

2021

City of Shawnee
Annual Report



A FEW GOOD WORDS FROM **City Manager Nolan Sunderman**

Shawnee's stability shined in 2021, despite yet another rollercoaster year packed with new challenges. I am proud of how our community continued to pull together to move our City forward.

Innovation is a common theme in Shawnee, and I was excited to see yet another year of new ideas bringing life to our community. Just a few of those highlights include unique downtown development, the first phase of the Monticello Road Project, and our newest event that proved very popular, Moonlight Market.

We also focused on finding out what YOU want our community to look like now and in the future, through the Achieve Shawnee process. We spent months listening to YOUR ideas and then working to shape them into a new Comprehensive Plan that will guide our developments and decisions.

I am honored to be your City Manager, where I get to work closely with the community, with your City Council, and with the loyal public servants who work every day to serve YOU. I hope you take time to reflect on this annual report so we can all celebrate our accomplishments. None of this would be possible without our community and we are so very thankful for your support, engagement, and commitment to Shawnee.

Imagine Shawnee

Over the past year we have worked hard to take what you told us through Imagine Shawnee, and implement the Five Priority Pillars have been adopted by the Governing Body.



Attract diverse housing to meet the needs of a growing city



Create a safe, sustainable, inclusive, and interactive community



Design an environment where businesses thrive



Lead in maximizing and integrating natural resources



Provide exceptional city services and infrastructure

One of the first things we did was kick off a process to Achieve the vision you Imagined.

Achieve Shawnee, a long-awaited update to the City's Comprehensive Plan, was completed in 2021. At its core, a comprehensive plan is a vision for the future at a community scale. Comprehensive plans are created by and for the community to record shared goals and desires for themselves and their fellow community members. A comprehensive plan examines what a community is, where it came from, and crafts a coordinated road map for the future.

This new road map will guide the growth and development of the community for the next 10 to 20 years.

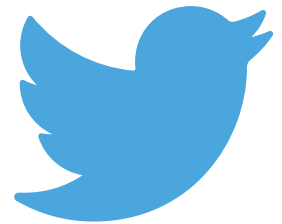


More than 345,332 Direct Mailers to Shawnee Residents



more than
16,443
likes on facebook.com
/CityofShawnee

Stay Connected!



more than
9,777
followers on Twitter
@CityofShawneeKS



more than
5,242
likes on Instagram
@shawneekansas

more than
777,882
visitors at cityofshawnee.org




more than
24,843
followers on
Nextdoor.com

11110 Johnson Drive
Shawnee, KS 66203
Hours: 8 a.m - 5 p.m.
Monday through Friday

Attract diverse housing to meet the needs of a growing city

2021 Permit valuation
\$225,439,191

 **171**
Residential Permits


639
New Multi-Family Units

5,831
Building Inspections

\$1,153,734
BUILDING PERMIT FEES COLLECTED

\$383,990
Average Cost for a New Home



\$527,606 Residential Permit Fees



Create a safe, sustainable, inclusive, and interactive community

206

Community Outreach Events



15 CPR Classes
61 people certified

Safe Senior Program



7,475 Police Citations



4,870 Municipal Violations Filed



8,415 Volunteer Hours

2,756

Fire Inspections



6,585

Fire Department
Calls for Service

92 Smoke Alarm
Installations



3,099 Youth Program Registrations



7,890 Adult Program Registrations



4,128 Senior Program Registrations



21,146

25



Child Car Seat Safety Inspections

HOURS DEDICATED TO PUBLIC SAFETY TRAINING

Design an environment where businesses thrive



CitizenServ Implementation

The City's New Online Permitting Software

1,533 Building Permits
with a construction value of
\$225,439,191

45



New Business Licenses



\$156,112

New Commercial Building
Permit Fees Collected



Lead in maximizing and integrating natural resources

Wilder Bluff Park



16,938

Hours Maintaining Parks and Green Spaces

9.696 Bike Lane Miles Maintained



3.5 ACRES

Native Prairie Planted



24.78

TRAIL MILES MAINTAINED

21 RECYCLE EVENT

400 pairs of eyeglasses • **9** pairs of jeans

8,000 lbs of paint • **80 bicycles**

107 TVs • **54** Computer Monitors

18,675 lbs of paper



Provide exceptional city services and infrastructure

1,075
ROW PERMITS
A

4,174



CityRide Trips Provided

29

New Hire Orientations

50

Lane Miles Resurfaced



3,133 Citizen Service Requests



4,269 Hours of Snow Removal Operations



5,803 IT Help Desk Tickets

12,388

On-Site Code Enforcement Inspections



\$19,522

MAYOR'S CHRISTMAS TREE FUND

3.4 Miles

Stormwater Infrastructure Replaced

Safe Senior Program

\$25M

375
ZOOM

Court Dockets

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS



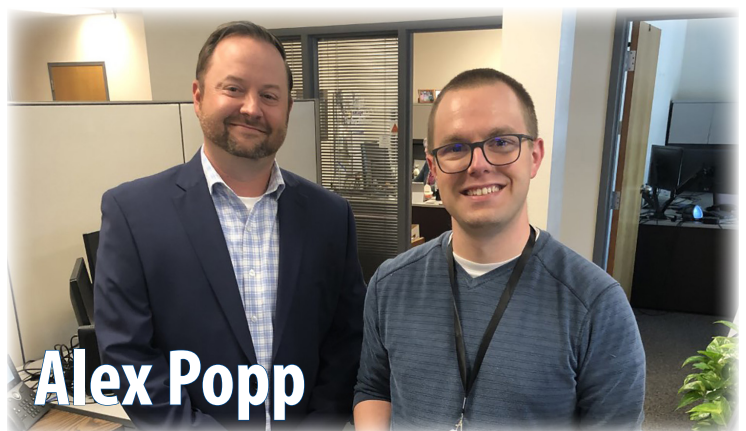
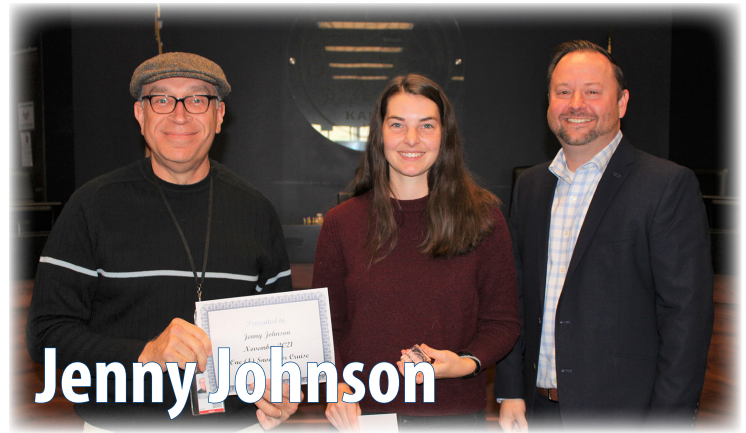
Good Employees Start Here.

We are so proud of all our winners and their innovative spirit that makes Shawnee stand out!

The City is proud to announce the winners of our Innovation Awards! An internal committee, Disruption by Design (DBD), unveiled this new program to recognize employees who initiated and cultivated ideas that will provide better services to residents, more efficiency, improved safety, or cost savings. The winning projects are:

- New maps to help staff be more efficient - Jason Bowman, Cheryl Muller
- New safety blocks for a police rescue vehicle - Brady Bergerhofer
- An interactive 360-degree tour of Shawnee Town 1929 - Jenny Johnson
- A revamped and expanded splash pad at Erfurt Park - Sean Keenan, Jason Rupp
- The use of a 3D printer to create safety equipment for the Fire Department - Chris Pagano
- A new GPS robotic line striper for athletic field - Darrell Thompson, Scott Fuller, Steve Wibbenmeyer

Excellence in Public Service Award Winners



Good Starts Here!

Accredited Public Works Department **R5 Certified**

Bicycle Friendly Community - Bronze Level

Tree City USA Bicycle Friendly Business - City Hall

American Heart Association Mission: Lifeline - EMS Teams Gold Plus Award

Accredited Police Department

Kansas City Business Journal Healthiest Employers

Purple Heart City Silver SolSmart Award

KC Chamber Healthy KC Certified Company

Digital Cities Award - 1st Place

GFOA Budget Award GFOA Financial Report Award

American Council of Engineering Companies Project Award - Nieman Road

AAA Bond Rating

Accredited Fire Department **ISO-1 Rating** Fire Department

Kansas Museums Association Technology Award - Virtual 360 Tour

Excellence in Concrete Awards, Municipal Paving - 43rd Street & Claire Road



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