



Westworth Village

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November 2020

Calendar

November 1

- Daylight Savings—set your clocks back an hour

November 3

- Election Day—7:00 AM—7:00 PM
- BHE PTO Reata Pick-Up—5:00—6:00 PM

November 5

- P & Z Meeting—6:00 PM
- Golf & Parks Meeting—7:00 PM

November 10

- City Council Meeting—7:00 PM

November 11

- Veteran's Day—City Offices Closed

November 12

- BHE PTO Food Truck Fundraiser—4:30—8:00 PM

November 26—27

- Thanksgiving—City Offices Closed

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<http://cityofwestworth.com/manage-notifications>

November Election

The City will hold a General Election on Tuesday, November 3, 2020. Voting will take place at City Hall from 7 AM—7 PM. The ballot will appear as follows:

- Place 2: Michael Dingman / Tiffany Aller
- Place 3: Brian Libbey / Phillip Poole
- Place 4: Abraham Elizondo, Unopposed
- Place 5: Dore Hendrix / Dani Briones

On the ballot, citizens will also be presented with the opportunity to vote on the reauthorization of the 1/4 cent street maintenance sales tax. This tax expires and must be voted on for reauthorization every four years. This tax does not affect personal property taxes unless voters choose not to reauthorize it.

This tax generates restricted revenue to fund Street Department equipment, maintenance supplies, and personnel.

If you have any questions, please contact the City Secretary at 817-710-2526 or bbarrett@cityofwestworth.com

Board & Committee Appointments

In December, the Council will be appointing new members to the City's boards and committees. As the City would like to provide opportunities to as many citizens as possible in order to create diverse boards and committees, we are encouraging all who are interested in serving to fill out the application available at: <http://cityofwestworth.com/uploads/file/Volunteer%20Application.pdf>.

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Christmas Connection

The Westworth Village Police Department partners with the Alliance for Children organization. They are once again running Christmas Connection, a pop-up store where families served through their agency are able to shop for free. They served 550 child abuse victims and their siblings last year. We will be collecting **new, unwrapped items** appropriate for ages 0—17 at City Hall. The deadline for drop off is **November 23rd**. You may also participate via their Amazon wishlist at <https://a.co/0GB9ly5> or donate money directly and find gift suggestions at <https://allianceforchildren.ejoinme.org/2020Christmas>.



Santa Claus is Coming to Town

Mark your calendars for **December 5th!** The Westworth Village Police Department will be hosting Santa Day. This year the event will look a bit different in order to be mindful of social distancing practices. However, the parade and pictures with Santa will still take place!

Sign up for event emails on the City's website, or check next month's newsletter for more details!



December Blood Drive

Thanks to the great success of our last blood drive in August and the immense need due to the critically low blood supply right now, the City will be hosting the Carter BloodCare bus again on **Friday, December 4th** in the City Hall parking lot.

Check in on the City's notification page this month for more information once the sign-up link has been released.



No Outside Storage

Storage of items on front porches, carports, and side yards is against city ordinance. Storing items such as indoor furniture, appliances, construction material, general household items, toys, scrap metal, automotive parts, tires, trash bags, clothes, etc. visible to public view could invite vandals who are looking for valuables in the neighborhood and the City, creating a danger to everyone. It also increases the rodent population and creates a health and sanitation hazard. Covering/tarping the outside storage pile does not correct the violation. Those in violation who fail to comply with City ordinances will receive a citation if the violation is not corrected within the allotted time.

Questions regarding this or violation reports should be directed to Brandy Barrett at 817-710-2526, or bbarrett@cityofwestworth.com.

Cease the Grease—Holiday Grease Roundup

This year, from **November 23—January 4**, we will be participating in the **free** Holiday Grease Roundup. There will be a barrel outside the Public Works building at 128 Koldin Ln, available 24/7 to recycle your cooking oil and grease. (Motor oil and other automotive fluids are not accepted.)



Residents should never dispose of cooking grease or cooking oils by washing them down the plumbing system or the storm drain. Oils pollute our streams and creeks by forming a film on the water surface and preventing oxygenation for aquatic life. Polluted water runoff can lead to severe State and Federal fines. As sewer pipes back up, food and sewage particles accumulate to create a health hazard by attracting insects and vermin.

For more information, visit:
www.ceasethegreasantx.com