



RESIDENTS OF LIVE OAK

COMMUNITY NOTICES

In an effort to keep you current on community information, the City of Live Oak 1) publishes a bi-monthly newsletter, which arrives the first week of odd-numbered months, 2) posts announcements on three marquees (Civic Center on Pat Booker Road, City Hall on Shin Oak Drive, Toepperwein Road at Judson Road), and 3) regularly adds notices to the City's web site www.liveoaktx.net.

CONNECT CTY TELEPHONE ALERTING SYSTEM – PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY!

The City of Live Oak has a telephone alerting system that is designed to provide you with both emergency messages and informational messages relating to important City issues. If you have a listed phone number you should be included, but you can have your cellular number, an office number, or an e-mail address included in the data base. There are NO individual costs associated with this system to you and the City can make as many calls as needed with no added cost. If you have any questions regarding this new telephone alerting system, please contact Gary Woppert, the Emergency Management Coordinator at 653-9140, extension 379, on line at gwoppert@liveoaktx.net, or stop by the Office of Emergency Management in the Fire Station during normal business hours.

PHYSICAL AND MAILING ADDRESS FOR LIVE OAK

Please note that **78233** is only one of several zip codes assigned to Live Oak. Others are **78154 and 78148**. If you live in the Auburn Hills or Bridlewood Subdivisions, you live within the city limits of Live Oak. The Post Office does not require you to write San Antonio for your mailing address. Your mail will be delivered with Live Oak, Texas as your address. Also, please stress to vendors who perform services at your address that you live within the City of Live Oak so any sales tax charged is returned to Live Oak and is not distributed to San Antonio.

“DO YOU HAVE A COOL NEIGHBOR?” PROGRAM

Through Alamo Service Connection (ASC) / Alamo Area Council of Governments (AACOG), the City joined several area organizations to sponsor and promote this program. “Do You Have a Cool Neighbor?” focuses on the needs of our neighbors, especially those who are elderly and more prone to heat-related dangers. Door hangers and thermometers will be delivered in person to elderly Live Oak residents and also will be available at City Hall. If you know of any Live Oak resident who, because of their elderly and/or financially challenged status, does not keep their home cool during the hot months, please notify City Hall to request a thermometer and door hanger with guidelines to monitor heat-related symptoms. This service is free to our residents.

WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM

The City of Live Oak is promoting the Weatherization Program for those of you who need help with energy conservation for your homes. This program, at no cost to recipients, is funded by the federal government and managed by Alamo Area Council of Governments (AACOG). You do not have to own your current residence to apply for this program. You may apply even if you rent / lease your house or an apartment, as long as you have written authorization from your landlord and meet certain eligibility requirements. Applications are reviewed in the order received by AACOG.

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH – HELP KEEP OUR RESIDENTS AND NEIGHBORHOODS SAFE

Traffic law enforcement in the City of Live Oak is administered through the Live Oak Police Department, including parking violations. In the most recent past, parking violations have garnered much citizen concern, especially vehicles parked on sidewalks. Parking on a sidewalk is prohibited in the City by state law.

The City wants to remind our citizens to be conscientious when parking in a driveway and across the sidewalk as it could constitute a violation. If you are unsure about parking your vehicle, please call the police department at 210-945-1700.

The City of Live Oak is a Crime Watch community. The City wants our community's support in keeping our City safe and crime free. If you see anything suspicious or out of the ordinary, please call the Live Oak Police Department at 210-653-0033 or 210-945-1700. If you feel the matter is urgent or is an emergency, please dial 9-1-1 immediately.

The Live Oak Police Department encourages the prompt reporting of graffiti so the matter can be addressed as soon as possible.

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS

SENIORS OF LIVE OAK (SOLO) – SOLO has a very active senior citizens' group who meets twice a month. This group gathers to socialize, organize bingo pot-luck lunches, and play various games. For detailed information, please contact Terry Fitzpatrick at 210-655-2201.

LIVE OAK VILLAGE GARDEN CLUB –Garden Club members help beautify our community as evidenced by the Xeriscape Park at Sage Oak and Toepperwein Road. This group meets on the third Tuesday of each month from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Live Oak Youth Building behind the City swimming pool. For detailed information, please contact JoAnna Wheeler at 210-655-1036 or Sandra Little at 210-375-3978.

LIVE OAK LEAGUE OF ARTS (LOLA) - LOLA holds a general meeting on the 2nd Saturday of each month from 11:00 am to 2 pm including a Pot Luck meal. On the 4th Saturday of each month LOLA holds workshops for hands-on techniques. Unless otherwise noted, the meetings are held at the Live Oak Youth Building behind the City swimming pool. If you are interested in learning more about LOLA, you may e-mail Ms. Hartman at liveoakleagueofarts@yahoo.com.

If you have questions or would like more information on any City services or programs, please contact City Hall at 210-653-9140.