



August 2025

# Calendar

#### August 5

• P & Z Meeting—6:00 PM

#### August 12

- First Day of School—Burton Hill Elementary
- Coffee with the Mayor—8:00 AM
- Finance and Long Range Planning Meeting—6:00
- WRA Meeting—6:30 PM
- City Council Meeting—7:00 PM



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# **Burton Hill Elementary Opens for School**

As the school year approaches, please be aware of children walking to school and crossing the streets. Burton Hill Elementary will be back in session on **Tuesday**, **August 12**, **2025**. The school zone on Burton Hill Road is 20 mph. Flashing light signals will remind you to slow down.

The building opens daily at 7:30 AM. The school parking lot is for school staff only. Drivers are asked to park on the right hand side of the street by the fence in front of the school.



Visit the school website at <a href="www.fwisd.org/BurtonHill">www.fwisd.org/BurtonHill</a> or call 817-815-1400 for more information.

### **Annual Fall Clean-Up**

The annual Fall Clean-Up and Environmental Waste Day for the city will be held in the Municipal Complex Parking Lot:

- Saturday, September 20, 2025
  - 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM—Clean-Up
  - 9:00 to11:00 AM—Environmental Waste Clean-Up
  - 9:00 to11:00 AM—Silverback Paper Shredding
- Remember to bring proof of residency (copy of water bill or drivers license).

During the Environmental Waste Clean-Up hours, acceptable items will include those that are harmful to the environment (i.e. paint, oil, batteries, etc.). However, we cannot accept needles or medical waste. Old prescriptions can always be dropped off in the drop-box located in the Police Department lobby.

During the remainder of the event, we will be unable to accept items harmful to the environment including refrigerators, air conditioners, any Freon bearing items, batteries, or other hazardous material.



## **Budget Presentations**

The mayor's proposed FY 2025-2026 budget will be presented at the following upcoming meetings:

- Aug 12 @ 6 PM—Proposed capital improvement budget
- Aug 12 @ 7 PM—Proposed full budget
- **Sept 9 @ 7 PM**—First Public Hearing/ second review of budget and tax rate
- Sept 16 @ 6 PM—Second Public Hearing/ Approval of budget and set tax rate

# New Trailer Parking Ordinance

At the July meeting, Ordinance 516 regarding parking trailers and recreational vehicles within the city.

Effective immediately, the following will be enforced:

- Trailers, excluding recreational vehicles, regardless of weight and size shall not be stored or parked on any public street, right of way, alley or easement unless it remains connected to a vehicle that is operational and properly licensed.
- Recreational vehicles (vehicles or trailers designed for temporary living quarters) regardless of weight, size, or type may not be parked on any public street, right of way, alley or easement for more than 36 hours.

#### **Alarm Permits**

To refresh our longtime residents and inform our new residents, here are some quick details on our alarm ordinance:

- No person shall operate an alarm system without an alarm permit issued by the Chief of Police.
- Applications for alarm permits are available through the police department or at <a href="http://www.cityofwestworth.com/permits-and-building-inspections">http://www.cityofwestworth.com/permits-and-building-inspections</a>
- Residential/ tenant alarm permits expire after 3 years from date of issuance.
- If the system was removed, the permit may be cancelled by providing written notice or returning the permit to the dispatch office.

The responsibilities of a permit holder are as follows:

- Keep the alarm and premises where the alarm is housed in good working order
- Maintain the alarm system in a manner that will minimize false alarm notification
- Address malfunctioning alarm systems in a timely manner
- Do not activate the alarm, without prior notification to the police department, for any reason other than the occurrence of an event that the alarm system was intended to report
- Notify the police department and the alarm company prior to activating an alarm for maintenance purposes
- Do not utilize any alarm system which causes an audible signal to be emitted for more than fifteen minutes after being activated or which emits a subsequent alarm without being reset
- If more than 4 false alarms occur in a 12 month period, the permit holder will be charged a fee for each subsequent false alarm.

To view the entire ordinance, visit: <a href="https://z2codes.franklinlegal.net/franklin/Z2Browser2.html?showset=westworthvillageset&collection=westworthvillageset&collection=westworthvillage&doccode=z2Code\_z20001016">https://z2browser2.html?showset=westworthvillageset&collection=westworthvillage&doccode=z2Code\_z20001016</a>