



CITY OF PRAIRIE VIEW

HOME OF PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

NEWSLETTER 2017



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August 2017

Monthly Events

2nd & 4th Mondays, PV City Hall
Prairie View City Council, 6pm

2nd Monday, Waller ISD Admin Bldg., Waller ISD School Board Mtgs., 5 pm

3rd Saturday, St. Francis Episcopal, Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8:30 am

3rd Sunday, PV Alumni Bldg
PV Athletic Council, 7 pm

4th Wednesday, St. Francis Episcopal
PV Retired Teachers, 1 pm

4th Thursday, PV Alumni
Chamber of Commerce, 6 pm

If You SEE Something, SAY Something!

Help us keep Prairie View SAFE!

Suspicious Drug or Criminal Activity?

911 or www.prairieviewtexas.gov

Chief Solomon #936-857-3521

Mayor Allen 281-901-9049

(your name not needed)

PVAMU Foundation Gala
for
Dr. Ruth Simmons
Interim President PVAMU
September 1, 2017
7pm
Hilton Americas Hotel
Dinner, Music & Dancing
Tickets & Info 800-707-8318
or info@pvamf.org

Message from Mayor David Allen



Dear PV Residents,
We did it!
\$1,000,000.00!!
U.S. Department of Commerce

EDA Grant, City of PV was approved!! The City will add water and sewer on James Muse Parkway from U.S. Business 290 to Owens Road to H.T. Jones Elementary School. Economic Development can now take place along our eastern border, some of which has been trying to but lacked these necessities. Residents will benefit as our entire city's infrastructure will improve especially our water. Noteworthy, our water has a "Superior" rating now but this infrastructure will "loop" it, making it even better.



Austin, Dept. Commerce—
Lisa Larsen
with Mayor Allen

Special thanks to Attorney Lea Hayes for her assistance in helping

us reapply (awarded before but beneficiary was not eligible so grant canceled), Kristie Hadnot, Nic Housont, City Engineer David Linedecker, EDA's Lisa Larsen and Cory Dunn, and WISD Superintendent, Dr. Twardoski for his letter of support. In an EDA meeting, I asked and learned the city may recapture legal fees. We are gathering those numbers and checking on how local businesses can be included in this project.

PVAMU, Dr. Akujuobi's Research Team has an MOU with PV and received a **\$100,000.00** grant to study making us a "Smart City"! Next step \$1,000,000.00 grant using technology to make life better for all of us.

Furthermore, the College of Engineering applied for a \$5,000,000.00 National Science Foundation Grant over 5 years to improve the energy and environment in PV.

Additionally, a \$350,000.00 infrastructure grant is pending approval. Also, an application has been submitted for a New FEMA Flood Grant.

Housing (student & residential): a grocery store, movie theatre, medical facility and more coming soon. Developers have purchased the land. Keep us in prayer as we grow.

YOUR DOLLARS MATTER!

Why support 1876 Bistro, Valero, Subway, Dollar General, PV Grocery, A&M Market, Chevron, and Bowling Alley @Panther Lanes? Sales Tax is helping to add 5 new police officers approved several months ago.

God Bless PV
David Allen, Mayor



Thank You to City Volunteers w/Chief Solomon: Ms. Webster, Dr. V. Brown, Ms. Christopher & Ms. A. Williams & Councilwoman W. Williams (not pictured).

Municipal Court Report	Ordinance	Other violations	Cases Total
June, 2016 — July, 2017	128	707	835

Healthy Seasoned Citizens Information Seminar

Presented by PVAMU
Professor McDonald,
August 17 @2pm
PV City Hall.

Do you know of any: Street Potholes? Water Leaks? Sewer holes? ANY Holes, we will investigate: Call your City Hall with location, all known have been repaired and we are working to

Mayor Chat:
August 17 @1pm
PV City Hall

CITY COUNCIL

MAYOR

David Allen

Position #1 Brian Rowland
 Position #2 Jonathon Randle
 Position #3 Kendrick Jones
 Position #4 Wendy Williams
 Position #5
 Paulette Matthews Barnett

Words of Encouragement!

"Eye has not seen, nor ear heard,
 nor have entered into the
 heart of man the things
 which God has prepared
 for those who love Him.
 1 Corinthians 2:9

Economic 4B Board

Denise Armstrong, Wendy Wil-
 liams, Jude Daniels, Veronica
 Hargest Sharp, Marie Herndon

Monthly Meetings

3rd Thursdays @6pm



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Stay Informed! Residents
 may receive information calls from
 PV City Hall! Call 936-857-3711 to
 be added to the LIST or sign up to
 receive on City of PV's website
www.prairieviewtexas.gov.

PV Vol. Fire Fighting Association
 Inc. Annual Red & White Ball,
 August 5 @7pm, MSC Ballroom

Important Numbers

PV City Hall 936-857-3711
 PV Police 936-857-3521
 PV Fire 936-857-9522
 Nonemergency # 979-826-8033
 Waller City Sheriff 979-826-8282
 PV A & M Univ. 936-261-3311
 San Bernard Elec. 936-372-9176
 City of PV Water 936-857-3711
 City of Waller Gas 936-372-3880
 Republic Services 979-277-1160
 Municipal Court 936-857-5327
 Juvenile Court 979-826-7691
 Waller ISD 936-931-3685
 Hempstead ISD 979-826-3304

City of Prairie View
 44500 U. S. Business 290
 P. O. Box 817
 Prairie View, TX. 77446-0817

houston foodbank

Filling pantries. Filling lives.

Thursday, August 17, 2017
 10:30-12:30!
 Bring your own bags.

New Jobs in Waller County!

[https://www.facebook.com/groups/
 SouthWallerCountyNews/
 permalink/1603491659663270/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/SouthWallerCountyNews/)

Prairie View Scouts

Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays.
 Pack 338 5:30-6:30, PV Fire Station;
 Troop 1906 7-8:30, PV City Hall & Girls
 6:30—7:30 PV City Hall

PV citizens may report non-emergencies
 to the police department online via the
 City's website, prairieviewtexas.gov, from
 the police department menu.

Economic 4B Board OBJECTIVES

- * Attract housing and retail develop-
ments to PV
- * Enhance community infrastructure
- * Advance science, technology, engi-
neering and math education of the
region's minority/underprivileged chil-
dren
- * Encourage entrepreneurship in PV,
support existing business and attract
new ones
- * Become the state's hub for African
American heritage preservation and
cultural tourism
- * Promote Prairie View

The City of PV Newsletter Editors

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 Jacqueline Sadberry, Editor

2017 PVAMU Football Schedule

Sat. Sept. 8 @2pm TSU (Labor Day Classic) in PV
 Thurs. Sept. 7 @6:30pm Sam Houston St. in PV
 Sat. Sept. 16 @pm Nicholls in Thibodaux, LA
 Sat. Sept. 23 @7pm Alabama St. in Montgomery, AL
 Sat. Sept. 30 @4pm Jackson St. in PV
 Sat. Oct. 7 @4pm Grambling St. in Dallas
 Sat. Oct. 14 @2pm Alcorn St. in Lorman, Miss.
 Sat. Oct. 28 @2pm Bacone (Homecoming) in PV
 Sat. Nov. 4 @4pm Southern Univ in Baton Rouge
 Sat. Nov. 11 @1pm Arkansas-Pine Bluff in PV
 Sat. Nov. 16 @6pm Incarnate Word in San Antonio



Financial Fridays! Basic Banking, Budgeting, Sav-
 ings, Investments, Credit, Retirement Planning, Au-
 gust 4, 11, 18 & 25 from 12 -1pm, PVAMU,
 Seminar A, Carden-Waller Coop. Extension Bldg.



National Night Out 2017

Mark Your Calendar for the City of
 PV, Citywide Block Party on Thurs-
 day, September 21, 6pm— 8pm at
 City of PV City Hall (Food, music,
 valuable information, games & activities will be FREE!!)
SAVE the DATE for Tuesday, October 3, 2017, 6pm—
 8pm. Join your City Subdivision Block Party; a fun time
 to meet your neighbors. (more information to come).

CHURCHES IN PRAIRIE VIEW

(email to cityofpvmmonthly@gmail.com)

First United Methodist Church, Prairie View, Texas

August 19 @11am, Annual Brims & Crowns fundraising Ex-
 travaganza at the Waller Baptist Church, 2520 Cherry Street,
 Waller. Lunch, door prizes and donation \$20.

Immanuel Church @PV, Worship Service @10:45am,
 August 6 & 20, @Waller County Community Center in PV

St. Francis Assisi Episcopal Church, 204 Dooley Street

Aug. 10 Fish Fry Dinners for \$10 (With Vegetables and Des-
 sert) from 11a.m. – 1p.m. Aug. 13 Bible Study/Christian Edu-
 cation at 9:30 a.m. Parish Hall

Aug. 13 Worship Service – Morning Prayer at 11a.m.

Mr. Frederick V. Roberts is the leader.

Aug. 19 Men's Prayer Breakfast at 8:30 a.m. Speaker is
 Mr. Walter Smith of CASA – Waller County

Waller ISD

First Day of School
 Monday, August 28, 2017



Prairie View Senior Citizens' Corner

Weekly Exercise Classes

Tuesdays & Thursdays

10:30 am—11:30 am

@ First United Methodist Church



On behalf of the PV City Council & Mayor Allen, we want to express our appreciation to city staff, volunteers and community residents for your efforts, hard work & participation in helping to make great things happen in our city.