



River Oaks, Texas

July 8th, 2022

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MEET OUR NEW POLICE CHIEF

Chief Charles Stewart was sworn into office 07/01/2022

Chief Charles "Chuck" Stewart started as a reserve police officer in 1996, at the River Oaks Police Department. In 1997, Chuck became a full-time police officer and then in 2002 he was promoted to Patrol Sergeant. Chuck served the community as a patrol sergeant on the midnight shift until 2012. In 2012, he was promoted to Detective Lieutenant over the Criminal Investigations Division. Chuck was promoted to Deputy Chief in 2017.

Chuck holds a master peace officer license, issued by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE). He also holds a mental health peace officer certification (TCOLE), a Firearms Instructor's license (TCOLE) and a TCOLE Instructor's license. During his career Chuck has attended over 2500 hours of in-service and specialized police training.

In March 2020, Chuck put out on Facebook a reminder to look out for friends and neighbors. He told everyone in the community the love he has for the City and its residents. He also offered that if anyone needed help or knew someone who did, to give him a call.

During the ice storm in February 2021, Chuck and the entire River Oaks Police Department worked hard to keep the community notified on water outages, road repairs and boil orders. Chuck and countless others, worked to deliver water and other supplies door to door to citizens who couldn't get out of their homes.

Chuck married his high school sweetheart in 2001 and they have a son. In his free time Chuck enjoys long range competition shooting and riding motorcycles. Chuck loves animals and enjoys assisting with the Friends of the Animal Shelter in River Oaks.



Congratulations Chief!



NEW DEPUTY CHIEF SWORN

On July 1st, 2022 LT. Eric Perkins was sworn in as the new Deputy Chief of the River Oaks Police Department. The City of River Oaks would like to congratulate him on his promotion and thank him for all of his years of service to this community.



CHIEF SPIELDENNER RETIRES

Police Chief Christopher "Chris" Spieldenner retired June 30th, 2022. Chris is a longtime resident of River Oaks. He has been a police officer since 1990 and started with the River Oaks Police Department since 1995.

Chris was promoted to the rank of Patrol Sergeant in 1997 and then to Detective Sergeant in 2002. He worked as a Detective Sergeant until 2012 then was promoted to Deputy Chief of Police under Chief Avin Carter. Chris held that position until May of 2017 when He was promoted to Chief of Police after Carter's retirement.

The City of River Oaks has been proud to have Chris wear the badge of our police department and we appreciate his dedication to this city. He has been a great leader to the men and women of our police department. We extend our sincere gratitude for all of his years of service and wish him the best in his retirement.



SCAM

THIS NOTICE HAS BEEN MAILED OUT TO RIVER OAKS RESIDENTS.

MASTER WATER SOLUTIONS IS NOT IN ANY WAY AFFILIATED WITH THE CITY WATER DEPARTMENT. THEY ARE SELLING "WATER QUALITY TESTS"



FOOD BANK

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

You are encouraged to start lining up around 9:00am. They will start distributing food at 10:00am.

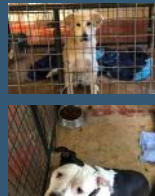
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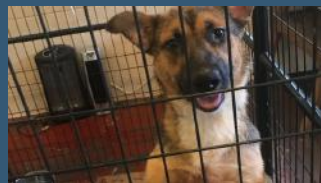
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This Weeks Yard Sales

1509 Byrd

4853 Barbara

5308 Purdue

4801 Kessler

4908 Ohio Garden

5108 Langley

1421 Byrd

803 Churchill

Yard Sale Applications Accepted

8:00 am—5:00 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 with the property address on it.



Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
08	09	10	11	12	13	14
			EDC Meeting 6:00pm	Staff Meeting 9:00am Council Meeting 6:00pm		Court 5:30pm