

Interesting City Facts for Bowling Green and Kentucky Cities

- The City of Bowling Green was founded in 1798.
- The population estimate for Bowling Green is over 50,000.
- City Hall was built in 1907 and it has been used as a jail, night court and a library.
- Bowling Green is a City Manager form of government. Our City Manager is Kevin DeFebbo.
- Bowling Green has a Board of Commission that includes one mayor and four commissioners. Our current Mayor is Elaine Walker and our Commissioners are Joe Denning, Brian Slim Nash, Brian Strow, and Bruce Wilkerson.
- The Board of Commissioners meet twice a month. All City Commission meetings are open to the public and they are aired live on channel 4.
- Around 500 people work for the City of Bowling Green (some of those are part time and seasonal).
- The Capital City of Kentucky is Frankfort.
- There are 422 cities in Kentucky.
- The City of Bowling Green Mayor runs for four years and City Commissioners run for two years. The Mayor can run for three terms (12 years) and a Commissioner can run for a limitless number of terms.
- Bowling Green currently owns and operates 24 parks (including Covington, Lampkin, Kereiakes and Fountain Square Park) and maintains 896.26 acres
- You can visit the City of Bowling Green's website at www.bgky.org.