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TOWN OF COLLIERVILLE HONORS FORMER COMMISSIONER DAVID BRADFORD WITH MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

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COLLIERVILLE, Tenn. — The Town of Collierville officially declared Monday, Sept. 14, 2026, as "David Bradford Day" in recognition of former Shelby County Commissioner David Bradford and his years of public service.

Bradford served eight years as the county commissioner representing Collierville and was recognized for his commitment to the community and contributions to Shelby County residents.

During his tenure, Bradford played an instrumental role in helping the Collierville Citizens Police Association secure numerous grants to support its efforts and initiatives.

The proclamation, issued by the mayor, honors Bradford for his dedicated public service and his commitment to improving the community.

"The Town of Collierville extends its appreciation to David Bradford for his many years of service and dedication to our community," the town said in announcing the proclamation.

Community members expressed their gratitude to Bradford for his service and wished him success in his next chapter.

Source: Town of Collierville, Photos courtesy Town of Collierville.



COLLIERVILLE FIREFIGHTERS HELP CONTAIN RESIDENTIAL FIRE, PREVENT SPREAD TO NEARBY HOMES

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GERMANTOWN, Tenn. — Collierville Fire & Rescue crews joined Germantown and Bartlett firefighters Sept. 9 to help contain a large residential fire off Poplar Pike, preventing the flames from spreading to nearby homes.

Germantown firefighters arrived to find intense flames and heavy smoke coming from the residence, with neighboring

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COLLIERVILLE RANKS AMONG TENNESSEE'S SAFEST COMMUNITIES, REPORT SAYS

COLLIERVILLE, Tenn. — Collierville ranked as the fifth-safest municipality in Tennessee in 2025 among communities with populations of more than 40,000, according to a newly released report from the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation.

The TBI's annual Crime in Tennessee 2025 report shows Collierville's Group A crime rate was about 43% below the statewide average.

Group A offenses, tracked through Tennessee's incident-based reporting system, include crimes against people, property and society, including assaults, burglaries, thefts, vehicle thefts, fraud, drug violations and weapons offenses.

Collierville recorded its lowest number of reported crimes since 2004 in 2025, according to the report. The city also has experienced a steady decline in reported crime since 2020.

Preliminary data for 2026 indicate the downward trend may continue, with Collierville on pace to record fewer reported offenses than it did in 2025.

"These numbers reflect the daily dedication of our officers, dispatchers, detectives, jailers, and professional staff," Collierville Police Chief Dale Lane said. "They also show the tremendous impact of Collierville's engaged and supportive community. Keeping Collierville safe is truly a team effort, and we are grateful for everyone who plays a part."



The Collierville Police Department said it will continue to emphasize proactive policing, community partnerships and ongoing improvements as part of its efforts to maintain public safety.

The department said those efforts are intended to help keep Collierville a safe and welcoming community for residents, workers and visitors.

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