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RIVER OAKS, TEXAS

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River Oaks, Texas

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Public Works Director
Gordon Smith

Event Center
Co-Directors
Shirley Bloomfield
Shirley Wheat

Emergency
Management
Coordinator
James Myrick

Phone
(817) 626-5421

Website
www.riveroakstx.com

The City of River Oaks Business Hours

Making Payments

8am—5pm Monday - Friday

New Permits or New Water Service

8am — 4:30pm Monday - Friday
(or use the online applications to submit a request)

City Guidelines:

No more than 4 people in the Lobby at any time. Markers are placed on the floor marking the 6-foot distancing maintaining social distance. Only one person will be allowed inside per household. MASKS ARE REQUIRED!

For the safety of our residents we are still encouraging the use of the drop box out in front of our building or to pay online at our website: www.riveroakstx.com and click on payments.



D & D Rockin Rods Car Show

FREE TO THE PUBLIC! October 10, 2020 from 11:00 A.M. until 3:00 P.M. at the River Oaks Event Center located at 5300 Black Stone Drive, River Oaks, Texas. Year after year this show is always lots of fun for everyone and keeps getting better. Due to COVID 19 there will be no concession stands or Vendors. Participants are required to wear masks and maintain social distancing. Open class registration for participants \$20.00 per vehicle. The Event is subject to change & weather conditions.



Moncrief Cancer Institute at 800-405-7739 to
schedule a mammogram

Moncrief provides nearly **10,000** free screenings a year to
uninsured and underinsured women in **35** counties throughout
North and Central Texas.



October is...

Breast Cancer Awareness Month



**On Tuesday, September 22, City Council passed a revision to the current utility ordinance
Sec.13.02.032 Delinquent Charges and Sec. 13.02.033 Payment Arrangements.**

District	Billing Date	Due Date	Delinquency / Cut Off
1	15th of each month	30th of each month *except February	25 days after the billing date of the month
2	15th of each month	30th of each month *except February	25 days after the billing date of the month
3	30th of each month *except February	15th of each month	25 days after the billing date of the month
4	30th of each month or *except February	15th of each month	25 days after the billing date of the month

You now have set due dates for your water bills, except for February when the bill will be due on 28th. This means that bills can be due on Saturday or Sunday, Holidays etc.

Water bills will be counted as late at 5:00 pm on the due date of the bill. If you utilize the drop box after 5:00 pm on the due date a late fee will be added to your account. This is the same for the water disconnections, if the bill is paid after 5:00 pm on the 25th day a \$25 administrative fee will be added to the account.

Payment Arrangements will need to be requested before 5:00 pm on the 25th day. You will get 20 additional days to make your payment. If you need to request an extended arrangement for 0 to 180 days it will need approval of the City Manager.

Failure to receive any bill will not relieve the customer of any liability.

If you have any questions about the ordinance revisions please contact the Water Department Utility Billing Coordinator Blythe Reaves at 817-626-5421 ext. 318 or email at breaves@riveroakstx.com



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FOR HEALTHY LIVING
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A SMALL TEAM CAN MAKE BIG CHANGES

Volunteer Opportunity

YMCA Camp Carter Trail Maintenance

Saturday, October 3rd from 9am-12pm

Nature is trying to reclaim ground on our property and we need your help! This is a family-friendly event where everyone is welcome for a few hours to keep Camp Carter looking its best. We will be working outside trimming trails and cleaning up the debris. You can make a difference by volunteering to help YMCA Camp Carter! Hope to see you at camp!.

- Wear appropriate clothing for clearing brush
- Bring gloves if you have some (green briar is everywhere)
- Rakes and clippers would be helpful to bring if you have
- them

CONTACT: Holly Martin -817-738-9241
HMARTIN@YMCAFW.ORG

LOCATION: YMCA CAMPCARTER
6200 Sand Springs Road Fort Worth,
TX 76114 www.campcarterymca.org



DON'T FEED THE WILDLIFE



WILD ANIMALS ARE NOT PETS RESPECT THEIR WILDNESS

**Feeding leads to human injury and
animal overpopulation.**

FEEDING WILD ANIMALS IS A VIOLATION OF THE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES

Sec. 2.06.005 Feeding stray or feral animals

No person shall intentionally place or leave any food or edible item on any public or private property for consumption by stray or feral animals, unless that person is:

- (1) An employee of a governmental agency acting in an official capacity; or
- (2) A person or agency relocating and/or removing wildlife from public or private property at the city's request.

Voting Information

Ballots by mail are available at City Hall or on the Tarrant County website

elections.tarrantcounty.com/ballotbymail

Just a reminder, if you email or fax the application, you must send the original by mail. We cannot process any request until they receive the original application in the mail.

Tarrant County registered voters are eligible to request and receive a ballot by mail if any of the following conditions prevents them from voting in-person during the early voting period or on Election Day:

1. Expected absence from the County during both the early voting period and on Election Day. (The ballot must be mailed to an address outside the County.)
2. Disability
3. 65 years of age or older
4. Confinement in jail and not finally convicted of a felony

Deadline: Friday, October 23, 2020

Mailing Address: Tarrant County Elections
PO Box 961011
Fort Worth, Texas 76161-0011

Express Courier Delivery: Tarrant County Elections
2700 Premier St.
Fort Worth, Texas 76111-3011
Fax: 817-850-2344

Email: votebymail@tarrantcounty.com

Sample Ballot

Instruction Note: Please use a black or blue ink pen to mark your ballot. To vote for your choice in each contest, completely fill in the box next to your choice.

Nota de Instrucción: Favor de usar una pluma de tinta negra o azul para marcar su boleta. Para votar por su selección en cada carrera, llene el espacio cuadrado a la izquierda de su selección.

City of River Oaks General Election *Elección general de la ciudad de River Oaks*

Mayor
Alcalde

☐ Joe Ashton

Council Member Place 5
Miembro del Consejo, Lugar 5

☐ Dan Dagel

☐ Dan Chisholm

City of River Oaks Special Election *Elección especial de la ciudad de River Oaks*

**Council Member Place 4
(Unexpired Term)**
*Miembro del Consejo, Lugar 4
(Duración Restante del Cargo)*

☐ Yolie Rodriguez

☐ Charles Richardson

EARLY VOTING BY PERSONAL APPEARANCE DAYS & HOURS

October 13 - 17 Tuesday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

October 18 Sunday Closed

October 19 - 23 Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

October 24 Saturday 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

October 25 Sunday 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

October 26 - 30 Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Sheriff's Office North Patrol Division 6651 Lake Worth Blvd
White Settlement Public Library 8215 White Settlement Rd

OCTOBER

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
2	3	4	5	6 Staff Meeting 9:00 am	7	8

As Of October 1st, 2020, the River Oaks Library is permanently CLOSED.
The Event Center shall remain closed due to COVID.

**ROAD
CLOSED**

The Churchill road closure will begin on Monday October 5, 2020. Churchill will be closed from White Oak to Barbara. To view the Traffic Control Plan outlining the detour please go to the city website www.riveroakstx.com will be closed for (3) Three Weeks.

Bulk Trash Collection

Our Public Works Department has been short staffed and is working as quickly as possible to get all of the bulk trash collected. If your bulk trash has not been collected for over 2 weeks please contact Maria in the Public Works Department [817-626-5421](tel:817-626-5421) ext.332



The City of River Oaks Yard Sales

You can apply for a Yard Sale Permit by going to City Hall between
 8:00am & 4:30pm
 Monday—Friday

If you are pulling a permit for a Yard Sale you must meet one of the following requirements:

1. You must have an open water account with you as an account holder or authorized user.
2. You must have to have the address for the Yard Sale on your government issued ID.

Please follow COVID procedure and wear masks and stay 6ft apart.

YOU MAY NOT USE YOUR OWN SIGNS! YOU MAY NOT PUT SIGNS ON TELEPHONE POLES, LIGHT POLES OR PUT THEM ANYWHERE ON THE BOULEVARD! FINES ARE \$166 A SIGN.

This Weeks Yard Sales

511 Frontier	400 Roberts C/O
5533 James	318 Winters
737 Isbell	5108 Thurston
411 Hassett	1809 Yale
5313 Amherst	5016 Hartford
1813 Long	

