Enforcement.

Fire Department

Total runs: 2595

Medical runs: 72%

Structure fires/fire response: 12%

Automobile accidents/fire: 10%

Hazardous/mitigation (no fire): 4%

Uncategorized Service/Good Intent 2%

Police Department

Total runs: 14,049

Purchased 15 Flock Cameras. See additional information within the newsletter.

Public Works Department

Our Public Works Department abated over 175 properties and picked up 480 tons of recycling.

Code Enforcement Department

Addressed 1031 cases and collected \$75,959.31.

Shively is a great place to live, and my priority as Mayor is to seek ways to improve it. I look forward to working with the city council, the staff, and the residents to make Shively thrive!

In solidarity,

Maria D. Johnson

Mayor Maria D. Johnson

#letsworktogether

#makeshivelythrive

Text My Gov

City of Shively

Report Issues & Find Information

Connect Via Text

Introducing a new way to skip a phone call and use your mobile phone's text messaging service to quickly report issues and/or find information on the go.

24/7 Assistance

Smart texting technology evaluates your input and searches keywords to provide you with assistance anytime, day or night.

Get Started

Text **Hi** or any of the featured keywords to: **502.200.2001**



City of Shively Alerts *(Additional Service Option)*

Receive City Text Message Notifications!

Opt-in today,
text **SHIVELYINFO** to: **91896**

91896

Notifications

What to Expect:

After the initial keyword is sent, you will receive a confirmation message asking you to reply YES to verify opt-in.

Message frequency varies.

Message and data rates may apply. Check with your carrier for more details.

How to Opt-Out:

Text STOP at any time to remove yourself from the notification list.

View terms and privacy policy info at: textmygov.com/opt-in-terms-conditions

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9:00am – 11:00am

The Heritage

(formerly Shively Community Building)

1901 Park Road

FREE **5TH ANNUAL** **SHIVELY** **COMMUNITY** **PANCAKE** **BREAKFAST**

pancakes, bacon, sausage, biscuits and
gravy, scrambled eggs, juice & coffee



SPONSORED BY MAYOR MARIA JOHNSON

RSVP TO MAYOR MARIA JOHNSON AT 502-977-1638 BY APRIL 15



PUBLIC WORKS INFORMATION

The Shively Department of Public Works has completed a study of twenty-two (22) streets for speedhumps eligibility. Eight (8) streets are eligible. Twelve (12) streets are not eligible. The speed data analysis for the twenty-two (22) streets tested can be reviewed on the city website, www.shivelyky.gov, speed hump information under the tab Community. Residents on the eight (8) eligible streets will receive a speedhump letter, and ballot in the mail. The form can also be found online, www.shivelyky.gov, on the public works page.

1. Kiefer Rd. between Luckert Ave. & Rockford Ln.
2. Savage Dr. between Garrs Ln. & Lynn Lea Rd.
3. 2600 Butler Rd. between 4000 Burrell Dr. & Lomond Dr.
4. Garrs Ln. between Ralph Ave. & Youngland Dr.
5. San Jose Ave. between Dixie Hwy. & Sadie Ln.
6. Heaton Rd. between Dixie Hwy. & Hillside Dr.
7. Farnsley Rd. between Fern Lea Rd. & Cane Run (I-264 overpass)
8. Auburn Dr. between Burrell Dr. & Candor Ave.

Residents on the fourteen (14) streets that did not pass the eligibility criteria will receive notifications in the mail.

1. Herbert Ave. between Dixie Hwy. & St. Joseph Ave.
2. Schaffner Dr. between Burrell Dr. & Crums Ln.
3. Wurtele Ave. between Ralph Ave. & Youngland Dr.
4. Kingswood Way between Cane Run Rd. & Jenlee Ln.
5. Kendall Ln. between Dixie Hwy. and Spen Lea Rd.
6. Burrell Rd. between Crums Ln. & Huber Rd.
7. Lynn Lea Rd. between Hillside Rd. & San Jose Ave.
8. Loney Ln. between Kennedy Rd. & corner of Loney Ln.
9. Nelson Ave. Between Dixie Hwy. & Loney Ln.
10. Van Hoose Rd. between Rockford Rd. & Lindsey Dr.
11. Middle Ln. between Eden Ln. & North Ln.
12. Neblett Ave. between Ralph Ave. & Hampstead Dr.
13. San Jose Ave. between Lynn Lea Rd. & Grandview Dr.
14. Fernheather Dr. between Ralph Ave. & Shadow Fern Dr.

Free Income Tax Filing

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program will help file your taxes for free at the Shively City Hall!



JANUARY 26 THROUGH APRIL 15
3920 DIXIE HIGHWAY
THURSDAYS: 6PM-9PM
SATURDAYS: 9AM-2PM
DROP-OFFS ONLY
CALL (502) 574-5687

EASTER EGG HUNT

SATURDAY APRIL 1, 2023
TIME 11:00 AM

1901 PARK ROAD/SHIVELY PARK

BRING YOUR OWN BASKET!





Jefferson County
Property Valuation Administrator
Colleen Younger



2023 Property Assessment:

How will it affect you?

To learn more about the assessment process and your right to appeal an assessment, join us at our hybrid community meeting. **Two ways to**

attend: Area 4 Meeting

In person- The Heritage (also known as Shively Community Center)

1901 Park Road

Shively, Kentucky 40216

April 6, 2023

6:30pm-8pm

or online- Zoom Link: <https://bit.ly/3XYCpS8>

Need Help?

Please contact us!

Phone: 502-574-6380

Chat (M-F 9am-3:30pm):

www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov

Email: PVA@jeffersonpva.ky.gov



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KENTUCKY HOMEOWNERSHIP
PROTECTION CENTER

TEAM
KENTUCKY

**Avoid
Foreclosure!**

Kentucky is launching a new federally-funded program to protect homeowners impacted by COVID-19.

Homeowner Assistance Fund (HOAF) Program

\$85.4 M

Total assistance from
the U.S. Treasury.

\$60 K

Maximum support a
Household can receive.

**Jan. 1,
2020**

Must have experienced
hardship after this date.

**Sept. 30,
2025**

Program ends on
this date.



www.protectmykyhome.org



The Team Kentucky Homeowner Assistance Fund will pay:

- Mortgage payments (up to 6 months of past due payments)
- Mortgage-related expenses
- Liens
- Homeowner's association fees, condominium association fees
- Property taxes
- Insurance
- Utilities

To qualify, homeowners must:

- Sign a document explaining their COVID hardship
 - Loss of income*
 - Increase in expenses*
- Have an income less than 150% of the area median income

Payments will be made:

- Up to \$60,000 per household
- Directly to those owed
 - Servicers
 - HOAs
 - Insurance companies
 - Tax assessors
 - Utility providers (electric, gas, water, sewer)

*Applicants must show a 10% or greater reduction in income or 10% or greater increase in household expenses. In order to qualify under the increase in expenses, applicants must also demonstrate a 30% monthly housing ratio. Inflation or higher costs for gas or groceries are not qualifiers for HOAF.

To learn more about eligibility requirements and to see if you qualify, visit www.protectmykyhome.org or call 866-830-7868.

Café LOUIE 2023



MEET YOUR LEGISLATORS *at the Louisville Free Public Library*

EVENTS OCCUR SATURDAYS FROM 9-10 A.M.

**SHIVELY LIBRARY SATURDAY, MARCH 18TH, 9 – 10 A.M.
HOT COFFEE & CONVERSATION WILL BE WAITING FOR YOU!**

<https://www.facebook.com/CafeLOUIE/>

POLICE DEPARTMENT



The Shively Police Department recently got the approval from Shively City Council to partner with Flock Safety to better serve the citizens of Shively by helping fight crime.

Flock Safety provides turnkey, crime-fighting technology to cities like ours. They build, install, maintain, and monitor the health of the camera hardware. We lease the hardware annually, pushing updates automatically so we always have the latest and greatest technology protecting our City.

The solar-powered system connects to the cloud using LTE; all hardware is conveniently placed on a pole, positioned at each entrance to the city. Based on a study conducted by Flock Safety, it was determined that we would need 15 cameras to cover our main entrances into our City. Each Flock camera provides 24/7 protection to our City while maintaining privacy.

New Flock Safety Cameras:

- Flock Safety cameras will be installed in 15 locations in our city to capture vehicles that enter our City as a means to improve residents' security and safety.
- Flock Safety cameras maintain a "hot list" of vehicles that are involved in criminal activity such as non-violent crimes, violent crimes, as well as Amber Alerts, Silver Alerts and Golden Alerts. When a vehicle from the "hot list" is captured on one of our cameras, officers will be notified immediately.
- There are several police departments that are around us that use Flock Safety such as LMPD, Jeffersontown, Indian Hills, Mt. Washington, Shepherdsville, Bullitt County, Jeffersonville IN, Lexington and Indianapolis just to name a few.

Here are some frequently asked questions:

- *What are the Flock Safety cameras dimensions?*
 - The Flock camera is 8.75" in length, 5" in height and 2.875" in width. They are solar powered and discreetly designed for aesthetic purposes.
- *Does Flock Safety help reduce crime?*
 - Communities with ALPR systems report crime reductions of up to 70 percent. In some areas, that included a 60 percent reduction in non-residential burglaries, 80 percent reduction in residential burglary, and a 40 percent reduction in robberies.
- *What do Flock Safety cameras record?*
 - Flock Safety cameras pride themselves on privacy which is why they only record vehicles and license plates and they do not record people or do facial recognition.
- *How is a license plate recognition (LPR) camera different from a traditional security camera?*
 - Regular security cameras record videos focusing on people and the overall context. License plate recognition cameras take still photos to focus solely on a vehicle and ensure a clear view of the license plate.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me.

Colonel Emery Frye

Chief of Police
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Shively Police Department
Colonel Emery Frye • Chief of Police

PLAN FOR SHIVELY



JOIN US!



Mayor Johnson's Forum
Thursday, APRIL 27 6pm

The City of Shively, in partnership with Louisville Metro's Office of Advanced Planning, is conducting a **community-guided planning process** that seeks to build on Shively's diversity, community pride, and family-friendliness.

Shively and Louisville Metro are committed to improving the city and responding to the ever-changing needs of residents and businesses. Previous meetings have identified several major focus areas that the project team is looking to explore in more detail:

- 1) promoting fresh food access
- 2) expanding housing options
- 3) improving road safety and increasing transportation options
- 4) build better sidewalks
- 5) create a vibrant downtown
- 6) create a public greenspace
- 7) plant more trees
- 8) build upon Shively's unique character and community pride.

In the meantime, you can learn more about the plan at PlanForShively.com where you can provide feedback, join the discussion, and review materials from previous meetings.



 **SCAN ME**



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IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Shively Police Dispatch
(502) 448-6181

Crime Tip Line
(502) 930-2773

Shively Fire Department 911

Shively City Hall (502) 449-5000
Mon – Fri 8 – 4:30 pm

Shively Public Works Department
(502) 449-5010
Mon – Fri 6:30 – 3 pm

Shively Public Library
Mon. – Thurs. 10 am – 9 pm
Fri., Sat. 10 am – 5 pm
Sunday Closed
(502) 574-1730

Shively Post Office
3131 Crums Lane
Mon. – Fri. 8 am – 5 pm
Sat. 9 am – 1 pm
Sunday Closed
502-449-2657

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