



THE CITY OF PRAIRIE VIEW NEWSLETTER 2019

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June 2019

Monthly Events

2nd & 4th Mondays
PV City Hall
 Prairie View City Council,
 6 p.m.

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

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

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

4th Thursday,
PV Alumni Bldg
 Chamber of Commerce, 6 p.m.

Engineers, Public Works,
USW reviewing plans on more
new housing in PV!



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)

Heavy Trash pickup day,
 the 3rd Monday of each
 month & scheduled
 by calling **979-277-1160.**

Mayor's Monthly Update



Dear PV Residents and Students, Employees of PVAMU;

My 36 Month Report to you shows many

things happening in our beautiful city: 5,000+ New student beds will be ready in next 18 months. Several developers are working to open their businesses such as the Shell Convenience Store/Gas Station, Checkers Restaurant, Speedy Stop Convenience Store/Gas Station both at the corner of University Dr & Hwy 290. Additionally, land has been purchased for the Harvest Market Grocery Store. Noteworthy, \$40,000.00 has been recovered from the Texas Rangers & WC DA Investigation 2010-2017 Court Ordered Reimbursement. The city received \$100,000.00 from the National Foundation Science Grant and applying for \$2 million for the Smart City initiative.

I was invited to speak at the National Science Foundation Convention with PVAMU Researchers and served on the NSF Grant Review Panel in Washington DC.

Furthermore, a \$350,000.00 Alta Vista Sewer Upgrades Grant has been completed as well as a bid for



Houston Mayor Turner's State of the City Address; PVAMU Asst. VP Terence Finley, Intel Corp's Elizabeth McGee and Mayor David Allen

a \$742,000.00 Rosewood Sewer Upgrades Grant; an award for a \$1 Million James Muse Pkwy Water/ Sewer Grant; and an environmental study is being done for \$7.4 Million James Muse Pkwy Expansion from 2 to 4 lanes. The new PV Cricket Sports Complex is the largest in U.S. where USA Cricket League was elevated to play pro 2 weeks ago!

Other objectives completed included: new Ford F150s (2), 4- police cars, a Ford Explorer, backhoe, tractor and 2-Zero Turn Mowers. The City of PV and PVAMU Trade Mission to Panama (MOU w Univ. of Panama). The City Public Works and Admin. Clerks increased to 4 employees each with bilingual transla-

tion.

We are working towards a \$1.9 Million New City Revenue to add Police Officers, cars, City Services, AND a Community Workshop is being planned to discuss offering a 65+ property tax exemption in 2021!

Tell Them We Are Rising! God bless our PV Family & Partnerships, Mayor David Allen, City of PV

Toyota Mobility Challenge: PVAMU Engineering Students, Professors present findings to community!



TOYOTA MOBILITY CHALLENGE

Mayor David Allen invites you to participate in a student research project workshop. Civil Engineering students at Prairie View A&M University (PVAMU) were selected by Toyota Motor North America to conduct research on accessible transportation issues within Prairie View and all of Waller County. The students need your help to further understand accessible transportation issues for the community — especially mobility issues for persons with disabilities, older adults, and veterans. Your input will help the students develop potential mobility solutions for the area.

The students will present research completed thus far and how the City of Prairie View, PVAMU, and Toyota can work together to potentially develop solutions for the City of Prairie View and Waller County.

WHAT: Student Research Project Workshop — Public Input Requested

WHEN: Wednesday, May 08, 2019 at 2:00 PM

WHERE: City of Prairie View City Hall, 44500 Business HWY 290 Prairie View, TX

WHO:



Municipal Court Report	Ordinances	Other violations	Cases Total
June, 2016 — May, 2019	184	4,084	4,268



San Bernard Electric trimming trees from wires city wide

Kappa Men honored PVAMU President Dr Ruth Simmons at Diamond Scholarship Gala



CITY COUNCIL

MAYOR, David Allen

- Position #1 Brian Rowland
- Position #2 Jonathon Randle
- Position #3 Kendrick Jones
- Position #4 Wendy Williams
- Position #5 Xante Wallace



Taqueria Ruby, 24 hours, Business 290

**PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF PRAIRIE VIEW
TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM
DISASTER RECOVERY**

The City of Prairie View is giving notice of the City's intent to submit an application for a grant from the Community Development Block Grant Program for Disaster Recovery associated to Hurricane Harvey. The grant application is for \$742,016.00 to be used for the following projects in Prairie View, Texas.

Sewer System Improvements

The application is available for review at the Prairie View City Hall during regular business hours located at 44500 US Business Hwy 290, Prairie View, Texas 77446.

Posted June 3 - July 3, 2019

Important Numbers

- PV City Hall** 936-857-3711
- PV Police** 936-857-3521
- PV Fire** 936-857-9522
- Nonemergency #** 979-826-8033
- Waller Cty Sheriff** 979-826-8282
- PVAMU** 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

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



FREE EVENT! You are invited to attend the Annual Juneteenth BBQ sponsored by Constable Hershel & Sharon Smith and others on Wednesday, June 19, 2019, 12:00 noon at the corner of Dooley & University.



Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc, Health Fair



Panther Hill Apartments pool party!



SAVE THE DATE! The 13th Annual Red & White Ball is August 31, 2019. For Tickets & Ads, contact Sandra Wenzly @713-542-3437 or Belinda Lewis @lewisbelinda@hotmail.com

The City of PV Newsletter Editors
Veronica C. Hargest Sharp, Ed. D., Editor in Chief
Jacqueline Sadberry & Lorna Doore Co-Editors



Kraft Houston Food Bank Distribution
June 20, 2019, 10:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. The distribution location is at St. Francis Assisi Episcopal Church, 204 Dooley Street. Bring your Own Bags!

Scouts Summer Schedule

Contact: Boy Scouts—Jason Bullard @troop1906pv@gmail.com; Cub Scouts—Elaine Jackson @mejacksonx@prodigy.net or Tim Perkin @713-594-6768
Join PV Fire Department—meetings every Wednesday, 7 p.m.



City Staff:
Administration,
Municipal Court,
Public Works,
serving you!

**CHURCHES IN PRAIRIE VIEW
(Church Announcements)**

First United Methodist Church, 35615 Owens Rd
Sunday School, 10a.m. and Worship Service @ 11a.m.
** Wednesdays, months of June—August, Bible Study
** Friday, June 14, 12 noon to 2:00 p.m.—FREE Ice Cream Social, Church Annex

Henderson Chapel off Echols Street
Sunday mornings, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

Immanuel Church @ PV, P. O. Box 507
* Thursdays – Corporate Prayer, 7:30 p.m. followed by Bible Study & Friday mornings, Up w/The Son, 7:00 p.m., PV Student Park

Prairie View COGIC, 24776 Richards Road
** Sunday, June 9, 3:00pm—Founders' Day
** June 12—14, 6:00 p.m., Vacation Bible School
** Saturday, June 15, 11 a.m.—2 p.m., Dads and Kites (Father's Day Celebration)

St. Francis Assisi Episcopal Church, 204 Dooley
* Sunday, June 9—Boy Scouts Court of Honor, 4:00 pm
* Saturday, June 22 —Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m.

Temple of Refuge Ministries, 45372 Old HWY 290
Sunday morning live broadcast services beginning at 10:15 by dialing 605-562-0444 (T-Mobile users: 605-562-0440). ID code is 46492.

All Faiths Chapel, PVAMU Campus
Sunday Morning Service, 10am

Victorious Believers Church, 21131 Pine Island Rd.
www.victoriousbc.org; Christian Education, 10am, Morning Worship, 11am

Wyatt Chapel BC, 36903 Wyatt Chapel Rd. Sunday Morning Service, 11 a.m.

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.