



# CITY NEWS

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JUNE 2025

**Alamo Heights'**  
**Glorious 4th of July Neighborhood Parade**  
July 4th - 10 a.m.  
assemble at west end of Argyle Avenue  
parade down Patterson to Cathedral Park  
Singing - Reading the Americans' Creed  
Drink Lemonade

Illustration by Emily Prodomos, age 10

★ Decorate a Bike or Tryke ★ Jubilate ★  
★ Make Music ★ Carry a Flag ★ Ring a Bell  
★ Wear a Costume ★ Bring a Friend ★  
★ Whistle ★ Bring your Pet Gold Fish ★  
★ Festoon a Wheelbarrow ★  
★ Be Red, White and Blooming ★


Join us on Friday, July 4th for the 55th Annual 4th of July Parade. Meet us at the corner of Estes and Patterson at 9:45 a.m. The parade will end at Cathedral Park as we sing patriotic songs and enjoy refreshments. Come in your red, white, and blue attire; see you there!


## BRIEFS

### SAP Work Session

The FY26 Council Strategic Action Plan Work Session will be held on Thursday, June 5 at 8:30 a.m.

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CityofAlamoHeights](https://www.facebook.com/CityofAlamoHeights)

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[https://www.facebook.com/  
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reServices/](https://www.facebook.com/AlamoHeightsAnimalCareServices/)

 Street closures,  
weather, events,  
etc.:  
<https://twitter.com/cityofah>

# CITY CALENDAR

## June

Monday, June 2  
Planning and Zoning Meeting  
5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 4  
Board of Adjustment Meeting  
5:30 p.m.



Monday, June 9  
City Council Meeting  
5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 17  
Architectural Review Board  
5:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 19  
City Holiday—Juneteenth  
Offices Closed  
\*\*No Solid Waste Pick Up\*\*  
\*\*No Construction Allowed\*\*

Monday, June 23  
City Council Meeting  
5:30 p.m.

## DOG WASTE IS NOT A FERTILIZER



If you think, as many people do, that dog waste is a natural fertilizer, think again. Since most dogs' diets are high in protein, it has the reverse effect of fertilizer. Dog waste is exceptionally high in nitrogen and phosphorus, so if you let your dog's waste lay in your grass, it can actually cause burns in your lawn. Since it's so acidic, it will kill your grass if it isn't picked up.

Dog waste isn't the same as cow manure since cows eat plant matter. Cow manure can be used as compost in gardens and fields. In fact, dog waste can contaminate fruits, vegetables, and surrounding areas with harmful bacteria if not composted properly.

You might think that your dog's waste cannot do much harm. However, it can throw off the balance of an ecosystem, especially in heavily populated areas. An ecosystem can handle about two dogs per square mile. However, in many cities, there are close to 125 dogs per square mile! Which is plenty to throw off an ecosystem especially if some owners are not picking up pet waste on a regular basis.



# 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