

COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES

**June 18, 2020 – 4:00 p.m.
City Hall (via video conferencing)**

A Council work session was held via video conferencing for a COVID-19 update.

Attending: Mayor Bill McMurray and Councilmembers Russell Moore, Brian Myers, Marty Novak, Kent O'Dell and Gary Roach.

Chris Connally, Interim City Manager/Police Chief; Bryan Carter, City Attorney; Debra Bradley, Health Director; Amy Cohorst, Human Resources Director; Tom Mahoney, Interim Administrative Services Director; Andy Clements, Public Works & Transportation Director; Mary Robertson, Asst. to the City Manager/Communications & Public Relations Manager; Paul Flury, Network Administrator; and Paula Heyde, City Clerk.

Mayor Bill McMurray called the meeting to order.

Mayor McMurray previously emailed Dr. Gary Clapp's, Associate Chemistry Professor at Missouri Western State University, most recent charts on the "Cases per day after Triumph Results," "14 Day Moving Average June 16" and "10 Day Moving Average June 16." He said today the State Health Department reports that Buchanan County has 800 cases, up from 793 yesterday. There are currently 10 people in the hospital with three in ICU and one of them on a vent. The daily rise in cases is still on a downward trajectory. Mosaic reported one new death attributed to COVID-19.


Debra Bradley, Health Director, said there is no community testing planned at this time. The County has earmarked \$100,000.00 in CARES Act funds for the City to hire some temporary employees to do some contact testing.

In response to a question on whether the University is going to do any testing, Dr. Clapp said they will know by the middle of next week what they will be doing.

A majority of Councilmembers favored meeting weekly to review the numbers.

Another work session was scheduled for next Thursday, June 25, 2020, at 4:00 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 4:17 p.m.



Minutes transcribed by Paula Heyde, CMC, City Clerk.

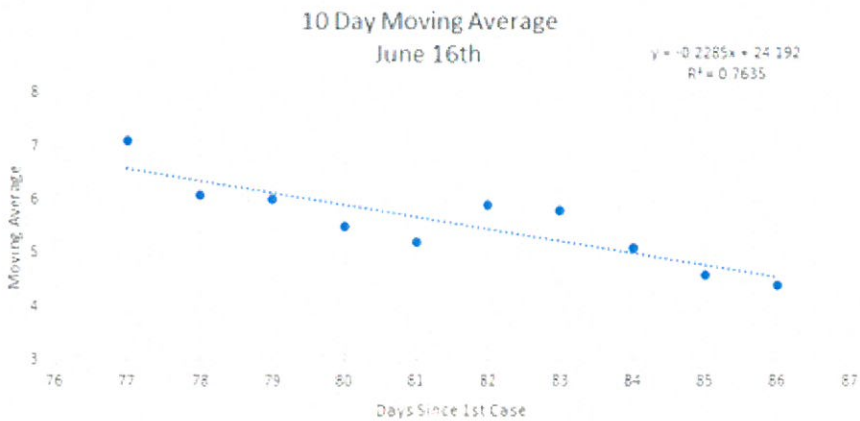
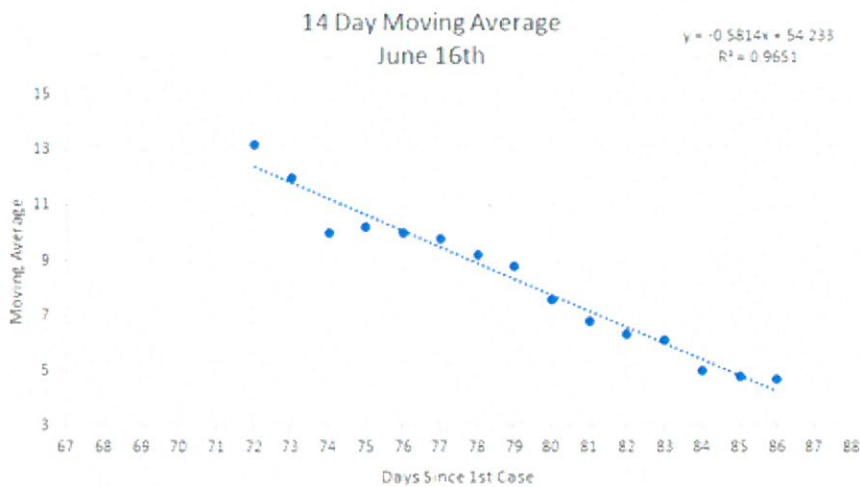
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From: Bill McMurray
Sent: Thursday, June 18, 2020 1:21 PM
To: Council Members/Open Records Communication
Cc: Mary Robertson
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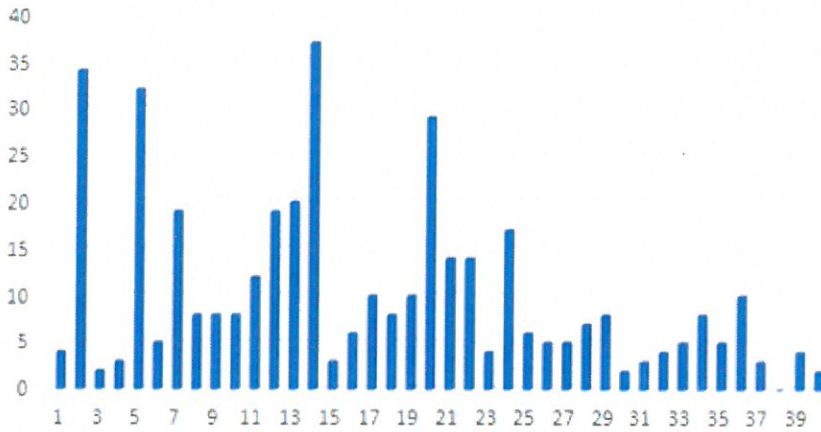
Council – Following are numbers for your review – in preparation for our 4PM work session – THANKS, Bill

From: Clapp, Gary <gclapp@missouriwestern.edu>
Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2020 2:37 PM
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Subject: Debra's data

Everything is good so far!



Cases Per Day after Triumph Results



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