

More from the Municipal Code

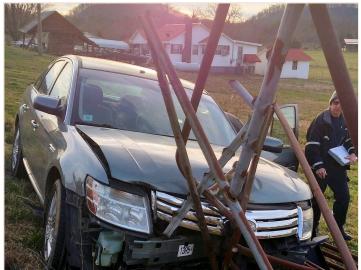
According to the Athens Municipal code, the creating of any unreasonably loud, disturbing, and unnecessary noise is prohibited. That includes blowing horns on any automobile or motorcycle while not in motion except as a danger signal if another vehicle is approaching, apparently out of control. If your vehicle is in motion, horns can be used only as a danger signal after or as brakes are being applied and deceleration of the vehicle is intended.

- The playing of any radio, phonograph, or musical instrument between 11 p.m. and 7 a.m. at a volume loud enough to disturb the quiet of people in any office, hospital, residence, or hotel is prohibited. Yelling, shouting, hooting, whistling, or singing on the public streets at any time loud enough to annoy or disturb the quiet of people in hospitals, dwellings, or hotels is not allowed.
- Keeping animals or birds which make frequent or long continued noise that disturb the comfort or repose of any person in the vicinity is not allowed.
- The use of any automobile or motorcycle so out of repair, so loaded, or in such manner as to cause loud and unnecessary grating, grinding, rattling, or other noises is prohibited.
- The blowing of any steam whistle attached to any stationary boiler, except to give notice of the time to begin or stop work or as a warning of fire or danger, is not allowed.

Car Hits Fence on CR 508

The driver of this 2008 Ford Taurus narrowly escaped injury when he lost control on County Road 508, Englewood, hitting a fence and gage last Saturday morning. Etowah and Englewood Rural Fire Departments along with AMR all responded. Deputy Caleb Latham with the McMinn County Sheriff's Department investigated the accident.

(Photo by Lynn Ingram with the Englewood Rural Fire Dept)







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Obituaries

• Virginia "Kay" Salazar, age 73, of Decatur, died February 6th at her home. The family will receive friends at Bowers Funeral Home from 5 to 7 p.m this Friday, with the funeral service to follow at 7 p.m.

• **Carole Yvonne Heavner**, age 53, of Decatur, died February 7th at U.T. Medical Center. The family will have a gathering of friends this Saturday from 4 to 6 p.m. at Bowers Funeral Home. A celebration of life will be held on a later date in Florida.

• **Trudy (Gertrud) Eulberg Plemons,** age 94, of Athens, died on February 8th at her home. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Smith Funeral Home, with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. at Smith.

• Kenneth (Kenny) Lynn Parson, Jr., age 57, of Athens, died Sunday at Starr Regional Medical Center as a result of a stroke. He had worked at Bowater-Resolute for the past 34 years. At his request, there will be no formal visitation. A private ceremony will be held later with the family. Smith Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of arrangements.

• Michael Van Walker, age 62, of Riceville, died last Friday at Starr Regional Medical Center. There will be no formal services at this time. Companion Funeral Home of Athens is in charge of arrangements.

• **Dorothy LaVonne Babian**, age 99, formerly of Athens, died recently. There will be no visitation and a private service. Smith Funeral and Cremation Services is in charge of the arrangements.

Community News You Can Use

✓ The Main Street Athens Board of Directors has unanimously agreed to proceed with a merger with the Downtown Business Association. The executive committees of both organizations have researched the merger for six months and a memorandum of understanding has been drafted to outline the mutually agreed upon conditions pertaining to both organizations. Members of the DBA are asked to review the memorandum and to respond back no later than February 13th with approvals, questions, or concerns.

 \checkmark Wednesday morning at 9 in the Athens Municipal Building the Athens Police Department will have a swearing-in ceremony to welcome four new police officers and one returning officer and to announce two promotions.

✓ The Woodlawn chapter of the Family & Community Education Clubs of McMinn County will meet the 2nd Thursday of each month. Contact Wanda Worley at 423-799-1786 for time and location.

✓ The E.G. Fisher Public Library will have a class on "Introduction to Facebook" Wednesday, Feb. 13th, at 10 a.m. The class is free. Call 745-7782 to register.

✓ The Good Faith Clinic will meet today at Christ Community Church at 14 South Congress Parkway. The doors open at 2:30 p.m. The clinic is for residents of McMinn and Meigs counties who have no insurance. Proof of residency is required.

TODAY IN HISTORY—FEBRUARY 12th 1809 - Abraham Lincoln, our 16th president, was born. BIG A Under his presidency, slavery was abolished. 1809 - Charles Darwin was born. His theories on evolution that plants and animals evolved from a few common ancestors contradict Biblical teaching that God created hu-SMALL PRICE man beings in His own image. 1870 - Women in the Utah Territory gained the right to For Information, vote. 1878 - The baseball catcher's mask was patented. That cut down on a lot of black eyes for catchers. call 746-1390 or 1909 - The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People was founded in New York. 1935 - Singer Gene McDaniels was born. His biggest hit email: was "A Hundred Pounds of Clay." 1973 - North Vietnam released the first group of U.S. miliwyxi@bellsouth.net tary men being held as prisoners of war.