



# River Oaks, Texas

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## The City of River Oaks Election News

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

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## 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.**

If you would like to sign up for e-billing please email [Breaves@riveroakstx.com](mailto:Breaves@riveroakstx.com). You will receive an email with an account update form.

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.

### GO GREEN WITH PAPERLESS BILLING



Have your bill emailed to you each month! Please give us a call or send us an email.

817-626-5421  
[Breaves@riveroakstx.com](mailto:Breaves@riveroakstx.com)

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.

Please stay in your vehicle, this is a drive thru food bank.



**RIVER OAKS  
 EVENT CENTER  
 FOOD BANK**

5300 BLACKSTONE DR



FREE To SPECTATORS

Trucks, Muscle Cars AND ANTIQUES

Saturday, April 30th, 2022



Special Awards for Best Interior, Best Engine, Etc.



Special Awards for Best Interior, Best Engine, Etc.



Friday Night Meet & Greet With Police Escorted Cruise!



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.



# 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.**





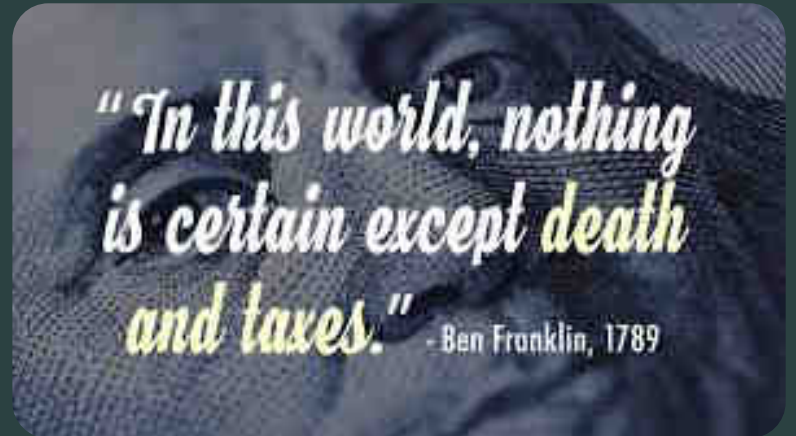
# INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE (VITA) PROGRAM

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?

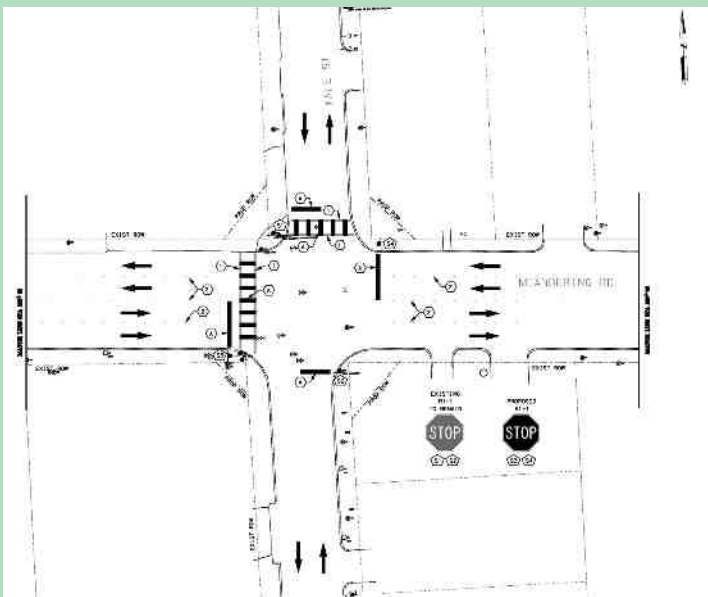
FREE Tax Preparation - Basic federal income tax returns prepared and e-filed by IRS certified volunteers.



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).



## MEANDERING AND YALE 4 WAY STOP INTERSECTION



The City Council adopted Ordinance 1337-2022 making the intersection of Meandering and Yale a 4-way stop for safe crossing of pedestrians and in slowing down the traffic up and down Meandering Road. Due to a recent traffic study recommendation involving vehicles entering Meandering Road from Yale Street especially involving the crosswalks where children cross before and after school, it was recommended that it be a 4-way stop. We have installed a message board in advance of the new stop signs on Meandering Road warning motorists of the stop ahead.

RIVER OAKS ANIMAL CONTROL & WATER EMERGENCY AFTER HOURS

Call the Non Emergency Police Dispatch 817-626-1991

# This Weeks Yard Sales

4922 Troy Ct  
5112 Almena

1208 Glenwick  
5016 Hartford

4820 White Oak  
909 Hallum

**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

# March 2022

Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
			<b>P &amp; Z Meeting</b> 6:30pm	<b>Staff Meeting</b> 9:00am  <b>Council Meeting</b> 7:00pm		<b>Court</b> 5:30pm