

ALAMO HEIGHTS UM NEWS

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No Bulky Items

As a reminder there are certain items that are not picked up by the Public Works Solid Waste Department.

- Furniture
- Water Heaters
- Refrigerators
- A/C Units
- Stoves
- Mattresses
- Construction material that doesn't fit in a garbage can
- Anything that is not broken down or cut-up in 3 foot lengths and weighs more than 40 lbs.
- * Remember landscaping contractors are required to dispose of all materials they trim/cut.



Welcome



We would like to welcome the City's first Code Compliance Officer Christina Maurer. She comes to the City with over 3 years experience at as a Code Compliance Officer from the City of San Angelo and with over 6 years experience working in City Government. Christina has worked as a Public Safety Dispatcher and in the Animal Shelter in San Angelo.

Christina can be reached at 210-832-2211 or by email at cmaurer@alamoheightstx.gov.

The goals of the Code Compliance Officer are to proactively inspect properties to improve and maintain the beauty, health and safety of the City by informing citizens of statute and ordinances.

BRIEFS

Street Parking Permits

During the summer months residential driveways often become overcrowded with long term visitors and students returning home for summer vacation. Situations such as these often times result in vehicles being parked in the street during the overnight hours.

- The City Codes do not allow overnight parking on residential streets between the hours of 2 a.m. 5 a.m.
- Unless the vehicle has a visible parking permit issued by the Police Department
- Street parking permits for passenger cars and light trucks may be obtained from the Police Administrative Office
- Street parking permits are not authorized for motor homes, travel trailers, utility trailers, boats, etc.

Thank You - BigGiveSA

This was the first year for AH Animal Care Services to participate in *BigGiveSA* and what a success! AHACS received over \$3,300 in online and direct donations. We would like to say "*Thank You*" for your support in this program. Your donation will help us continue to give the stray and abandoned animals found in Alamo Heights the shelter, veterinary care, nutrition and love while we find them loving families to call their own.



PHONE NUMBERS:

911 for EMERGENCY Fire/EMS (Non-Emergency): 824-1281 Police (Non-Emergency): 822-3321 Administration and Finance: 822-3331 Public Works: 882-1518 Water: 882-1507 Community Development: 826-0516 Court Clerk: 882-1501

Escape Planning



Plan a home escape plan - it could save your life. You and your family only have minutes to get out safely if a fire breaks out in your home. Everyone needs to know what to do and where to go if a fire occurs.

 Make a home escape plan by "mapping" the layout of your home. Review the plan of where to go with everyone in your home.

- Know at least 2 ways out of every room and ensure all doors and windows open easily.
- Designate a "Safe Place" outside of your home where all family members meet once they're out of the home.
- Practice your "fire drills" at home during the day as well as at night, several times until everyone is comfortable. Practice using different ways out.
- While 71% households have an escape plan in case of a fire, only 47% actually practice it.
- Teach children how to escape on their own, in case adults are not at home, or inside the structure.
- Stay low if smoke conditions are present.
- Get out and stay out. Call 911.

Pooch Parade 2016

Movie Nights in the Heights

Join us again this summer for Movie Nights in the Heights. Our first movie will be on **June 10th** featuring "Inside Out". It's a great way to enjoy an evening out with the family, meet the neighbors and just relax.

This year Movie Nights is being sponsored by Randolph FCU.

Movie starts at 8:30 p.m. and will be held next to the Nature Trails parking lot off Viesca Street. Remember to get there early for the best seats. Don't forget your coolers, chairs and blankets!





CITY CALENDAR

MAY		
Tuesday, May 17	Architectural Review Board Meeting	5:30 p.m.
Monday, May 23	City Council Meeting	5:30 p.m.
Monday, May 30	Holiday - City Offices Closed*	
*Regular Garbage Pick-up		
JUNE		
Monday, June 6	Planning and Zoning Meeting	5:30 p.m.
Wednesday, June 8	Board of Adjustment Meeting	5:30 p.m.

City Council Meeting

5:30 p.m.

Monday, June 13