

Where has 2023 gone? This year is much of the same; we blink, and it's gone. As I reflect on 2023, I realize that this year flew by because we had a full year of accomplishments and finalized many achievements for Frankfort. We completed and opened Sapphire Bay at TPA Park. We finally have a new police headquarters that was built specifically for our police officers. We lowered our spending within our city due to grant funding that would not have been possible without our employees researching, applying, and receiving grants. This year, we have welcomed numerous new business owners and property owners to Frankfort.

I am excited to lead the City of Frankfort into 2024. We have been busy planning on what the next four years could look like. Our big project will be the annexation to 1-65, which will take place in March of 2024, and we will provide services in 2025. We will be carefully looking at our budgets and ensuring we are fiscally responsible to our citizens while providing the best service to our community. In 2024, we will look at designing and placing Fire Station #4 in our new annexed area. This new station will be another public safety amenity to help attract new growth and development. We have so many projects in the works, and this is just the beginning. I get excited for the future of the City of Frankfort because I want it to be a city where we all can live, work, and thrive.

As the hustle and bustle of the holiday season ends, I ask that you pause and enjoy life's moments with your friends and family because you will blink, and it will be over. I hope you are enjoying our vibrant community full of life and kindness this holiday season.

Serving the City of Frankfort as your Mayor has been a blessing, and I look forward to serving you for years to come.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

God Bless,

Mayor Judy Sheets

