



Westworth Village

Westworth Village News

December 2023

Calendar

December 1

- Tree Lighting & Santa Day—5:30 PM—7:30 PM
- Tree Lighting at 6:00 PM

December 5

- P&Z Meeting—6:00 PM
- CCPD Meeting—7:00 PM

December 12

- City Council Meeting—7:00 PM

December 25—26

- Christmas (Observed)—City Offices Closed

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Kick off the holiday season **Friday, December 1st** at the annual Westworth Village Tree Lighting Ceremony and Santa Day!

Starting at 5:30 PM, come enjoy complimentary hot cocoa and snacks, or a drink from the cash bar and grab your spot to watch the tree lighting! If you'd like to sit, please bring a chair or blanket.

The tree lighting will take place at 6:00 PM in front of City Hall.

Immediately following the lighting, families are invited to meet Santa, where they will receive a free photo as well as take home craft pack until Santa departs at 7:30 PM!

Holiday Theft Awareness

Yes, **ITS SHOPPING SEASON FOR BURGLARS!**

Be sure to keep your car locked (even when parked in your driveway) and hide items from view on the inside when shopping this season.



Additionally, after all the presents have been unwrapped this holiday season, take time to break down the boxes and hide them in dark trash bags or trash bins. Burglars drive neighborhoods and shop the curbs for houses to hit.

A reminder from the Westworth Village Police Department.

Message from the Water Utilities Services

Residential Winter Sewer Averaging

Each year the City of Westworth Village averages the water consumption of the December, January, and February billing periods to recalculate sewer charges. These months are used because typically residents do not have a high outdoor water demand and are considered to be the lowest for overall water use.

The new winter sewer average goes into effect on the March billing and that will be the new monthly sewer charge for the next twelve months.

Commercial

Sewer charges for commercial customers are based on the monthly water consumption.

Water Conservation Tips

- Residents should begin preparations to monitor for any water leaks, monitor water consumption and practice beneficial water conservation.
- Most grasses and vegetation are now dormant; watering of grass, plants, and landscaping should be kept to a minimum.
- Sewer cost could go up, down, or stay about the same depending on how much water is used during December through February billing.

January Blood Drive

The city will be hosting blood drive at City Hall on **Friday, January 5, 2022 from 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM.** Since they will be coming off the holiday shortage, **all donors will receive a pullover jacket, as well as a \$20 e-gift card that can be used at Target, Lowes, Starbucks, or Amazon!**

If possible, they will accommodate walk-ins, but scheduling an appointment in advance is HIGHLY encouraged. To schedule, follow this link:

https://www.greatpartners.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/148585 or scan the QR Code:



Cease the Grease—Holiday Grease Roundup

This year, from November 13 — January 12, 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.)

Holiday Grease Roundup

Residents should never dispose of cooking grease or cooking oils, including fat from meat, margarine, shortening, or lard, by washing them down the plumbing system or the storm drain. These fats and oils can cause major blockages in sewer pipes, resulting in sewage back ups and damages to infrastructure. Additionally, 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:

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