

Chapter 1 : Welcome to the Administrative Department of the City of Florence, Kentucky

City Council meets November 13 (Tuesday), - PM in Council Chambers, City Center, W. Evans St. City Note City of Florence offices will be closed on Monday, November 12, in observance of Veterans Day.

After their suppression, Florence came under the sway of the Albizzi family, who became bitter rivals of the Medici. In the 15th century, Florence was among the largest cities in Europe, considered rich and economically successful. Life was not idyllic for all residents though, among whom there were great disparities in wealth. Although the city was technically a democracy of sorts, its power came from a vast patronage network along with his alliance to the new immigrants, the *gente nuova* new people. The fact that the Medici were bankers to the pope also contributed to their ascendancy. Lorenzo was a great patron of the arts, commissioning works by Michelangelo, Leonardo da Vinci and Botticelli. Lorenzo was an accomplished poet and musician and brought composers and singers to Florence, including Alexander Agricola, Johannes Ghiselin, and Heinrich Isaac. By contemporary Florentines and since, he was known as "Lorenzo the Magnificent" *Lorenzo il Magnifico*. But when he realised the size of the French army at the gates of Pisa, he had to accept the humiliating conditions of the French king. With his exile in, the first period of Medici rule ended with the restoration of a republican government. Savonarola, Machiavelli, and the Medici Popes [edit] Girolamo Savonarola being burnt at the stake in During this period, the Dominican friar Girolamo Savonarola had become prior of the San Marco monastery in He was famed for his penitential sermons, lambasting what he viewed as widespread immorality and attachment to material riches. He blamed the exile of the Medici as the work of God, punishing them for their decadence. He seized the opportunity to carry through political reforms leading to a more democratic rule. But when Savonarola publicly accused Pope Alexander VI of corruption, he was banned from speaking in public. When he broke this ban, he was excommunicated. The Florentines, tired of his extreme teachings, turned against him and arrested him. He was convicted as a heretic and burned at the stake on the Piazza della Signoria on 23 May In other words, Machiavelli was a political thinker, perhaps most renowned for his political handbook, titled *The Prince*, which is about ruling and the exercise of power. Commissioned by the Medici, Machiavelli also wrote the *Florentine Histories*, the history of the city. Florentines drove out the Medici for a second time and re-established a republic on 16 May It became a *secundogeniture* of the Habsburg-Lorraine dynasty, who were deposed for the House of Bourbon-Parma in From to Florence was the capital of the Napoleonic client state Kingdom of Etruria. Bourbon-Parma were deposed in December when Tuscany was annexed by France. The Habsburg-Lorraine dynasty was restored on the throne of Tuscany at the Congress of Vienna but finally deposed in Tuscany became a region of the Kingdom of Italy in This development was unpopular and was prevented from continuing by the efforts of several British and American people living in the city. During World War II the city experienced a year-long German occupation and was declared an open city in late July as troops of the British 8th Army closed in. In early August, the retreating Germans decided to demolish all the bridges along the Arno linking the district of Oltrarno to the rest of the city, making it difficult for troops of the 8th Army to cross. However, at the last moment Charles Steinhauslin, at the time consulate of 26 countries in Florence, convinced the German general in Italy that the Ponte Vecchio was not to be destroyed due to its historical value. The Allied soldiers who died driving the Germans from Tuscany are buried in cemeteries outside the city Americans about nine kilometres 5. Instead, an equally historic area of streets directly to the south of the bridge, including part of the *Corridoio Vasariano*, was destroyed using mines. Since then the bridges have been restored to their original forms using as many of the remaining materials as possible, but the buildings surrounding the Ponte Vecchio have been rebuilt in a style combining the old with modern design. Shortly before leaving Florence, as they knew that they would soon have to retreat, the Germans executed many freedom fighters and political opponents publicly, in streets and squares including the Piazza Santo Spirito. Some 7, soldier-students were to pass through the University during its four one-month sessions see G. Around the city there are tiny placards on the walls noting where the flood waters reached at their highest point. The Arno river, three other minor rivers Mugnone, Ema and Greve and some streams flow through it.

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Climate[edit] Florence with snow cover in December Florence has a humid subtropical climate Cfa , tending to Mediterranean Csa. As Florence lacks a prevailing wind, summer temperatures are higher than along the coast. Rainfall in summer is convectional , while relief rainfall dominates in the winter. Snow flurries happen almost every year, [23] but often result in no accumulation.

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Chapter 5 : Town of Florence

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Chapter 6 : Employment opportunities

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Entries for Guerrero Photo Art Exhibits. The Florence Arts and Culture Commission is seeking artists to participate in a photography exhibit showcasing homes and buildings in the style of renowned photographer Pedro E. Guerrero.