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# MCCAUSLAND MEANDERINGS

Happy April! We hope the showers bring beautiful May flowers. There is a lot of news this month so please take a moment to read the newsletter. There are happenings you won't want to miss!

## **COMPUTER RAFFLE**

E-WASTE

The City has two desktop computers that have been available for public use. However, no one ever comes in to use them. Therefore, we have decided to give them away! Yes, you read right - GIVE THEM AWAY for free. This include the tower, monitor, keyboard and mouse. Just email me your name and phone number and I will enter you into the drawing. We will draw at the council meeting on May 14th at 6 p.m. Email at Clerk@cityofmccausland.com before May 13th!



E-waste, also known as electronic waste, is computers, screens, televisions, cell phones, printers, cartridges, copiers, stereos, batteries, or any digital electronic device with a screen or circuit board. These items can be shredded, recycled, or reused through the Scott County Recycling program. They use state-of-the-art hardware and software to destroy all information found on hard drives slated for reuse. All data they receive is securely managed and destroyed. \*\*continued on next page\*\*

## **E-WASTE (CONT.)**

Scott County Recycling center also partners with Habitat for Humanity's ReStore to sell refurbished laptops, computers and other electronic and musical devices.

How can you contribute to this worthwhile cause you ask? Easy! Bring your unwanted, outdated, broken electronic items to our drop off location at the park on Saturday, May 18th from 8am to noon. We will take your items to the recycling center for you. Of course, you can also take your items any time of the year for free as well.

THIS EVENT IS FOR MCCAUSLAND RESIDENTS ONLY!! Tony will be manning the drop off location.



#### BURNING

There was some concern about burning over the past month. This is a reminder to always check the Scott County website to determine if there is a burn ban in place. If there is, then no burning is allowed in town either. If you see a fire during a burn ban, please call 911 immediately so enforcement can take place and an investigation can be initiated on how the fire started. Also, please use common sense when burning on your

property. Notice the wind conditions and avoid smoking out your neighbors. This is especially important in the fall with leaves. Don't burn grass piles. We are looking into a collection program. If you are interested in that service, please let city hall know.

#### ROADS

One last reminder - Tony works hard to keep our roads in good condition. The time of year, weather conditions and supplies all dictate when certain things can be done. Please do not put any additional gravel in holes. In order to patch, this all has to be removed so you are creating double work for him. Thanks!!

