



**DISCOVER
HAZELWOOD**

A photograph of the Hazelwood flag, which is white with a green tree silhouette in the center and a red section at the bottom right. The flag is waving against a clear blue sky.

New Resident Guide

**CITY HALL
ADDRESS:**

415 Elm Grove Ln
Hazelwood, MO 63042

314-839-3700

www.hazelwoodmo.org

Table of Contents

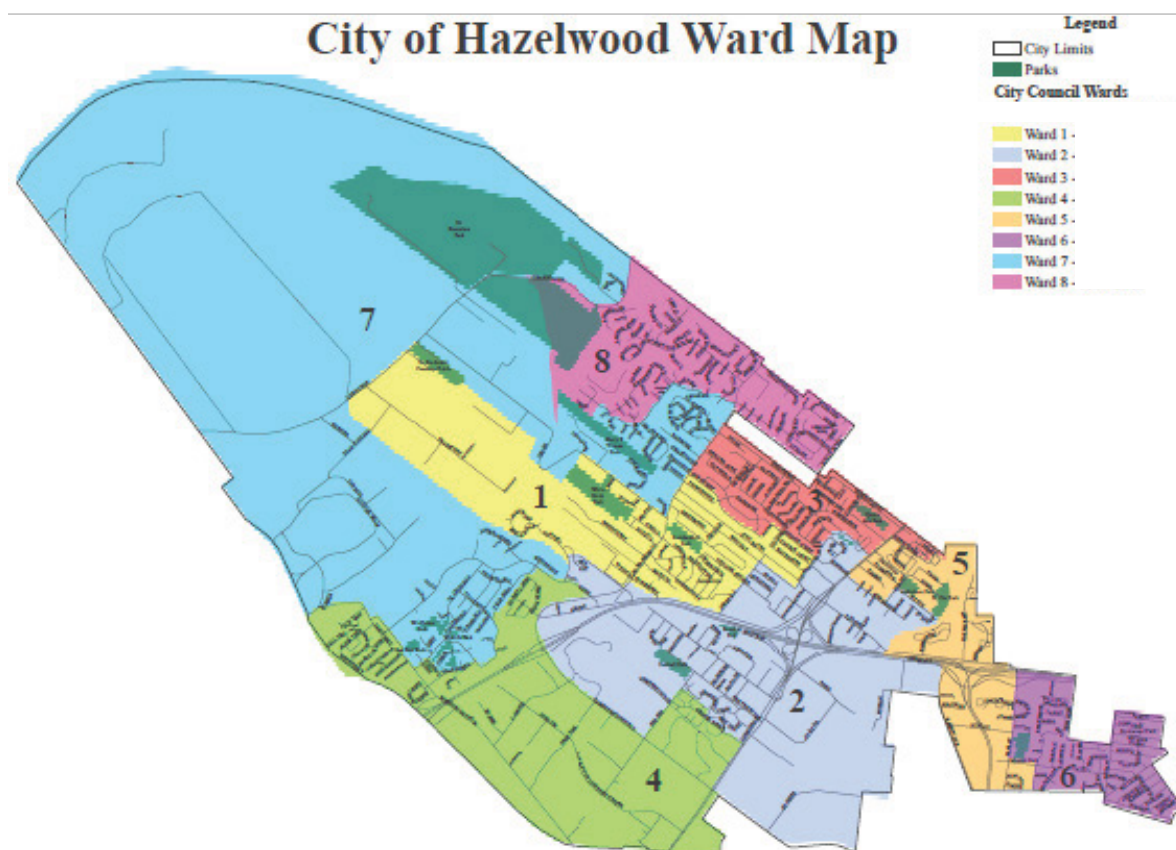
<i>Mayor and Council</i>	<i>Page 3</i>
<i>City History</i>	<i>Page 4</i>
<i>City Statistics</i>	<i>Page 5</i>
<i>City Departments</i>	<i>Page 6</i>
<i>City Services</i>	<i>Page 8</i>
<i>Phone Numbers to Know</i>	<i>Page 9</i>
<i>School Districts</i>	<i>Page 10</i>
<i>Frequently Asked Questions</i>	<i>Page 11</i>
<i>Ward Map</i>	<i>Page 12</i>
<i>Parks & Recreation Facilities</i>	<i>Page 13</i>

WELCOME TO THE CITY OF HAZELWOOD!

We are glad that you decided to make our beautiful City your new “hometown”. A Safe and Great City to Live, Work and Play!

The information contained in this guide will help you become familiar with our many fine amenities. It will also provide you with valuable information about City services, important phone numbers and frequently asked questions.

As the St. Louis County area continues to grow at a tremendous rate, Hazelwood City government employees are working hard to make sure you get the most for your tax dollars. As a resident, we encourage you to play an active role in the governing process. We invite you to attend City Council meetings which are held on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall.



Matthew G. Robinson, Mayor
mgorobinson@hazelwoodmo.org
(314) 839-3700

Ward 1

William Hoops
wchoops@hazelwoodmo.org
(314) 839-3700

Ward 2

Robert M. Aubuchon
rmaubucon@hazelwoodmo.org
(314) 837-3209

Ward 3

Lesli Henderson
lmhenderson@hazelwoodmo.org
(314) 346-8072

Ward 4

Kelly Wadlow
kmwadlow@hazelwoodmo.org
(314) 839-3700

Ward 5

Lisa M. Matlock
lmatlock@hazelwoodmo.org (314)
839-3700

Ward 6

Warren H. Taylor
whtaylor@hazelwoodmo.org
(314) 524-1119

Ward 7

Robert Smith
rcsmith@hazelwoodmo.org
(314) 839-3700

Ward 8

Jen Hatton
jmhatton@hazelwoodmo.org (314)
839-3700

Hazelwood History

Even though Hazelwood can trace our history all the way back to 1673 and the discovery of the confluence of the Missouri and Mississippi, our modern history began in the 1940's with the construction of the Ford Motor Company Assembly Plant and the Wabash Transit Company developing here. By 1949, the area was so desirable that the Village of Hazelwood was incorporated into St. Louis County to prevent an attempt by Florissant to annex the area.

Between 1950 and 1960, the population of the Village of Hazelwood blossomed from 336 residents to 6,045. By 1969 the population of Hazelwood had grown so large they were able to apply for city status. Hazelwood effectively became a Constitutional Charter City on April 7, 1970, when the first Mayor and six Ward Council Members took office. Under Hazelwood's Charter, a City Manager is the administrative officer for the City.

Through several annexations, the City of Hazelwood has increased its population from 14,082 in 1970 to 25,214 in 2023. The population increase and greater demand of municipal services has caused City Hall to move several times from the first location on Pershall Road to North Lindbergh Boulevard, and finally to its current location at 415 Elm Grove Lane in June of 1984. A quilt depicting the City's history is on display in City Hall.

The City of Hazelwood offers much that is desired in a community. Because of the tremendous amount of industry and commercial development in Hazelwood, the City has a good tax base and the tax rate is very low. The numerous businesses and industries also provide employment for residents. Hazelwood offers shopping centers, vehicle sales, complete banking services, doctors, restaurants, hotels, churches of many denominations, and AAA rated school districts.



CITY STATISTICS

City Population

2023 Census.....	25,458
Male.....	11,863
Female.....	13,595
Caucasian.....	12,347
African/American.....	10,412
Other.....	2,699
Median Age.....	38.4

City Facts

Recreation Centers.....	2
Parks.....	16
Acres of Park Land.....	179
Fire Insurance Rating.....	2
Total Housing Units.....	11,737
Commercial Utility Tax Rate	6%

State Roads

US 67 (Lindbergh Boulevard)
Interstate 170
Interstate 270
Highway 370

County Roads

Aubuchon Road/Charbonier Road
Dunn Road
Hanley Road
Howdershell Road
McDonnell Boulevard
Missouri Bottom Road
Pershall Road
Taylor Road



CITY DEPARTMENTS

City Manager

The City Manager is the Chief Administrative Officer for the City of Hazelwood. The City Manager is responsible for all operations of the City. The City Manager also advises the City Council on matters of policy and implements all City Council decisions. The City's Manager's office includes the following programs and services: human relations, community and economic development, communications, and planning and zoning. Administering the floodplain program and liaison with FEMA also falls under the City Manager's responsibilities.

City Clerk

The City Clerk's Office is responsible for maintaining official City records; preparing and codifying ordinances; conducting municipal elections; processing land use permits, rezoning and subdivision petitions, and liquor license applications; managing City Council correspondence and meeting minutes; handling Council communications; attesting, indexing, and filing ordinances, proclamations, and resolutions; administering oaths of office; certifying elections; maintaining internal manuals; responding to records requests and public inquiries; and coordinating public hearings, legal notices, and litigation. The City Clerk also serves as liaison and Secretary to the Board of Adjustment, Architectural Board of Review, Board of Appeals, and Board of Review.

Finance

The Finance Department is a four person office headed by the Finance Director. In addition to processing monthly financial statements and a Comprehensive Annual Report, establishing and implementing control procedures, investing idle funds, processing all City expenditures, biweekly payrolls, monitoring payroll procedures, annual business licenses and coordinating annual budget preparation, the Finance Department provides pet tags, which are required, and pet releases.

Municipal Court

The Hazelwood Municipal Court is a division of the St. Louis County Circuit Court. It adjudicates cases involving ordinance violations that occur within the City. The Court also maintains a Traffic Violations Bureau allowing fines for certain violations to be paid without a court appearance.

Police Department

The Hazelwood Police Department has the reputation of being one of the best law enforcement agencies in St. Louis County. Its primary functions are the protection of life and property, the preservation of peace and order, safe movement of traffic, provision for emergency service and the delivery of effective and efficient quality service.

The Department consists of 67 sworn police officers, 15 full-time civilians and 5 part-time civilians who are committed to “Proactive Neighborhood Problem Solving”.

Code Enforcement

The purpose of the Code Enforcement Division is to promote and improve the health, safety and welfare of the citizens and occupants of Hazelwood through an effective and diligent pro-active code compliance program.

City Code Enforcement Officers are responsible for the enforcement of Hazelwood codes, ordinances and regulations, including but not limited to Building Codes and Ordinances, Residential and Commercial Occupancy Permit Program, Minimum Housing and Nuisance Violations.

Fire Department

The Hazelwood Fire Department is responsible for providing fire protection, rescue and emergency management, and paramedic-equipped emergency medical service, including ambulance transportation.

The Hazelwood Fire Department responds to every structural fire within the city limits of Hazelwood, some parts of the city are covered by the Florissant Valley Fire Protection District or the Robertson Fire Protection District.

The Fire Department also installs child safety seats, does home safety inspections, and provides free smoke detectors and bike helmets to those in need.

Public Works

The Public Works Director is a registered professional engineer who also serves as the City Engineer, and administers the divisions listed below, the solid waste program and the sewer lateral repair program.

Parks & Recreation

The City operates two major recreation centers - the Hazelwood Community Center, 1186 Teson Road, and Civic Center East, 8969 Dunn Road. It also manages the White Birch Bay Aquatic Center, Missouri's first 18 hole Disc Golf Course, the Hazelwood Sports Complex, the Spray Ground at Musick Park and 16 community parks which feature picnic pavilions, play areas, fitness courses and sport fields.

Street and Park Maintenance

The Street and Parks Maintenance Division is responsible for the maintenance and repair of all streets, parks, city owned buildings, vehicles, street signs, snow removal, brush chipping, leaf collection, rat abatement and other duties and emergencies as they arise. The Division also administers the Contract with St. Louis County for mosquito and vector control.

City Services

Fall Leaf Collection



The City of Hazelwood is among a handful of municipalities that offers a Fall Leaf Collection program for its residents. The program usually begins in mid-October and ends around mid-December. A list showing the street schedule is printed in the Parks and Recreation Activity Guide. Residents are asked to rake their leaves to the edge of the street curb during the week prior to their street's designated pick-up week on the schedule. City crews bring around vacuum machines and suck up all the leaves on each street two times during the collection program.

Spring Brush Pick-Up Collection



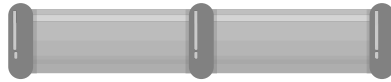
To help residents clean their yards of tree limbs and shrubbery trimmings after the winter season, the City of Hazelwood offers a Spring Brush Clean-Up program from mid-March to mid-May. Residents are asked to stack their trimmings at the curb, with the cut ends facing the street, by 7 a.m. of the Monday morning of their designated pick-up schedule. A list showing the street schedule is printed in the Parks and Recreation Activity Guide. City crews will go around and collect brush on each street one time only.

Home Improvement Program



The City's federally funded Home Improvement Plan is offers up to \$5,000 in home repairs for eligible homeowners at NO COST. To be eligible, you must own and live in your home, your property taxes must be current, and you must meet the required income limits. For more information, please contact the St. Louis County Home Improvement Program office at (314) 615-8232.

Sewer Lateral Program



The City of Hazelwood's Sewer Lateral Program is a reimbursement program to assist residents with failed sewer lateral lines. If eligible for the program, the City will reimburse 90% of the cost of camera work for a failed line, and 90% of repair work for the failed lateral line. For eligibility requirements and application information, please visit the City's website at www.hazelwoodmo.org

Tree Planting Program



The tree planting program helps to beautify the city's properties by partially refunding residents for planting up to two non-fruit bearing trees per living space on their property. Once the tree has been properly purchased and planted, the resident can be refunded up to half the cost of the tree or \$25 per tree.

Recycle Day



Every year, the city's Green Committee hosts a "Recycle Day" that allows citizens to drop off most electronics, car parts, waste oil, antifreeze, and scrap metal for recycling. Paper shredding will also be provided (limit two boxes per car). Residents may recycle ONE (1) older-style tube TV or TWO (2) flat screen TVs/monitors for free as long as funding allows. Fees apply for additional TVs. Tires may be recycled for \$3 per car or \$5 per larger tire. This is accomplished through partnerships with Republic Services, Citishred, Auto World, Spectrum Ecycle and Remains.

PHONE NUMBERS TO KNOW

All Emergencies
Fire, Police, Medical
Call 911

Non-Emergency

Police (314) 838-5000
Fire (314) 731-3424

City Facilities

City Hall (314) 839-3700
Police Department (314) 838-5000
Fire Department – Station #1 (314) 731-1100
Fire Department – Administration/Station #2 (314) 731-3424
Street/Park Maintenance (314) 731-8701
Community Center (314) 731-0980
Civic Center East (314) 839-5575

City Information

General Information (314) 839-3700
Animal Control (314) 838-5000
Building Permits/Inspections (314) 513-5033
Commercial Occupancy Permits/Inspections (314) 513-5033
Residential Occupancy Permits/Inspections (314) 513-5032
Code Enforcement (314) 513-5032/(314) 513-5033
Business Licenses/Taxes/Pet Tags (314) 513-5042
City Council/Elections/Ordinances (314) 513-5020
Municipal Courts (314) 839-2212
Human Resources (314) 513-5015

Other Services

Florissant Valley Fire Protection District (314) 837-4894
Robertson Fire Protection District (314) 291-6671
St. Louis County Government Center (314) 615-5000
Prairie Commons Library (314) 994-3300

Utilities

Ameren UE (314) 342-1000
Missouri American Water (866) 430-0820
MSD (314) 768-6260
Republic Services (636) 947-5959
Spire (314) 621-6960

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Hazelwood School District

Administration Center

15995 New Halls Ferry Road
Florissant, MO 63031
(314) 953-500

Transportation Center

15795 New Halls Ferry Road
Florissant, MO 63031
(314) 953-5950

Elementary Schools

Armstrong	6255 Howdershell Road	(314) 953-4000
Garrett	1400 Ville Rosa Lane	(314) 953-4200
McNair	585 Coachway Lane	(314) 953-4700
Russell	7350 Howderhsell Road	(314) 953-4750

Middle & High Schools

Hazelwood West Middle	12834 MissouriBottom Road	(314) 953-7800
Hazelwood West Senior High	#1 Wildcat Lane	(314) 953-5800

Ferguson-Florissant School District

Administration Center

1005 Waterford Drive
Florissant, MO 63033
(314) 506-9000

Transporatation Center

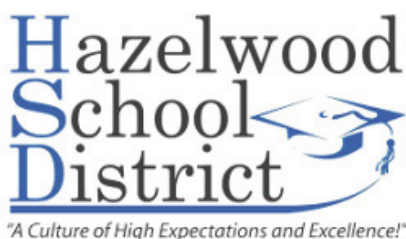
1896 South Florissant Road
Florissant, MO 63121
(314) 506-9370

Middle Schools

Cross Keys Middle	14205 Cougar Road	(314) 506-9700
Ferguson Middle	701 January Avenue	(314) 506-9600

High Schools

McCluer North	705 Waterford Center	(314) 506-9200
McCluer Senior	1896 South Florissant	(314) 506-9400



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Where do I get my required occupancy inspection and permit?

Residents can obtain occupancy inspections and permits from the Public Works Department at City Hall, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, call (314) 513-5032.

Where do I get a Hazelwood resident card?

Resident cards can be processed at the Community Center or Civic Center East. Residents must bring picture identification and proof of residency within the last 30 days.

When is bulky trash pick-up in my neighborhood?

Bulky trash collection is available from Republic Services. Call (636) 947-5959 for more information.

Where do I take yard waste?

Curbside collection of yard waste is available from Republic Services. Call (636) 947-5959 for more information. The City offers a Spring Brush Pickup Program and a Fall Leaf Collection Program. Check the resident newsletter for more information on those programs.

Where can I obtain an accident report or police report?

Accident reports and police reports may be obtained, for a fee, from the Police Records office at City Hall.

Where do I pay a City of Hazelwood ticket?

You may pay ticket fines at the Municipal Courts Division at City Hall, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on scheduled Court days.

How many dogs or cats can I have?

Only two (2) dogs and one (1) cat, or two (2) cats and one (1) dog, are allowed on any individual property.

Where do I get the required pet tag?

Residents can obtain a form for a pet tag from the Finance Department in City Hall. Residents must provide a copy of current rabies vaccination.

Do I need a license for my home business?

Yes, a Home Occupation License is required. Contact the Finance Department at City Hall at (314) 513-5042 for more information.

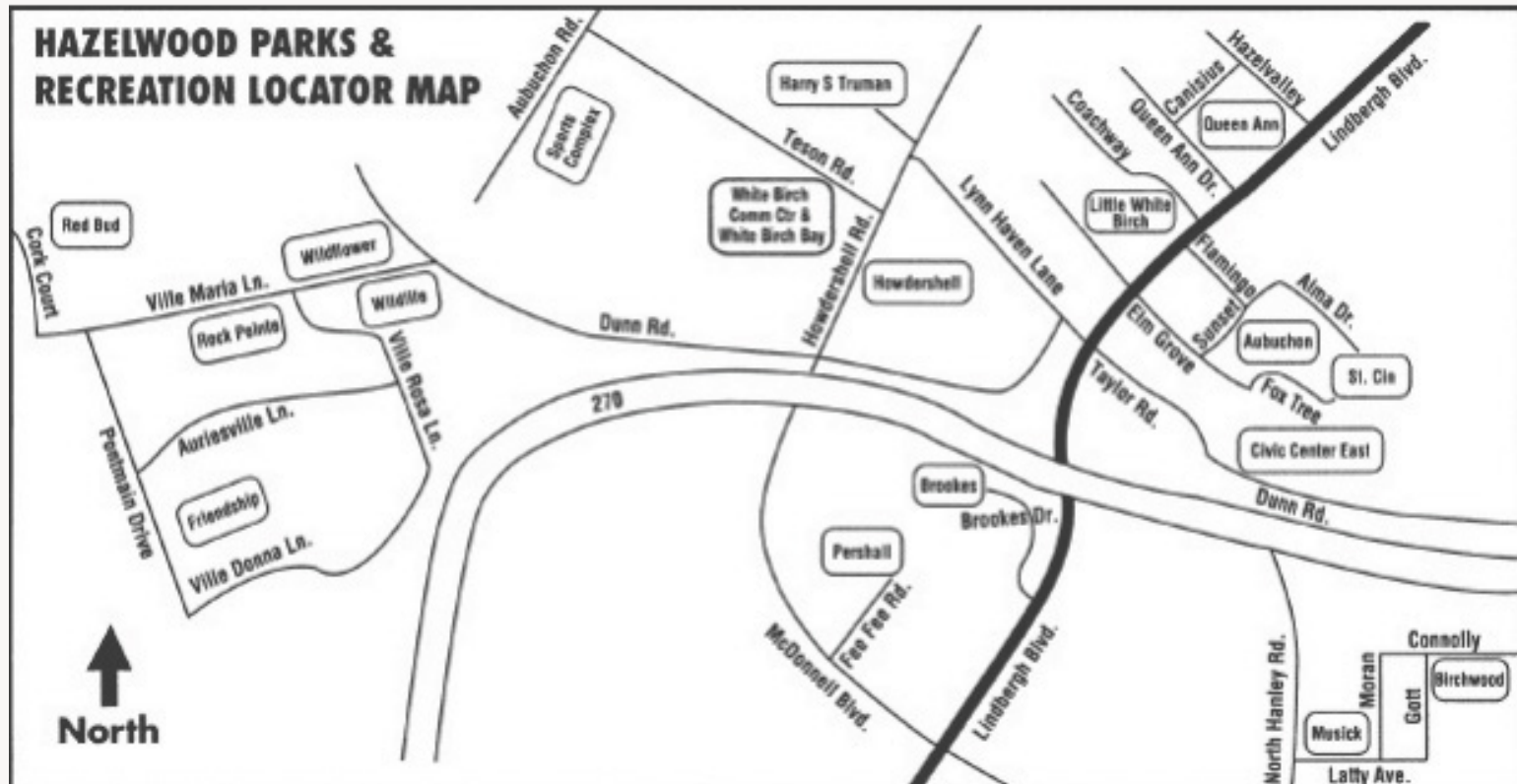
WARD MAP

City of Hazelwood Ward Map

- Legend**
- City Limits
 - Parks
 - City Council Wards**
 - Ward 1
 - Ward 2
 - Ward 3
 - Ward 4
 - Ward 5
 - Ward 6
 - Ward 7
 - Ward 8



PARKS & RECREATION FACILITIES



- Aubuchon Park – 161 St. Cin Lane
- Birchwood Park – 202 Connolly Drive
- Brookes Park – 420 Brookes Drive
- Civic Center East – 8969 Dunn Road
- Community Center – 1186 Teson Road
- Friendship Park – 5140 Auriesville Lane
- Harry S Truman Park – 7037 Howdershell Road
- Howdershell Park – 6800 Howdershell Road
- Little White Birch Park – 436 Coachway Lane
- Musick Park – 8617 Latty Avenue
- Pershall Park – 6095 Fee Fee Road
- Queen Ann Park – 300 Chez Paree Drive
- Red Bud Park – 1623 Cork Court
- Rock Pointe Park – 5153 Auriesville Lane
- Sports Complex – 4622 Aubuchon Road
- St. Cin Park – 135 St. Cin Lane
- White Birch Park – 1186 Teson Road
- Wildflower Park – 5159 Ville Maria Lane
- Wildlife Park – 1565 Ville Rosa Lane