

Westworth Village

<u>Calendar</u>

March 2

- Golf & Parks Meeting—6:00 PM
- Long Range Planning Meeting—
 7:00 PM

March 9

 Planning & Zoning Meeting — 6:00 PM

March 14

- Coffee with the Mayor-8:00 AM
- City Council Meeting—7:00 PM

March 16

 BHE PTO Food Truck Night— 5:00—8:00 PM

March 18

 Spring Clean Up—7:00 AM— 4:00 PM

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May 6th, 2023 General Election

The City will hold a General Election on **Saturday**, **May 6**, **2023**. The ballot will appear as follows:

Mayor: Kelly Jones (I)

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- Place 1: Phillip Poole, Unopposed
- Place 5: Halden Griffith, Unopposed

This year, the Candidate Forum is tentatively planned to be held on April 18, pending confirmation from the League of Women Voters of Texas. There will be more details about this event coming out soon.

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

Annual Spring Clean-Up

The annual spring clean up for the city will be held in the Municipal Complex Parking Lot:

- Saturday, March 18, 2023 from 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM
- Remember to bring proof of residency (copy of water bill or drivers license).

We cannot accept paints, tires, oil, insecticides, items that are harmful to the environment, refrigerators, air conditioners, any Freon bearing items, batteries, or other hazardous material.

 If you need to dispose of the above hazardous waste visit our Water Department to purchase a voucher to Fort Worth's Environmental Collection Center. Vouchers cost \$50 and you must bring your driver's license or current water bill with you for proof of residency.

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Coffee with the Mayor

As decided at last month's event, Mayor Jones will host another Coffee with the Mayor on Tuesday, **March 14th at 8:00 AM.** Join the mayor and your neighbors in the Westworth Village Community Room located in City Hall for a brief update on current events in the village, followed by an opportunity for open discussion with the mayor and attendees. Coffee and light snacks will be



BHE Food Truck Night

The Burton Hill Elementary PTO holds a monthly Food Truck Fundraiser in Melva Campbell Park on the third Thursday evening of each month! A portion of all sales goes to support the PTO. This month, the event will be held on **Thursday, March 16th from 5:00—8:00 PM.** Keep an eye out on the city's Facebook page and notification system for more information on what food trucks will be serving.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance

For low to moderate income families (taxpayers who make less than \$60,000) who need help filing their prior year or current income taxes, the IRS supports a free Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program (VITA). Services can be applied for inperson or by curbside drop off.

For more information and to learn how to qualify and apply for the VITA services, as well as a list of documents that will be required, visit <u>https://</u> www.fortworthtexas.gov/vita

Sewer Rate Averaging

REMINDER: On this month's bill, you will likely notice a change to your sewer rate. This new rate will remain in effect until next year's averaging. The average is based on your water consumption from December—February. This is an annual process, and is in line with industry standards. As the system is only able to meter incoming water, the city must rely on averaging in order to assess sewer fees. It should also be noted that sewer fees are charged at a higher rate, because the waste water requires processing to clean. The winter months are used for our averaging process because irrigation systems are least in use, meaning the incoming metering during this time is the most accurate estimation of water that is actually being returned to the sewer system. For residents that move in during or after this averaging period, the average of the entire city is applied as the rate to any new account until the next averaging period, at which time, their new rate will be based on their actual usage.

If you have any further questions regarding this process, please contact the Water Department at 817-710-2505 or by emailing <u>krice@cityofwestworth.com</u>

