



CITY NEWS

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DECEMBER 2017

On-Going Tree Preservation Program



The program will continue in 2018. Tree trimming is needed to maintain the 13'6" height access required for the emergency apparatus.

Maintenance and trimming to be done in "dormant" stage to allow for fuller canopy in the Spring. Contact us at 210-822-3331 with any questions concerning this program.

AH Night with the SA Spurs

Come out for our first ever Alamo Heights Night with the San Antonio Spurs - Spurs vs Kings - on **Sunday, January 28th at 6 p.m.** We are so excited to partner up with the SA Spurs and offer such an exciting event. Tickets can be purchased at <https://groupmatics.events/event/Alamoheights7>.

The ticket package includes:

- Game ticket at an exclusive rate (Choose from various different price points)
- Food Voucher included with each ticket (valid for a hot dog or nacho and a drink)
- Court-side Experience (come in early and watch both teams warm up from the first 13 rows of the arena)
- First 10 people who purchase tickets will receive a free parking pass
- Deadline to purchase tickets is Monday, January 8th



*Link to tickets available on AH Facebook page www.facebook.com/CityofAlamoHeights/

BRIEFS

2018 Solid Waste Schedule

The 2018 Solid Waste Service Schedule includes seven holidays when no solid waste services are provided. Holidays for 2018 are:

- New Year's Day
- Good Friday
- Independence Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- The day after Thanksgiving
- Christmas Eve (observed)
- Christmas Day

For full Solid Waste schedule www.alamoheightstx.gov.

Winter Averaging for Annual Sewer Rates

A reminder this year your **November, December and January** consumption will be used for your winter sewer averaging.

Residential sewer services fees are calculated based on the average water usage during these months.

CITY CALENDAR

DECEMBER

Friday, December 22 and
Monday, December 25
Holidays - Christmas Eve
(observed) and Christmas Day
Offices Closed*

Monday, December 25
City Council Meeting
Canceled



JANUARY

Monday, January 1
Holiday - New Year's Day
Offices Closed*

Wednesday, January 3
Board of Adjustment Meeting
5:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 4
Planning and Zoning
5:30 p.m.

Monday, January 8
City Council Meeting
5:30 p.m.

* NO SOLID WASTE PICKUP

CHRISTMAS TREE Safety Tips

Happy Holidays from the Alamo Heights Fire Department! Make your holiday season a safe one. For a free "Home Safety Inspection" call AHFD 210-832-2241.



PICKING THE TREE

- Live Trees - Choose a tree with fresh, green needles that do not fall off when touched.
- Artificial Trees - Should be labeled as fire resistant.



PLACING THE TREE

- Before placing the tree in the stand, cut 2" from the base of the trunk.
- At least 3 feet away from any heat source.
- Add water to the tree stand. Be sure to add water daily.



LIGHTING AND DECORATING

- Use non-flammable or flame resistant decorations.
- Replace any string of lights that have worn, broken cords or loose bulb connections. Read manufacturer's instructions for number of light strands to connect.
- Never use lit candles to decorate the tree.
- Always turn off lights before leaving your home or going to bed.



BE PREPARED

- Test your smoke alarms.
- Have a Fire Extinguisher nearby.

Don't be a Victim - Be Alert!

Vehicle burglaries remain one of the most frequently reported crimes of opportunity but are the most preventable. Vehicle burglars are active year round, especially during the holiday season, prowling parking lots of malls, stores and restaurants.

When shopping, always avoid dark areas in parking lots and at ATMs. Your most important defense – BE ALERT!!! Giving the appearance of not paying attention is what criminals look for in potential victims.

ALAMO HEIGHTS
Texas

USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS

911 for EMERGENCY
Fire/EMS (Non-Emergency): 210-824-1281
Police (Non-Emergency): 210-822-3321
Administration and Finance: 210-822-3331

Public Works: 210-882-1518
Water: 210-882-1507
Community Development: 210-826-0516
Court Clerk: 210-882-1501