



# River Oaks, Texas

April 1st, 2022

CHERISHING THE PAST. EMBRACING THE FUTURE.

## The City of River Oaks Election May 7, 2022

City of River Oaks General Election

Elección general de la ciudad de River Oaks

Tổng tuyển cử Thành phố River Oaks

### Council Member Place 1

Miembro del Consejo, Lugar 1

Thành viên Hội đồng Thành phố, Vị trí 1

John Claridge

### Council Member Place 3

Miembro del Consejo, Lugar 3

Thành viên Hội đồng Thành phố, Vị trí 3

Dan Dagle  
 Sherrie Uptmore Dast  
 Leigh Ann Turner

Mayor  
Joe Ashton

CITY COUNCIL  
Mayor  
Pro-Tem-Place 3  
Darren Houk

Place 1  
John Claridge

Place 2  
Steve Holland

Place 4  
Yolie Rodriguez

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

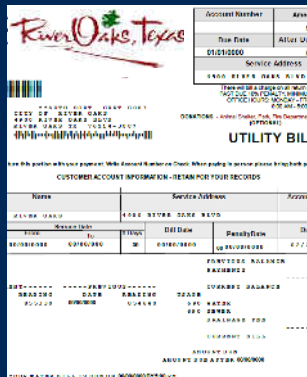
Phone  
(817) 626-5421

www.riveroakstx.com

## River Oaks Spring Cleaning

Household Chemical Waste, Paper Shredding & Electronic Recycling. This Saturday, April 2nd 9:00am to 11:00am

See page 3 for more info



## Sewer Calculation

Residential Winter Sewer Averaging Each year the City of River Oaks averages the water consumption of the December, January, and February billing periods to recalculate sewer charges. These months are used because typically residents do not have a high outdoor water demand and are considered to be the lowest overall water use. The new winter sewer average goes into effect on the March billing and that will be the new monthly sewer charge for the next twelve months.

## BLOOD DRIVE

CHARTER BLOODCARE BUS

4900 RIVER OAKS BLVD.  
RIVER OAKS, TX 76179

Located in front of the City Hall

June 24, 2022 | 9:00am to 12:00pm

Give for  
Texans.



## *E-Billing*

The City of River Oaks Water Department has had a lot of complaints about bills not being received. All bills are mailed out on the 15th and 30th of every month. If you do not receive your bill you need to contact the post office. Late fees will not be waived if you didn't receive your bill.

The bills are due on the same day every month, regardless if it is a weekend or holiday.

Only the main account holder can update the account. The account update can be done in person or via email. A current Government issued ID is required to update the account.

A form will be emailed for you to complete and send back.

## *Web Payments*

Payments through the DOXO website are not payments to the City of River Oaks. The City of River Oaks is not responsible for late payments or cut off fees received by using DOXO. The City encourages its citizens to pay utility payments to the City of River Oaks through the Payment Group by going to the city web page at [www.riveroakstx.com](http://www.riveroakstx.com) under the PAYMENTS tab and click on the link "Make Traffic & Utility Payments".

## *To Sign Up for E-Billing*

Please contact  
Blythe Reaves at  
[Breaves@riveroaktx.com](mailto:Breaves@riveroaktx.com)

Districts 3 & 4 (if your account number begins with 3 or 4) your bill is due April 15, 2022. Good Friday is a City holiday, April 15th. If you are wanting to pay your bill in person, you will need to pay by April 14th, before 5pm. Late fees will be added on April 16th.

# River Oaks Spring Cleaning

## Household Chemical Waste, Paper Shredding and Electronic Recycling

**THE CRUD MOBILE WILL BE HERE IN CITY HALL PARKING LOT ON  
Saturday, April 2, 2022  
9 a.m. to 11 a.m.**

**The City of Fort Worth's ECC and Crud Cruiser mobile collection trailer accepts unwanted household chemicals, free of charge, from citizens of River Oaks under contract with City of Fort Worth's Environmental Collection Center.**

**What waste is accepted at the Environmental Collection Center (ECC) and Crud Cruiser?**

### **WHAT IS ACCEPTED?**

- Automotive fluids
- Batteries
- Household Cleaners and Chemicals
- Cooking Oil
- Lawn/Garden/Pool Chemicals
- Light Bulbs
- Paint and Painting supplies

### **WHAT IS NOT ACCEPTED?**

- Ammunition & Explosives
- Appliances & Electronics
- Building Materials
- Bulk Trash and Yard Waste
- Butane/Propane Cylinders
- Medical Waste
- Tires
- Asbestos/PCBs/Radioactive items

**Business, commercial and industrial waste cannot be accepted under Texas regulations.**

### **NEED MORE INFO?**

**If you have questions about a specific waste not listed above or call 817-392-EASY to find out if it's accepted.**

### **ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR DISPOSING OF WASTE:**

**If a product is still usable, give it to someone who can use it instead of bringing it for disposal.**

**Bring a recent water bill as proof of residency.**

**Bring liquid paint sorted by type (i.e. latex, oil-based, and lead-based).**

**Keep chemicals in their original containers; place broken or leaking containers in a second container of like material (i.e. glass for corrosives, metal for flammables).**

**If a container has no label and its contents are known, please place a label on the container clearly stating the contents.**

**Do not transport chemicals in the passenger compartment of your vehicle. Put them in the trunk.**



APRIL 1ST, 2022 - APRIL 30TH, 2022

# River Oaks Spring Cleaning

**NOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO CLEAN UP YOUR PROPERTY, HOUSE AND GARAGE AND GET RID OF ANY UNWANTED REFUSE BY PLACING IT AT THE STREET CURB FOR COLLECTION ON YOUR REGULAR TRASH OR BULK PICK UP DAY.**

**DURING APRIL CLEAN UP MONTH THE CITY WILL PICK UP TREE LIMBS, BRUSH, LOGS, DEBRIS, JUNK, TIRES, GARBAGE, AND TRASH FROM THE CURB.**

**DISCARDED TIRES LAYING AROUND ARE A BREEDING GROUND FOR MOSQUITOS. PLACE THEM AT THE CURB ON YOUR REGULAR TRASH DAY.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION REGARDING RIVER OAKS CLEAN UP MONTH PLEASE CONTACT CASSIE IN PUBLIC WORKS AT 817-626-5421, EXT. 332.**





FREE TO SPECTATORS

Trucks, Muscle Cars AND ANTIQUES

Saturday, April 30th, 2022  
10am - 4pm



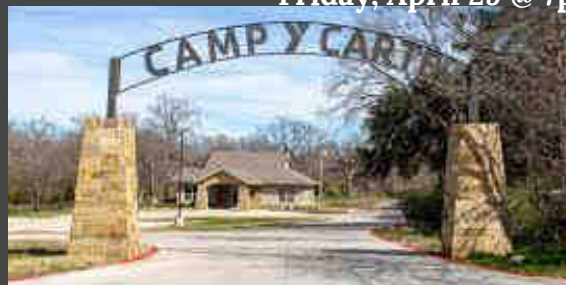
Special Awards for Best Interior, Best Engine, Etc.



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Friday Night Meet & Greet With Police Escorted Cruise!  
Friday, April 29 @ 7pm



VENDORS & POP UP MARKET



Games & EVENTS

**YMCA CAMP CARTER**  
6200 Sand Springs Road  
Fort Worth, TX 76114  
Text: 817-692-8496  
[facebook.com/riveroaksspringfest](https://www.facebook.com/riveroaksspringfest)

Benefitting "Friends of the River Oaks Animal Shelter."



Friends of the River Oaks Animal Shelter is now Available on Amazon Smile.

Not familiar with Amazon Smile? Amazon donates 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible Amazon Smile purchases to a charity of your choice at no extra cost to you. Simply click on the link provided to add the shelter as your charity of choice and make your online purchases through [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) at checkout.



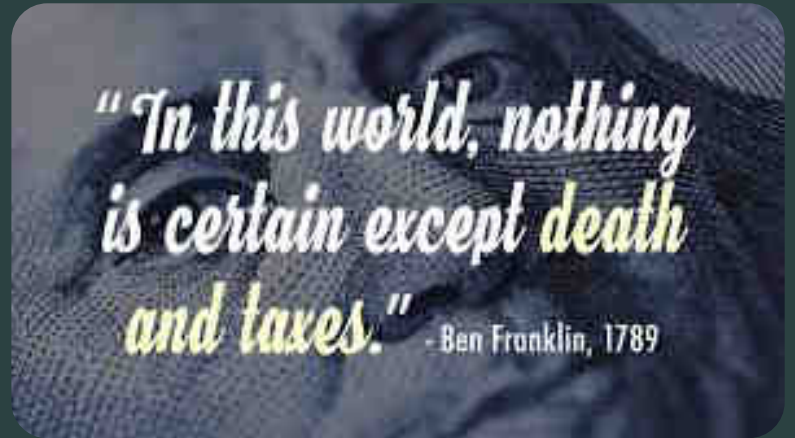
# INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE (VITA) PROGRAM

TARRANT COUNTY AND THE UNITED WAY

Some VITA Sites also offer... VITA on the Go - Allows individuals to drop off their tax information. Returns will be processed within three business days. MyFreeTaxes.com - An online tax preparation software to help identify tax credits and deductions. This service is available for income levels up to \$66,000.

What is the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program?

FREE Tax Preparation - Basic federal income tax returns prepared and e-filed by IRS certified volunteers.



SAFE AND SECURE - No hidden fees. Assistance is provided from mid-January through April. You may locate a VITA site near you by calling 2-1-1 or visiting [mymoneydfw.com](http://mymoneydfw.com).



## Public Input & Questions on the Meandering Road Project

# Town Hall Meeting

AT THE RIVER OAKS  
EVENT CENTER

Thursday  
April 7, 2022

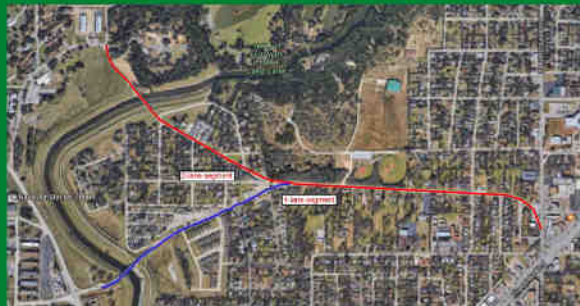
7:00 p.m.  
at the River Oaks Event  
Center,  
5300 Blackstone Drive  
River Oaks, Texas 76114

Speaker:



**Dan Kessler**

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF  
TRANSPORTATION NORTH  
CENTRAL TEXAS COUNCIL  
OF GOVERNMENT



# This Weeks Yard Sales

5200 Blackstone  
4521 Almena

661 Schieme  
821 Schilder

1620 Woodlawn

## 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.

# YARD SALE

# APRIL 2022

Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
<b>01</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>06</b>	<b>07</b>
				Staff Meeting 9:00am  Parks Board 6:30pm		Court 5:30pm  Town Hall Meeting 7:00pm @ The Event Center