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SOUTH HAMPTON COMMUNITY MEETING

APRIL 20, 2021

ENGAGEMENT | POLICE | LIBRARY | PUBLIC WORKS | CODE RESOURCES | NEIGHBORHOOD ENHANCEMENT TEAM
INTRODUCTIONS

Councilmember Raul Gonzalez, District 2
Councilmember Victoria Farrar-Myers, District 7
City Staff
- Library
  - Cristen Williams
- Public Works
  - Mike Davis
- Code Compliance
  - Lisa Duncan
- Neighborhood Enhancement Team
  - Curtis Jones
  - Robert Rodriguez
  - Neal Lucas
NEIGHBORHOOD ENGAGEMENT

- KNOW YOUR CITY
- KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS
- BUILD-UP NEIGHBORHOODS TOGETHER

- CONNECT
  neighborhoods to departmental programs and resources – “no wrong door”

- COMMUNICATE
  with neighbors as a component of City-wide communications

- COLLABORATE
  on new and existing neighborhood initiatives

- ASSIST
  with neighborhood issues

Follow the City of Arlington on Nextdoor

Apply for the Arlington Home Improvement Incentive Program

Reserve the Block Party Trailer for your Neighborhood

Apply for the Neighborhood Matching Grant
Questions for Neighborhood Programs?

neighborhoods@arlingtontx.gov
SAFETY TIPS & START A COMMUNITY WATCH GROUP

- Keep yourself and your property safe from would be criminals
  - Keep your vehicle locked to prevent Burglary of Motor Vehicle (BMV)
  - Hide your valuables/property in your car
  - Be aware of your surroundings while walking
  - Call 911 if you observe suspicious behavior
- Start or Join your local Community Watch Group
  - Be the eyes and ears for your neighborhood
  - Receive and give information with the police to prevent continuation of criminal acts
  - Contact South District Crime Prevention Officer Tim Hayden for more information about starting a Community Watch Group at 817.459.6468 or Timothy.Hayden@arlingtontx.gov
Questions for Police?
WELCOME TO

ARLINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Cristen Williams
Library Service Manager – Neighborhood Services & Volunteer Management
Cristen.Williams@arlingtontx.gov
Seven locations open in Arlington.

We provide literacy tools to support students, families, and lifelong learners.

Public computer access, WiFi and FAX/Photocopier available

Free programs include bilingual early literacy story times; GED, ESL, and other adult education classes; and events for seniors.

Study rooms available at Downtown and East

Collection of books, DVDs, CDs, and more. Books in Spanish, Vietnamese, French, and other languages are available, as well as e-books and e-audio books.
CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

- STEAM Play
  - OSMO Kits and other Activities
  - Mondays at 3:30 p.m.
- 3D Pens
  - Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m.
- H.O.P.E. Tutoring
  - Registration Required*
  - Wednesdays at 4:45 – 5:45 p.m.
- Art Pod
  - Thursdays at 4:30 p.m.
- Spheros
  - Saturdays at 2:30 p.m.

DISCOVER YOUR STORY
SUMMER READING CHALLENGE
JUNE 1 – JULY 31
SUMMER READING CHALLENGE HIGHLIGHTS

- Free Summer meals ages 1-17 at East and Southeast Branches
- Virtual and in person programs available for all ages
- Adult programs
  - Makerspace Escape Room
  - A Talk on Jane Austen
  - Succulents and Cactus Gardening
  - And more!!!
Arlington Residents are encouraged to submit an art piece or poetry from April 1 through April 30 that reflects what unity looks like to you.

Contest is open to school-age children, teens and adults.

Winning entries will be displayed at the George W. Hawkes Downtown Library lobby.

More information can be found at [https://arlingtonlibrary.org/unity-art-poetry-contest](https://arlingtonlibrary.org/unity-art-poetry-contest).
Questions for Library?
PUBLIC WORKS

NATHAN LOWE RD UPDATE

• Joint Project with Tarrant County to resurface Nathan Lowe Rd from Cooper St to Matlock Rd
• Project cost $811,445,11
• Anticipated completion late July 2021

• Mike Davis, Operations Supervisor
  • Michael.Davis@arlingtontx.gov
  • 817-459-6548
Questions for Public Works?
REPORTING CODE VIOLATIONS

- Download the Ask Arlington app on your smartphone
- Call the Action Center 817-459-6777
- City of Arlington website – arlingtontx.gov
- Code Compliance Officer Jerry Pollard
  - Jerry.pollard@arlingtontx.gov
  - 817-459-5378
Mission of the Code Ranger Program

To promote healthy neighborhoods through connecting the community to city resources in an effort to establish and grow positive relationships between the citizens and Code Compliance Services.

Sign up for a Class!
Robert Lawless
817-459-5865
code@arlingtontx.gov
TOOL SHARING PROGRAM

- Borrow Tools Free of Charge
- We are Mobile!
- Reserve Online or by Phone
- www.arlingtontx.gov/tools
- 817-459-6777
WHO ARE WE?

Curtis Jones & Robert Rodriguez – Senior Code Compliance Officers

Neal Lucas – Field Operations Manager

Jerry Pollard – Neighborhood Code Compliance Officer

Strategic Planning, Police, Fire, Public Works, Water, Parks, Library
WHAT IS OUR MISSION?

- Education
- Quality of Life
- Engage
- Connect
- Safe Environment
- Beautification
HOW ARE WE DIFFERENT?

- Education focused
- Neighborhood specific
- Proactive outreach
- Community meetings
- Collaborative approach

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How Can We Help?

The Neighborhood Enhancement Team is currently partnering with your community to connect you with city resources, volunteers, and your neighbors.

If you have a neighborhood concern, need assistance, or would like to get involved please reach out!

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We’re Sorry We Missed You!

Please contact us to discuss:

- Tall Weeds and Grass
- Trash and Debris
- Vehicle Parking
- Nuisance Vehicle
- Dilapidated Fence
- Recycling Bin/Trash
- Outside Storage
- Tree Limbs
- Stagnant Water
- _____________

Notes:

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Date: ______________________

For more information about the City’s Neighborhood Enhancement Team, please visit www.arlingtontx.gov/codecompliance and click on the Get Involved link.

Ver el revés para español
SOUTH HAMPTON COMMUNITY

- Carthage Way, White Dove, Swan Lake
- 416 parcels
- 185 parcels (44%) with code violations
- Trending concerns – Recycle Bins, Unclean Premises and Outside Storage
TYPICAL CODE VIOLATIONS

- High Weeds & Grass
- Dilapidated Fence
- Unclean Premises
- Outside Storage
- Nuisance Landscape
- Overhanging tree limbs
- Parking in the yard
- Trash out too early
- Stagnant Water
- Nuisance Vehicles
TIMELINE

- April 22nd – Proactive Outreach
- May 22nd – Community Cleanup Day
COMMUNITY CLEANUP DAY
MAY 22ND

- Special curbside trash pickup on Saturday 12 p.m.
- Tool Sharing Program
- Do you or a neighbor need help?
- Get involved!
TIMELINE

- June 4th – Follow Up Conversations
- June 18th – Wrap Up Newsletter

Code Compliance Officer Jerry Pollard
- 817-459-5378
- Jerry.Pollard@arlingtontx.gov
HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Join our email list
  - Notification of upcoming volunteer opportunities
  - Send out resident assistance requests
  - Share success stories
- Give us a call
  - Curtis Jones
    - 817-459-5359
    - Curtis.Jones@arlingtontx.gov
  - Robert Rodriguez
    - 817-459-5303
    - Robert.Rodriguez@arlingtontx.gov
- Recommend a neighborhood
QUESTIONS?

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING!