



ALAMO HEIGHTS City news

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April 2017

Sewer Rates and Winter Averaging

You will see a couple of changes in your water bill. On March 13, 2017 an ordinance was passed approving a Sewer Rate increase of 5.6% to offset charges and costs incurred from San Antonio Water System to treat the City's wastewater. This is a "pass-through" charge that goes into effect April 2017 and will be reflected in your May bill.

Consumption	Residential Rate per 100 cubic ft		Commercial Rate per 100 cubic ft		Institutional Rate per 100 cubic ft	
	Current	New	Current	New	Current	New
Base Rate	\$17.30	\$18.27	\$17.30	\$18.27	\$17.30	\$18.27
501 cf or more	\$ 2.89	\$ 3.05	\$ 2.89	\$ 3.05	\$ 2.89	\$ 3.05

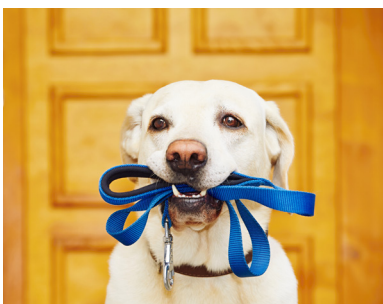
The new 2017/2018 Winter Average sewer rate is in effect and reflected on your April bill. Winter Averaging monitors the amount of water you use during the three complete billing cycles. The city uses the months of Nov., Dec., and Jan. consumption to average your sewer rate.

Spikes or excessive water consumption during Winter Averaging months can cause your sewer bill to increase. If you experienced a leak during this period, the City does have an adjustment policy provided you can document repair of a leak.

Questions or concerns about your sewer charge should be directed to Amanda Borrego, the City Utility Billing Coordinator at 882-1507 or aborrego@alamoheightstx.gov.

Clean Up After Pets

When walking your pets remember to always clean up any waste. It only takes a few seconds to keep your neighbors' yards and public



areas clean so all may enjoy a clean and healthy community. Seven pet waste stations are installed throughout the City: 3 along the La Jara median, 1 at the ball fields, 1 at the Jack Judson Nature Trail, 1 at the community garden and 1 at Vanderhoeven and Castano. Each station include a "mutt mitt" bag dispenser, a steel trash can with lid, and a small sign

that is attached to a steel pole to provide for a clean and easy way to pick up after your dog on walks around these popular routes.

BRIEFS

Year Round Water Regulation

Reminder that the City does have Year-Round Water Regulations.

- Automatic or manual irrigation systems are allowed any day of the week but only before 10 a.m. and after 8 p.m.
- Hand watering with a hand-held hose, soaker hose, drip irrigation system or bucket is allowed any time during the day.
- Remember that any sprinkler system must be equipped with a rain sensor to prevent the system from operation during periods of rain.

"Hands Only CPR"

The AH Fire Dept.'s drive is to teach everyone CPR. Take 10 minutes to learn "Hands Only CPR". The class can be taught in only 15 minutes and can last a lifetime.

There are several training dates available through out the year. Visit <http://alamoheightsfire.com/> and look under "Upcoming Events" for a listing of all dates. Residents can call 210-832-2241 to schedule training.

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FIESTA in Alamo Heights!!

The Alamo Heights Optimist Club Invites One and All to the Best Party in Town!



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MUSICAL GUEST



With Special Guest:



Join us and all of your neighborhood friends for the Seventh Annual Fiesta Time Party at the Alamo Heights Swimming Pool!!!

**Live Bands, Entertainment, Rides, Games
Drinks and all your favorite Fiesta Style Foods!**

**Saturday, April 22nd from 5 to 11 p.m.
Alamo Heights Pool Parking Lot
Family Fun! Adults \$10, Under 13 Free**



2017 Fiesta Medals

**Alamo Heights 2017 Fiesta Medals have arrived!!
Come by City Hall and pick one up!**



2017 Fiesta Medals

only \$10

**All proceeds will support
Alamo Heights Animal Care Services'
Life-Saving Programs**

CITY CALENDAR

APRIL

Tuesday, April 18	Architectural Review Board Meeting	5:30 p.m.
Monday, April 24	City Council Meeting	5:30 p.m.
Friday, April 28	Holiday - City Offices Closed*	

*Regular Garbage Pick-up

MAY

Monday, May 1	Planning and Zoning Meeting	5:30 p.m.
Wednesday, May 3	Board of Adjustment Meeting	5:30 p.m.
Monday, May 8	City Council Meeting	5:30 p.m.