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HIGHLIGHTS

'AT YOUR DOOR' SERVICE FOR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE BEGINS JANUARY 1

Beginning January 1, 2022, residents can schedule home pick up for unwanted household hazardous waste materials through Waste Management's At Your Door Special CollectionSM. To schedule a home collection for the eligible items below, visit WMAtYourDoor.com or call 800-449-7587 (Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.).



Automotive Products

Antifreeze, batteries, brake fluid, motor oil and filters, fuels and more



Paint Products

Caulk, glue, paint, spray paints, stains, strippers & thinners



Garden Chemicals

Fertilizers, insect sprays, herbicides, pesticides & weed killers



Household chemicals

Ammonia, heavy-duty cleansers, shower/tile cleaners, drain cleaners



Electronics

Music players, TVs, DVD/CD Players, VCRs, cell phones, microwaves, computers



Household Items

Batteries, compact fluorescent lamps (CFL), thermometers, thermostats

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MATERIAL THAT WILL NOT BE COLLECTED: ammunition, medicine, explosives, asbestos, tires, materials in leaking containers, commercial chemicals or hazardous materials in containers larger than five gallons in size.

Acceptable materials are based upon Federal, State and local regulations.

PEOPLE

MAKE IT A COMMUNITY



Delores Shaw, Kavin Brown, and Ruby Martin of the High Pointe PID celebrated the completion of a new traffic signal at New Clark Rd. and Wintergreen Rd.



Members of the Cedar Hill Fire Department serve lunch at the 55+ Thanksgiving Luncheon.



Cedar Hill Municipal Court team served out candy and smiles at the annual Scare on the Square trunk or treat event.

RECYCLE YOUR LIVE CHRISTMAS TREE

Residents can recycle live Christmas trees from Monday, January 3 through Monday, January 10 at the Alan E. Sims Cedar Hill Recreation Center and at Hillside Village. Trees must be live, not artificial, and free of all ornaments, lights, tinsel, and other decor. For more information, visit cedarhilltx.com/trash.



HOLIDAY TRASH & RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

The Christmas and New Year's Day holidays will not impact the trash, recycling, or bulk and brush collection schedule this year. For more information or questions, visit cedarhilltx.com/trash or call Waste Management at (800) 772-8653.

NEVER MISS A TRASH DAY



Sign up for service reminders and alerts via text, email, or phone at CEDARHILLTX.COM/TRASH

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CEDAR HILL ACKNOWLEDGED FOR CLEAN AIR EFFORTS

The City of Cedar Hill was named this year's Air North Texas Partner of the Year for its comprehensive work to improve the region's air quality.

Cedar Hill was among four Dallas-Fort Worth area cities to earn awards from Air North Texas for their commitment to improving air quality throughout the growing region. The awards recognize partners' efforts throughout the 2021 ozone season, which ends Nov. 30.

Cedar Hill regularly created and promoted website content on how to reduce air pollution in North Texas, and the Air North Texas campaign was promoted throughout the year via official city social media accounts. The City of Cedar Hill included both residents and city employees in engagement opportunities throughout the year-long comprehensive outreach and communication plan.

These efforts included 65 pop-up events that allowed staff to explain the importance of air quality in fun, innovative ways. Additionally, the Cedar Hill Green Awards were presented to encourage businesses, nonprofits, schools and civic organizations

to implement sustainability projects true to the character of Cedar Hill.

Air North Texas is a regional public awareness campaign that includes 38 partnerships pursuing environmental awareness in North Texas. It was formed by the North Central Texas Council of Governments with

support of the Air North Texas Coalition. Partners support the campaign by encouraging residents to commit to actions that improve air quality, such as working from home, bicycling, or walking to the store and packing a lunch. The COVID-19 pandemic has altered many routines. However, improving air quality remains an important contribution people can make. For more information, visit www.airnorthtexas.org.

Ozone season runs from March through November, but North Texans are encouraged to consider how they can contribute to the effort to improve the air throughout the year. Air North Texas is one of many strategies to improve air quality in the region, calling on entities to enact innovative, individual, collective and creative changes in North Texas to reduce emissions and create cleaner air.



CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

City Council Meetings

Dec 14; Jan 11 & 25 at 6 p.m.
Cedar Hill Government Center
285 Uptown Blvd.

View agendas and meeting access information at cedarhilltx.com/agenda.

Holiday Closures

Friday, Dec 24; Monday, Dec 27;
Friday, Dec 31; and Monday, Jan 17
Government Center offices will be closed
on Dec 24, 27, and 31 and Jan 17 in
observance of the Christmas, New Year's
Day, and Martin Luther King, Jr. holidays.
The Alan E. Sims Recreation Center,
Senior Center, Tri-City Animal Shelter,
and Zula B. Wylie Public Library will also
be closed.

Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration & Peace March

Sunday, January 23 at 3 p.m.
Join the Zula B. Wylie Public Library for
a special tribute to the life and legacy of
Dr. King, followed by a community peace
march. For event details, visit
cedarhilltx.com/mlk.

**VIEW THE FULL CALENDAR AT
CEDARHILLTX.COM/CALENDAR**



STAY FIRE-SAFE THIS WINTER HOLIDAY SEASON

Winter holidays are a time for families and friends to get together; but that also means a greater risk for fire. Following a few simple tips will ensure a happy and fire-safe holiday season.

Holiday Decorating

- Be careful with holiday decorations. Choose decorations that are flame resistant or flame retardant.
- Keep lit candles away from decorations and other things that can burn. More than a third of home decoration fires are started by candles.
- Some lights are only for indoor or outdoor use, but not both. Be sure to read labels and use as directed.
- Replace any string of lights with worn or broken cords or loose bulb connections. Read manufacturer's instructions for number of light strands to connect.
- Use clips, not nails to hang lights so the cords do not get damaged.
- Keep decorations away from windows and doors.
- Before heading out or to bed, blow out lit candles and turn off all light strings and decorations.



Holiday Entertaining

- Test your smoke alarms and tell guests about your home fire escape plan.
- Keep children and pets away from lit candles.
- Keep matches and lighters up high in a locked cabinet.
- Stay in the kitchen when cooking on the stovetop.
- Ask smokers to smoke outside. Remind smokers to keep their smoking materials with them so young children do not touch them.
- Provide large, deep ashtrays for smokers. Wet cigarette butts with water before discarding.

Source: National Fire Protection Association. Find more fire safety tips at nfp.org/education.

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Emergency 911
Administration (972) 293-1467
After Hours (972) 780-6643
Animal Control (972) 223-6111
Animal Shelter (972) 291-5335
Building (972) 291-5100
Inspections ext. 1090
City (972) 291-5100
Secretary ext. 1011
Code (972) 291-5100
Enforcement ext. 1111
Fire Dept. (972) 291-1011
(Non-Emergency)
Human (972) 291-5100
Resources ext. 1054
Library (972) 291-7323
Municipal (972) 291-5100
Court ext. 1041
Neighborhood (972) 291-5100
Services ext. 1099
Parks & (972) 291-5100
Recreation ext. 1500
Police Dept. (972) 291-5100
(Non-Emergency) ext. 2400
Public Works (972) 291-5126
Recreation Center (972) 293-5288
Senior Center (972) 291-5353
Tourism (972) 291-5100
ext. 1084
Trash & Recycling (800) 772-8653
Utility Billing (469) 272-2931

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