

# River Oaks, Texas

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## River Oaks Public Works Department Public Notice

#### **Long Avenue Street Improvements**

Residents WILL NOT have driveway access during these 4 days.

The City of River Oaks has entered into a contract with Texas Pro Construction to repair the street of Long Ave. in front of your residence.

The project will consist of the following:

The City of River Oaks intends to remove damaged road and replace with new asphalt.

Texas Pro Construction and the City of River Oaks will start Street Improvements on Long Ave. on October 21, 2021. The Construction is estimated to take 4 days.

Residents in the work zone will not have vehicle access to their driveways; once, the new street improvements are finished residents driveways will be accessible.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. If you have any questions please contact Gordon Smith, Director of Public Works at 817-626-5421, extension 322 or Jeremy Bell, Public Works Superintendent, extension 311

## City Hall Mourns The Loss The City Court Clerk

The City Flag in front of City Hall is being flown at half-staff in memory of Ana Juarez who passed away on October 13. Ana was employed by the City of River Oaks for almost 7 years serving as the City's Court Clerk. In her tenure as the City's Court Clerk she has been complimented by customers for being courteous and professional and was always willing to spend the time in order to help the customer understand the charges and of any unpaid fines in order to clear the ticket. She was to all of us that knew her a truly dedicated employee, colleague and most of all a true friend that we will all miss.

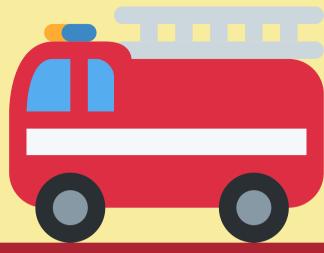


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The City Hall is still short staffed, please make payments by paying in the drop box or online if possible. Please wear a mask if you need to do business inside city hall.



PUSH IN CEREMONY: A push in ceremony will be held on Saturday, October 30th at 10:00 A.M. at the River Oaks Fire Department located at 4900 River Oaks Blvd. A push in ceremony is a means of paying homage to the days when fire engines were hand carts or horse drawn and had to be pushed back into the fire station after a fire. We held this same ceremony in 2016 for the current front-line engine. We will have pictures with the truck for the kids, hot dogs, and an overall good time.





Did you know that if a fire starts in your home, you may have just two minutes to escape?

The most effective way to protect yourself and your home from fire is to identify and remove fire hazards. 60 percent of house fire deaths occur in homes with no working smoke alarms. During a home fire, working smoke alarms and a fire escape plan that has been practiced regularly can save lives.

Fire safety is of critical importance; fires can strike anywhere at any time. Follow these fire safety tips to ensure that your home and family remain safe, and that you have a quick method of escape from a dangerous fire situation.

Keep items that can catch on fire at least three feet away from anything that gets hot, such as space heaters.

Never smoke in bed.

Talk to your children regularly about the dangers of fire, matches and lighters and keep them out of reach.

Turn portable heaters off when you leave the room or go to sleep.

Stay in the kitchen when frying, grilling or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen, even for a short period of time, turn off the stove.

Keep anything that can catch fire - like pot holders, towels, plastic and clothing - away from the stove.

## The River Oaks Event Center Events 5300 Blackstone Drive

817-732-5885 www.riveroakscommunity.center.com



## THURSDRY NIGHT LIVE!

Last Thursday of Every Month Bands, Singers, Performers, Dancers Etc. Must Sign Up to Perform - - 6 to 6:30pm Thursday Night Live Meal Served at 6pm - \$5.





## Lake Worth Library

is offering library services to River Oaks Residents

Mary Lou Reddick Public Library 7005 Charbonneau Lake Worth, TX 76135

https://www.lakeworthtx.org/library

#### **EVENT CENTER FOOD BANK - 5300 BLACKSTONE DR**

The River Oaks Food Bank is on the 2nd & 4th Fridays of Each Month

You are encouraged to start lining up around 4:00am. They will start distributing food at 10:00am.



### THIS WEEKS YARD SALES

5153 River Oaks Blvd 1655 Shenna 1508 Long 1212 Greenbrier 2125 Sansom Cir 5308 Notre Dame 2261 Roberts Cut Off

### **Yard Sale Applications Accepted**

8:00 am—4:30 pm Monday—Friday

#### **PER CITY ORDINANCE:**

You may only have two yard sales a year, 4 months apart.

You must have an active water account in your name or be on the attention line. You must provide government issued photo ID.



Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
15	16	17	18	Staff Meeting 9:00am	20	<b>21</b> Court 5:30pm
				Storm Water 4:00pm  Special Council Meeting 6:00pm		Parks Board Meeting 6:30pm @ Mcgee Park