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JUNE 12 Women Veterans Day

Women have been a part of the American military dating back to the Revolutionary War, serving alongside men, serving as nurses, acting as spies and disguised as men in order to enlist. It wasn't until the last two years of World War I, when women were allowed to join the military on a volunteer basis. However, they, nor their families, were eligible for benefits through Veterans Affairs.

Seventy two years ago in 1948, President Truman and Congress passed the Women's Armed Services Integration Act allowing women to join the military, in a limited capacity. This afforded enlisted women, and their families, rights to receive VA benefits.

Between the years of 1975 and 2003, with the support of Presidents and Congress, women were able to enter U.S. military academies, authorized to fly in combat missions and engage in combat. In January 2013 Defense Secretary Leon Panetta announced all positions in the armed services must be open to women by 2016.

On June 9, 2017 Governor Greg Abbott signed Senate Bill 805, declaring June 12 as Women Veterans Day. And, it is on this day we commemorate the fearless service of women who have served our nation in the Armed Forces, and we honor our women veterans and their families for their remarkable sacrifices and outstanding contributions to our nation.

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MESSAGE MAYOR



HENRY LESSNER

Dear Neighbors,

Well, it is a beautiful sunny May 1st and the State is starting to open up. In Fairview Town Center, several of the restaurants are opening up today and will be operating at 25% capacity according to the governor's guidelines. Takeout is also available from all of these restaurants. Several of the retail stores are open for order pickup. You can get details at: FairviewTownCenter. org. If there is no significant increase in the number of Covid-19 cases in Texas, then on May 15, there may be further relaxation of the State rules.

Covid-19 Status

The Covid-19 numbers for Fairview remain the same. As of today, we have had:

- six cases
- three are recovered
- two are recovering at home
- one person has died
- there are eight residents in home isolation being monitored because they have had close contact with a person who has Covid-19

My heart goes out to the family of whoever has passed away. If there is anything you need, please let me know.

Parks and Trails and Council Meetings

While things are opening up Covid-19 is still a very dangerous disease; there is no treatment for the symptoms, there is no vaccine and people in the DFW region are still dying. Please continue to follow the social distancing guidelines, avoid crowds and wear a mask if you go shopping. Fairview will continue to keep Town Hall closed to protect our employees and our parks and basketball courts will remain closed. Please for your sake and others – be very cautious still.

One good thing that I am noticing is that there is a large increase in the number of people out walking in our neighborhoods and on our Town's trail system. Be neighborly and say hi - but keep social distances and if you are walking your dog, please remember to pick up any deposits that the dog might leave along the path. I have heard from several folks in Town asking me to remind folks about picking up after your dog.

The Town Council continues to meet and tend to the Town's business. We now have had three meetings using a video meeting service and I think it is working well and I have received feedback from residents confirming this. Whenever we can meet again in person, we will continue to include the online video service so more folks can participate in our meetings.

US Census

By now you should have been contacted by the US Census Bureau. Please take the time to complete the simple questionnaire and return it. I completed my census form online about a month ago and it took maybe three minutes. So much depends on getting good population numbers such as; how many Representatives we get in the US Congress and how federal dollars are allocated between the States. It is thought that Texas might pick up three new Representative this time, giving Texas the second largest delegation in the House of Representatives after California.

Groups that help

Finally, as I have written before, please be generous with the non-profits that are working to help those less fortunate than most of the residents in Fairview. There are 30 million people in the U.S. who have applied for unemployment benefits. *(continued on next page)*



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Unemployment is approaching levels not seen since the great depression. Two of the multiple groups that I support are:

- The Veterans Center of North Texas. Former Councilman Paul Hendricks founded and leads this all volunteer group in assisting veterans fighting homelessness, medical problems, lack of food and in general where to turn for help all across this region. If you want to make a contribution: VeteransCenterOfNorthTexas.org
- The North Texas Food Bank lead by Fairview resident Tricia Cunningham. This organization gathers and distributes literally tons of food every day in the DFW region. There are tens of thousands who depend upon this group for their daily meals many of them children. If you want to make a contribution visit NTFB.org

There are so many other non-profit groups that deserve our support Treasured Vessels, the Boys and Girls Club of Collin County, Hope's Door, City House, Meals on Wheels, the Samaritan Inn, the Children's Advocacy Center, Allen Community Out Reach, your local place of worship and on and on and it can seem overwhelming. Find a group or groups that help in ways that might be closest to your heart. Be generous.

Enjoy the North Texas beautiful spring weather, be smart, be safe.

Blessings to all,

Henry Lessner

Henry Lessner mayor@fairviewtexas.org



At the Tuesday, April 7, 2020 Regular Town Council meeting, the Town Council discussed the following items:

- Approved the following items on the consent agenda:
 - » Approved the minutes of the March 3, 2020 Regular Council meeting.
 - » Approved the minutes of the March 26, 2020 Special Council meeting.
 - » Approved the authorization of the 2020 Municipal Mosquito contract.
- Received reports from Staff, including any updates on project tracking reports and department activities
 - » Monthly Financial Report Period ending February 29, 2020
 - » Monthly Police Report Period Ending March 31, 2020

- » Monthly Fire Report Period Ending February 29, 2019
- » Town construction projects
- Discussed COVID-19 activities and actions.
- Discussed update of County bond projects related to town road projects.
- Continued a public hearing and consider approval of an ordinance on a request to amend the zoning to reflect a revised development plan for a portion of the Collinwood Acres Addition. The 11.79-acre site is located on the west side of County Club Drive, north of Old Stacy Road and is zoned for the (PC) Planned Center District. Owners/Applicant: Jay Jones and Vicki Johnston. Continued to May 5 meeting.
- Continued a public hearing and consider approval of an ordinance on a request to rezone a 28+/- acre tract of land from the (AG) Agriculture District to a (PC) Planned Center District with the (RE-2) Two-acre Ranch Estate District design standards. The site is located on the north side of Stacy Road, west of Kentucky Lane. Applicant: Stephen DiNapoli, DiNapoli Development representing owners Marvin and Arleen Molodow. (ZA2019-04). Continued to May 5 meeting.

At the Thursday, April 30, 2020 Special Town Council meeting, the Town Council discussed the following items:

• Work session to hear presentation from Huitt-Zollars regarding a drainage study, discuss town drainage and related matters.



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Productivity Tip from Day One Experts

Roll The Dice And Get Busy

Ever have that overwhelming feeling of choice. As an economic developer there is always an abundance of to-do's. All important and all things that need to be done ASAP. If you are like most people it can create a productivity log jam.

When you suddenly find you have a free 20 minutes or an hour to work on something. The question becomes which item do you choose. You then spend the next 20 minutes going through the list trying to determine which item should get my attention during this new found free hour...er now 40 minutes.

If that sounds like something that happens to you then take the advice of a productivity expert and roll the dice. Ellen Goodwin, author, speaker and productivity expert recently set down with Day One and shared her tip for breaking this common productivity log jam.

She explained that you simply write all your options down. Numbering them as you go. Then instead of fretting over which one to choose simply cast the die. (Note: If you have more than six items then make sure you have a pair of dice.)

This eliminates the fear of choosing poorly and loosing time with indecision. That's it. Simple and effective. So keep your dice close and when you feel yourself being slowed down with indecision simply roll the dice and get busy.

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FLOWER SEEDS: Balsam, Blue Lace Flower, Castor Bean, Celosia, Cleome, Cockscomb, Coleus, Cosmos, Cypress Vine, Dahlia (Dwarf), Feverfew, Fouro'clock, Gaillardia (Blanket Flower), Impatiens, marigold, Moonflower, Morning Glory, Periwinkle, Portulaca, sunflower, Tithonia, Torenia, Vinca, Zinnia.

> BULBS: Amaryllis, Canna, Crinum, Gingers, Daylily, Liriope, Monkey Grass, and Rainlily.

VEGETABLES: ALL Month: Malabar Spinach, Okra, Southern Pea, Sweet Potato, Peanut, Pumpkin. Start transplants indoors for fall tomatoes, peppers and eggplants.

THINGS TO DO IN JUNE

FERTILIZE: Fertilize annual bloomers with 1 cup of balanced fertilizer per 100 sq. ft. Rich compost, manure tea and fish emulsion are some organic options. Yellowing leaves near the tip of Azalea shoots indicate a lack of iron. Check soil pH and treat with iron supplement. Feed roses and young fruit trees with a nitrogen fertilizer. Feed established annuals and perennials with a high nitrogen/low phosphorus fertilizer such as 12-5-10.

WATER: Water all planted areas deeply but infrequently during dry periods. Water outdoor potted plants daily.

LAWNCARE: Mow every 5-7 days, leaving the clippings on the lawn. Raise mower setting to reduce stress to turf in summer. Water during the cool of early morning. Avoid weed killers when temperatures are above 85 degrees.

DISEASES/PESTS TO LOOK FOR: Watch for chinch bugs in the sunny areas of your lawn, especially near streets and driveways. Call the Extension Service for recommended treatment. Bagworms and webworms can be treated with Bacillus thuringiensis (Bt). For scale insects, including mealy bugs use summer oil or horticultural oil. Check for spider mites; spray with insecticidal soap.

PRUNE: Remove spent flowers from daisies, daylilies, cannas and other summer flowers. Remove fruiting canes from blackberries after harvest. Tip prune new canes at 4' to promote branching. Prune dead and damaged wood from trees and shrubs as needed. Cut geraniums back place in light shade. Do not prune oak trees at this time since the beetle that carries oak wilt is active now and may enter any cuts you make.

OTHER THINGS TO DO IN JUNE

Prepare fall garden beds. Remove old tomato, pepper and strawberry plants from beds. Replenish mulch.

Town Quarterly Financial Report For Quarter Ending March 31, 2020

Monthly financial reports are prepared for the General Fund, Water and Wastewater Fund, Solid Waste Fund, Debt Service Fund, Stormwater Fund and Fairview EDC/CDC Funds, these reports are presented to the Town Council at their monthly meetings. These monthly financials can be accessed on fairviewtexas.org by selecting Departments/Finance/Reports.

This report covers through March 31, 2020, which is the end of the second quarter of fiscal year 2019-2020; therefore, it is generally desirable for year-to-date revenue totals to have achieved 50 percent of the budgeted amount and expenditures should generally not exceed 50 percent of the budgeted amounts. However, because property taxes are primarily received during the first trimester of the budget year and other revenues such as franchise fees are cyclical, revenues will not always equate the projected percentage. to Likewise, total expenditures may not always equate to the projected percentage, because payments for contracted services, insurance and debt service payments are paid in lump sum amounts, while transfers to other funds occur quarterly.

General Fund Analysis

Revenue collections in the General Fund thru the sixth month of fiscal year 2020 total \$6,808,161 and represent 72.7 percent of the total annual budget. Actual total collection this year is \$257,108 more than last year, primarily due to an increase in property tax revenue, and the sale of a fire apparatus is reflected.

General Fund expenditures total \$4,221,689 and represent 45.1 percent of the total annual budget. Expenditures are \$3,570 more than the previous year. Other expenditures for all divisions are within the acceptable range.

<u>Water and Wastewater</u> <u>Fund Analysis</u>

The Water and Sewer Fund revenues total \$2,345,120 and represent 34.8 percent of the total annual budget. This amount is \$598,192 more than last year. Water sales were higher by \$591,010 and sewer sales were higher by \$53,942 than the previous year.

Expenses for the Water and Sewer Fund total \$3,014,671 and represent 43.5 percent of the annual budget. This amount is \$153,432 more than prior year.

Other Funds Analysis

The revenues and expenditures for all the other operating funds are within an acceptable percentage range. Revenues and expenditures will be monitored and reported to ensure that spending will not exceed the approved budget amounts.

Sales Tax Analysis

Sales tax revenue collections for the entire Town of Fairview (Town, Fairview EDC and Fairview CDC portions) thru the sixth month of fiscal year 2020 total \$1,799,923. Actual total collection this year is \$29,892 or 1.7 percent higher than last year.

The Town of Fairview received \$231,238 in sales tax revenue during the month of March 2020. This amount represents an increase of \$30,380 or 15 percent more than March 2019. Due to timing, the sales tax received in the month of April 2020 can be reported in this financial report too. The Town of Fairview received \$224,712 during the month of April 2020. This amount represents an increase of \$2,062 or 1 percent more than April 2019.

View entire recent monthly financial reports at fairviewtexas. org by selecting Departments/ Finance/Reports.

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FAIRVIEW FIRE RESCUE HONORS CAPTAIN STEVE FRANK

Steven Frank, PhD, Captain at Fairview Fire Rescue (FFR) was honored at Fairview Fire Rescue Awards Banquet on January 25 in recognition of his 20 years of volunteer service with the department.

everal key elements of Steve Frank's life and career led him to Fairview and to his current calling as volunteer Captain of FFR.

Steve gained an early appreciation for firefighting as his father was a volunteer firefighter in Iowa. Steve's grandfather was the Fire Chief there as well.

A recognized leader in the scientific community, Dr. Frank is noted for nearly 20 years of service at Texas Instruments. A focus of his TI career was developing lower cost infrared imaging technology. One application was an infrared camera suitable for use in firefighting. The technology developed is still in use today. Dr. Frank retired in 2007 as Vice President and Chief Technology Officer for Infrared Products.

While developing the infrared camera, Dr. Frank and TI colleagues enrolled at Collin College and earned volunteer firefighter certifications so they could fully understand the conditions and challenges under which firefighting occurs. In 1999 Steve took the advice of the Lucas Texas Fire Chief who was leading the certification program to volunteer for FFR since he was a Fairview resident.

Steve was 52 at this time. He attended the volunteer Fire Academy and achieved an advanced firefighting certification from the Texas State Firefighters and Fire Marshals Association. He gained even more experience about how thermal imaging cameras can help firefighters see through smoke and find fires as well as find their way into and out of fires. Steve was promoted to Lieutenant in the mid-2000s and to Captain a few years later.

The Town of Fairview employed a contract ambulance crew for many years and began providing apparatus space and crew space at Town Hall (now Station 1) in the mid-2000s. Space was later expanded to allow sleeping



quarters for a volunteer firefighter crew at night. Captain Frank was there every third night and also served as the overnight officer for several years after Station 2 was built and more paid Fairview personnel were added. Captain Frank eventually transitioned to administrative duties which he continues on a daily basis.

Congratulations Captain Steve Frank on your 20 years of volunteer service to the Town of Fairview and the Fairview Fire Rescue. We truly appreciate your service.









Nifty Needles Face Masks

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n early April, Fairview Fire Rescue Chief Jeff Bell reached out to Fairview residents and groups asking if anyone could make 200 non-EMS face masks

that were needed by Fairview Fire Rescue, the Fairview Police Department, the Town Public Works Department and Town staff to wear daily to help deter the spread of germs and the COVID 19 virus. The response from the Fairview community was overwhelming.

The Heritage Ranch Nifty Needles sewing group has been lending their talents to those in need for many years. This time was no different. President Jenny Sullivan mustered a group of at least 25 volunteers. They gathered elastic, which was in short supply, and fabric from sources throughout the community and the sewing machines began to hum. Hundreds of masks were completed in a matter of days and provided to Fairview Fire Chief Jeff Bell's office for distribution.

Cathy Swift, board member of the Friends of Fairview Firefighters Association, got the word out as well, and masks and supplies started flowing in and were coordinated with the Nifty Needles group.

The Town of Fairview recognizes, appreciates and thanks these groups and many other individuals too numerous to list who generously contributed their time and talents and supplies to make this effort a quick and resounding success. Job well done!

History of Father's Day

While a presidential proclamation declaring the third Sunday of June as Father's Day wasn't signed until 1966 by President Lyndon Johnson many scholars believe Father's Day has been celebrated around the world for centuries and can be traced back to the ruins of Babylon. Archaeologists uncovered a carved message from a boy to his father wishing him good health and a long life.

here are many theories as to who first came up with the idea of celebrating Father's Day, but most historians believe the modern day celebration, as we know it in the United States, can be attributed to Sonora Louise Smart Dodd. She was listening to a Mother's Day sermon in 1909. Sonora was close with her father, William Smart, and wondered why there wasn't a day to celebrate fathers.

Inspired by the woman behind Mother's Day, Anna Jarvis, Sonora started a campaign to celebrate the first Father's Day. She worked with the Spokane Ministerial Association and the YMCA and together they held the first Father's Day Celebration on June 19, 1910. Over the next five years Father's Day celebrations gained popularity across the U.S.

Seeing the growth of Father's Day, President Woodrow Wilson got on board and supported the holiday in 1916 with President Coolidge supporting the idea as well in

1924 to, "establish more intimate relations between fathers and their children and to impress upon fathers the full measure of their obligations." And, it was in 1972 that President Nixon established a permanent national observance of Father's Day to be held on the third Sunday of June.

Over the years Father's Day celebrations have grown all over the world and is considered a secular holiday. However, in countries where the Catholic Church holds greater influence, Father's Day is celebrated on March 19 which is the Feast

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ex is 14 years old and will be in 9th grade at Wakeland High School this fall. He says he enjoys acting because he likes stepping into another character's shoes to put on a show that people want to see and can enjoy. Rex tells us, "the show

ACTOR OF FAIRVIEW: **Rex K**.

environment is fun because of how everyone supports one another and the energy that is present on and off the stage."

This summer he will be in the production of Freaky Friday. This show is special for him, not only because of the amazing team of directors, but also because Freaky Friday was originally set to perform in early April and has been delayed due to recent events. "I have never been in a production where the same cast has rehearsed for this length of time. While I know this pandemic has caused so much heartache, I'm glad this show will eventually get to take the stage to bring joy back to our theater family," says Rex. It is

hard when a show ends because you have spent an average of 10 weeks with your castmates and you miss them. When this show performs we will have rehearsed together for 5 months and it will be hard to see it end.

In Freaky Friday Rex will play the role of

Adam. Adam is a high school student and the love interest of lead character, Ellie, who leads his friends on a big scavenger hunt. One of his prior favorite roles was the Tin Man in *The Wizard of Oz*. He enjoyed *The Wizard of Oz*, "because the story takes you to a whole different world. The costumes, makeup and set were all so fantastic and it felt amazing to be up on that stage."

Rex started auditioning for shows at Fairview Youth Theatre in 2019. He says "I saw a title on the auditions page I liked and just signed up. I had never done a show at Fairview Youth Theater, so I thought I would try it. The director and my fellow actors were so welcoming and it truly felt like a theater home. I have loved Fairview Youth Theatre for a year now. It is truly a great theater family." He offered this parting advice for any potential newcomers to theatre: "No matter the part you get, every role is important in a show and you were cast in that role for a reason. Give it your all and don't give up!"

Come see Rex and the rest of the cast in *FreakyFriday* this summer at Fairview Youth Theatre. For updated show dates and times please go to: NorthTexasPerformingArts. org/Events/Freaky-Friday.



Fairview Youth Theatre

Junior Theatre Festival

In February, North Texas Performing Arts competed in a national competition at the Junior Theatre Festival in Sacramento, California. There were 32 students who formed the JTF Troupe from all the four theatres of NTPA; Fairview, Frisco, Plano and Dallas.

The Junior Theatre Festival (JTF) is the world's biggest and best celebration of young people performing musical theatre. JTF brings together student theatre troupes from all over the world for a weekend of musical theatre mayhem and madness. Each troupe performs from a 15-miniute Broadway Jr. musical for judging by a panel of musical theatre experts.

The weekend also features professional development for teachers, workshops for students and parents, a New Works Showcase and concludes with a grand finale concert headlines by Broadway's best!

Under the direction of Cibby Bowden (Fairview's Managing Director), Morgan Southard (NTPA's Creative Director) and Valerie Sauter (NTPA's Music Director) the NTPA troupe received several accolades. "Excellence in Ensemble" for their performance cut of Once on This Island featuring group singing, solos and several styles of dance.

Individual winners include Aidan Forbes (Actor of Fairview January 2019) and Amanda Reid (Actor of Fairview October 2018) who were selected as all-star players. Amanda was also selected to travel to NYC this summer to participate in the filming of an up-coming choreography video for Finding Nemo, Jr.

The troupe is already scheduled to travel to both Junior Theatre Festivals next year in Sacramento and Atlanta.

The Town of Fairview congratulates the actors and directors on such an incredible achievement. We can't wait to see what happens next.

HEARD HAPPENINGS



The Heard's sanctuary provides new and different experiences every day of the year. As you walk the nature trails you encounter numerous sights, sounds, colors, textures and patterns. You may also encounter many species of birds, insects and animals that have found refuge in the sanctuary, an oasis within the rapidly developing Collin County area.

The mission of the Heard Wildlife Sanctuary is threefold:

- Provide the best possible habitat for native and endemic wildlife species
- Train future land stewards and naturalists through habitat restoration and wildlife management
- Preserve functional examples of presettlement Collin County ecosystems. In part, the sanctuary exists to restore human connection to the land.

The Heard has been awarded The Audubon Society's designation as an important birding area. Texas has preeminence as a bird-watching area due to its placement on major migratory paths. However, The Heard offers special opportunities for birdwatching by providing a unique resource in a large metropolitan area. Dedicated volunteers aid The Heard in participating in on-going scientific work in bird banding and



annual bird counts.

You can visit **HeardMuseum.org**/ **Birding** for the following (this is just a sample of what you can find on the site):

Types of birds that can be found at The Heard including – Canadian Geese, Wood Ducks, Blue-Winged Teal, Yellow-billed Cuckoo and Warblers; just to name a few.

Second Saturday Bird Walks – These bird walks are intended to help beginning and intermediate birders with bird spotting and identification techniques. There will also be plenty of opportunity for questions. Prairie, woodland, and wetland habitats are included in these walks. The walks begin at 8 a.m. and last for a hour and a half.

Migratory Bird Banding – Bird banding contributes vital knowledge of habitat use. More than 25,000 birds have been banded at the Heard since the station's establishment in 1978 and has provided information to evaluate habitat breeding quality. The station shares data with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Bird Banding Laboratory (BBL) and participates in The Institute for Bird Populations (IBP) "MAPS" program (Monitoring Avian Productivity and Survivorship) by contributing our data to an international effort. MAPS measures reproduction on breeding grounds and combines data from the U.S., Canada and Mexico so scientists can determine global populations of most songbird species.

Prairie & Timbers Audubon Society – PTAS has monthly meetings at the Heard Museum that feature programs with guest speakers on topics of interest to birders. For additional information see their website at PrairieAndTimbers.org.

The Heard Museum offers so many experiences for everyone and now's the time to check it out. They are currently open during normal hours but ask guests to purchase tickets online to minimize contact and they ask everyone to practice recommended safety practices and social distancing.

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HAND SANITIZER DONATION

THE FAIRVIEW POLICE and Fire Departments would like to thank Bendt Distilling Company. This Lewisville, Texas company is made up of "a dedicated team of whiskey-loving professionals that are working hard to help the community through the Coronavirus crisis." They have temporarily shifted their focus on producing handmade sanitizer for hospitals and First Responders in the Dallas/ Fort Worth area.

In April, Bendt Distilling donated more

than 75 bottles of hand sanitizer to our Police and Fire Departments. And, our first responders couldn't be more grateful for the donation. According to their website Bendt Distilling is producing hand sanitizer following the guidelines set by the FDA and WHO.

Bendt Distilling is still selling their Whiskey online as well as their Hand Sanitizer. All purchases of hand sanitizer enable them to donate more sanitizer to first responders. As of May 1, 2020, they have donated more than 70,000 bottles of hand sanitizer to members of the community, local first responders, hospitals. They vow to continue to get bottles into the hands of those who need it most and who put their lives on the line daily for the health and safety of us all.

Bendt Distilling is working hard to meet the growing demands of those in need. And, for that we thank them.



If you would like to support their efforts in making and distributing free hand sanitizer to local first responders (police and fire), you can leave a donation on their website, BendtDistillingCo. com, or you can purchase your own bottle.

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Holfday Closures

Fairview Town Hall will be closed Friday, July 3, 2020, in observance of Independence Day. Please see page 15 for the 2020 Bulk Trash Recycle Calendar to view the holiday schedule for bulk trash collection.



Collection Schedules

Trash, recycling and yard trimmings are collected weekly on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday. Please place trash in the BLUE cart and recyclables in the GREEN cart.

Bulk waste and loose brush are collected once a month. Please refer to the map on the previous page to determine your pick up week. Bulk trash may be put out after 6 p.m. on the Friday before collection but no later than 7 a.m. on Monday of your collection week. Bulk trash may be picked up anytime during the collection week.

2020 Holidays: Trash, recycling, bulk and brush will not be picked up on the holidays listed below; instead the collection will slide one day after the holiday.

January 1, New Year's Day May 25, Memorial Day July 4, Independence Day September 7, Labor Day November 26, Thanksgiving December 25, Christmas Day

Missed Collections/Damaged Carts: Call The Town of Fairview Utility Billing Department at 972-886-4242 to schedule a pick up for a missed collection or to report a damaged cart.

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Hazardous Waste: Residents may dispose of household hazardous waste at the Home Chemical Collection Center located in Dallas. Call 214-553-1765 for information.

Remember These Simple Guidelines For Putting Your Trash Out

- 1. Place carts on the edge of the street/alley with handles facing the house and with the lids opening to the street/alley.
- 2. Keep carts two to three feet apart and away from fences, cars, gates, gas meters, etc...
- 3. All trash should be contained in securely tied plastic bags. All bags should fit into the cart with the lid closed.
- 4. Do not place hazardous household waste in your cart.
- 5. Place your carts out by 7 a.m. on pick up day; carts should not be left out after 6 a.m. the following day.
- 6. Do not place any items out side your carts; unless it's for bulk pick up.
- 7. Brush and bulk trash must not be more than 12 cubic yards which is equal to 4 truck loads.

DID YOU Residents can request additional curbside collection? **KNOW?** Contact Utility Billing for pricing information.

Still have questions about trash, recycling, bulk or brush pick up? Contact the Town of Fairview Utility Billing Department at 972-886-4242 or via email at UtilityBilling@FairviewTexas.org.

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