



## City of Munford, Tennessee

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Dwayne Cole, Mayor

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Mayor's Report  
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After many weeks of legal issues related to easement questions, Chick-fil-A has now purchased the property at 11103 Highway 51 S next to McDonalds in Munford. The construction plan has been approved by the Planning Commission, and we anticipate an announcement to begin construction soon. We look forward to eating "More Chicken."

On February 11, the Munford Planning Commission received a construction plan review from Starbucks for their proposed new restaurant on Highway 51 S adjacent to the Chick-fil-A site. The plan was approved upon all contingencies being addressed. We look forward to welcoming Starbucks and Chick-fil-A to our Munford/South Tipton County business community soon.

Munford Fire Department received a request for Swiftwater team members to respond to an emergency situation in Rives, TN, which is located in Obion County, on February 16. Approximately two hundred (200) residents needed rescue from the rising Obion River and members from Munford, Atoka, Covington, and Tipton County Fire responded to the call. They spent 13 hours on scene, assisting with rescues and mandatory evacuations. Thank you to Munford Firefighters Josh Thompson and Keith Kauhi for your preparation, readiness, and willingness to assist. We are proud of you!

As you might guess, the wet and frigid weather has hampered progress on our playground construction at City Park, Valentine Park, and Poplar Park as well as Veterans Plaza. With drier and warmer weather, crews will hopefully be able to get back on site to continue with these exciting projects.

As we begin the new calendar year, our Department Heads, as well as the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, are setting goals and objectives for 2025 and beyond. It is our goal to preserve our small-town charm and community focused quality of life while planning for the future. I commend all who are contributing to make Munford "My Kind of Town."

Best regards and anticipating Spring,

Dwayne Cole, Mayor  
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