



# RIVER OAKS, TEXAS

Cherishing the Past. Embracing the Future.



Mayor  
Herman D. Earwood

## City Council

Mayor Pro-Tem  
Place 4  
Joe Ashton

Place 1  
John Claridge

Place 2  
Steve Holland

Place 3  
Darren Houk

Place 5  
Dan Chisholm

## City Officers

City Manager  
Marvin Gregory

City Secretary  
Paula Luck

Fire Chief  
Russell Shelley

Police Chief  
Christopher  
Spieldenner

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](http://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](http://www.riveroakstx.com) and click on payments.



**GENERAL ELECTION:** The City Council adopted Resolution 1022-2020 on July 28, 2020 calling this year's general election to elect a person for Mayor and City Council Member Place 5. **The unofficial election results from Tarrant County are as follows:**

NAME	PLACE	VOTES	PERCENT
Joe Ashton	Mayor	1810	100%
Dan Dangel	5	686	36.05%
Dan Chisholm	5	1217	63.95%

**SPECIAL ELECTION:** The City Council adopted Resolution 1023-2020 on July 28, 2020 calling a special election to fill the unexpired term of Place 4 City Council Member on the November 3rd Election. **The unofficial election results from Tarrant County are as follows:**

NAME	PLACE	VOTES	PERCENT
Yolie Rodriguez	4	1162	58.27%
Charles Richardson	4	832	41.73%

On the next page we have an Account Information Update form. Updating your account information is very important. If you have a water leak or other issue we will have the correct information on the account to call and notify you.

If you are over 60 and the address is your primary address we can send you the forms for the Elderly Delay of Bill. The Delay of bill will make it so you do not get late fees anymore.

You must be the Primary Account Holder and have a photo ID.

If you have any questions, please call Anna Lee at 817-626-5421 ext. 338



4900 River Oaks Boulevard  River Oaks, Texas  76114

### Account Information Update

ACCOUNT# \_\_\_\_\_

NAME (Printed) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to keep the Voluntary Donation on your Account? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do you wish to Add or Remove an Authorized User to your Account? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Name to be Added or Removed: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the Account holder aged 60 or older? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do you wish to sign up for E-mail Notifications from the City of River Oaks? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Please circle the Notifications below which you would like to have sent to your E-mail.

Important Notices   Community Events   Agendas   City Newsletter

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Account Holder

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Only the Main Account Holder can make changes to the Account. You MUST send a copy of your Government Issued photo ID/DL when emailing, mailing or using the drop box. Forms may be emailed to [alee@riveroakstx.com](mailto:alee@riveroakstx.com)

Entered by:

\_\_\_\_\_

Date:

\_\_\_\_\_

# November 11, 2020 Veteran's Day

Firing on the First World War's Western Front ended on Nov. 11, 1918 at "the eleventh hour on the 11th day of the 11th month." After four years of fighting, an eerie stillness fell across the battlefields of Europe. The next day, Allied commander Field Marshal Ferdinand Foch sent a message to the Allied Armies: "You have won the greatest battle in history and served the most sacred cause - the Liberty of the World."

Celebrating the end of war soon turned to sober remembrance of all who were lost. Armistice Day, officially recognized by President Wilson in 1919, is still observed throughout the world with many stopping for a moment of silence at the 11th hour of this day to honor those who brought about the end of the "Great War." Known as Remembrance Day in many countries, the poppy is commonly worn and remains the symbol of commemoration originating from Canadian Lt. Col. John McCrae's poem "In Flanders Fields."

In 1954, after the return of veterans from both World War II and the Korean War, President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed a bill rededicating Nov. 11 as Veterans Day and encouraged Americans to commit themselves to the cause of peace and to honor America's veterans for their courage, honor, patriotism and sacrifice.

In 2018 on the eleventh hour on the 11th day of the 11th month marked the 100th anniversary of the day the guns went silent on World War I.

Veterans Day is a time for us to pay our respects to those who have served. For one day, we stand united in respect for you, our veterans.

We celebrate and honor America's veterans for their patriotism, love of country and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good.

*"They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun in the morning, We will remember them.—Laurence Binyon*







# Tarrant County Rental Assistance Program

The Tarrant County Rental Assistance Program was created to assist residents who have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.

If you have questions about the Tarrant Rental Assistance program or application, please email [renthelp@tarrantcounty.com](mailto:renthelp@tarrantcounty.com) or call **817-850-7940**.

**español**

Si tiene preguntas sobre el Programa de Asistencia Para Pagar su Renta de CARES para el Condado de Tarrant o con la solicitud, envíe un correo electrónico a [RentHelp@TarrantCounty.com](mailto:RentHelp@TarrantCounty.com) o puede llamar al **817-850-7940**.

**Tiếng Việt**

Nếu quý vị có thắc mắc về Chương Trình Trợ Cấp Tiền Thuê Nhà CARES của Quận Tarrant hoặc thủ tục nộp đơn xin, vui lòng gửi email [RentHelp@TarrantCounty.com](mailto:RentHelp@TarrantCounty.com) hoặc gọi **817-850-7940**.

## Who can receive assistance:

- Individuals who are unable to pay their rent due to the impacts of COVID-19
- Persons who are at risk of eviction due to non-payment of rent
- Tarrant County residents residing outside of Fort Worth city limits

[renthelp.tarrantcounty.com](https://renthelp.tarrantcounty.com)



# November

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
				Staff Meeting 9:00 am EDC Meeting 6:30pm Crime Meeting 6:45pm Council Meeting 7:00pm		Municipal Court 5:00 pm

On Tuesday night at City Council Meeting, Council approved the upcoming City Holidays. All dates listed below City Hall will be closed. Listed below is the Holiday Trash Schedule:

## Thanksgiving:

Thursday November 26, 2020 – No Trash Collection

Friday November 27, 2020 – Regular Trash Collection



## Christmas:

Wednesday December 23, 2020 – No Bulk Collection

Thursday December 24, 2020 – Regular Trash Collection

Friday December 25, 2020 – No Trash Collection



## New Year's:

Thursday December 31, 2020 – Regular Trash Collection

Friday January 1, 2021 – No Trash Collection



**The City of Lake Worth is offering River Oaks Residents  
Lake Worth Library Cards.**

## **The City of River Oaks Yard Sales**

**Due to the upward trend in Covid-19 numbers the issuance of yard sales  
has been suspended until further notice.**

If you have an unpermitted garage sale the Codes Department will be out and issue a ticket. In addition, you will not be allowed to have another garage sale for one year.