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Around Town

August 19

FRIENDSWOOD vs. CLEAR BROOK VOLLEYBALL GAME

The Friendswood High School Volleyball team will hold a non-conference match against Clear Brook on Friday, August 19 at 6:30 p.m. The game will be featured live at <http://htb.onemedia.com/hsvolleyball.php>.

August 20

FREE IMMUNIZATIONS

Free childhood immunizations will be given at the Kid Care Vaccination Health Fair on August 20 from 9am to noon. Bring your child's immunization records with you. The fair will be held at the FVFD Kenneth M. Camp Fire Station, 1610 Whitaker in Friendswood. For more information call 281-996-3360. More locations and date can be found at www.friendswoodvfd.com/content/care/

TEXAS BROTHERHOOD RIDE

Texas Brotherhood Ride Fundraiser will be held Saturday, August 20 from 3 to 7pm at Bakfish Brewing, 1231 Broadway St. in Pearland. Food truck, live music, auction, sports memorabilia. A great time to help honor those that have died in the line of duty. For more information visit www.texasbrotherhoodride.com.

PRAYER BREAKFAST

The Friendswood Community Prayer Breakfast meeting is Saturday, August 20 from 7:30 to 9:00am at Mary Queen Catholic Church, 606 Cedarwood Dr., Friendswood. All are invited for the breakfast, the program by Texas State Senator Larry Taylor, and a time of prayer around the tables. For more information and to RSVP, call or text Steve Martin Sr. at 832-607-1734. Breakfast is \$5.

SUMMER "POOL PAW-TY"

Friendswood Parks & Recreation presents Dog Days of Summer "Pool Paw-ty" on Saturday, August 20 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Friendswood City Pool, 900 Cedarwood Ave. One human 18 years and older must accompany each dog. No people allowed in the water - dogs only, no cats or other pets allowed. All dogs must have current vaccinations to participate. Max 75 dogs in the facility at a time. Free to public. Register at <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/friendswood-tx/catalog> or call 281-996-3220.

LOW COST PET CLINIC

Countryside Mobile Vet is offering a Low Cost Vaccination Clinic on Saturday, August 20 from 11a.m. to 3 p.m. at Gulf Coast Equine and Pet Center, 4111 FM 23451 in Friendswood. To learn more visit <http://www.countrysidemobilevet.com/>

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Friendswood Democrats will hold a Family Movie Night on Saturday, August 20 from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. The feature movie is "Alladin Live Action". Hot dogs, chips, watermelon, popcorn, and drinks provided. Meet local candidates. Location provides with your RSVP on Friendswood Dems Facebook page.

August 27

TEXAS HOLD 'EM TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER

The Brotherhood of St Andrew will host a Texas Hold 'em Tournament Fundraiser Saturday, August 27 at Good Shepherd Church in Friendswood. Doors open at 6 pm and the first card will be dealt at 7 pm. No experience necessary to participate. To attend or for more information, contact Peter Gilmour at ptrgilmr7@gmail.com or call 480-206-9242.

Sept. 1

HERITAGE GARDENERS TO MEET

The first meeting of the new year for the Heritage Gardeners will be Sept. 1 at 9:30 a.m. with speaker Dany Millikin from Houston Botanic Garden speaking at 10 am. Topic will be fruit trees. Anyone interested in attending is invited to the free meeting at 112 W. Spreading Oaks in Friendswood.

Sept. 5

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Friendswood Rotary, Keep Friendswood Beautiful and Friends of Downtown Friendswood present the 7th Annual Old Fashion Ice Cream Social on Monday, Sept. 5 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Perry Home, 109 W. Spreading Oaks Ave. Blue Bell ice cream, lemonade and live music. Lawn chairs and blankets encouraged.

Sept. 9-10

SUMMER SUNDOWN SALE

The Galveston County Master Gardeners' Summer Sundown Sale is set for Sept. 9-10 online from noon to noon. Fruit and citrus trees, tomatoes, and perennial varieties will be available for purchase online. Shop the online store for more details at <https://store.galvestonmg.org> or call 281-786-6834.



Community comes together for the 6th annual Under the Oaks celebration

Friendswood ISD hosted its sixth annual Under the Oaks celebration on Thursday, Aug. 11 to kickstart a new school year. More than 600 people were in attendance. It was an evening of fellowship for the students, parents, staff and community to hear from Superintendent Thad Roher and visit various groups' tables which lined the road of Spreading Oaks. The celebration included the opportunity to visit with the FISD family over kettle corn and lemonade while enjoying performances by the FHS drumline, FHS cheer and the Wranglerettes. "Under the Oaks is a tradition our team started my first year as superintendent and has grown substantially each year," Roher said. "This was our first year truly being under the oaks and it was great to see Mustangs of all ages gathered together to celebrate the start of a new school year. It was certainly a night to remember." Pictured (top left) FHS Principal Mark Griffon gives a thumbs up for the new school year which began August 18 for students; (top right) Not everyone was going 'back to school' but popcorn made it fun for all; (bottom photo) FHS cheerleaders get ready to pump up the crowd at the annual community event.



Registration opens for 2022 Rotary Regatta

By KAROLYN GEPHART
Reporter News Staff

Registration has begun for the 5th Annual 2022 Rotary Regatta planned for Oct. 16.

The Rotary Regatta is a joint project between the Friendswood and League City Rotary Clubs. It is a 7 mile canoe race downstream that begins at 1776 Park in Friendswood and ends in Countryside Park in League City. The event is held annually to raise awareness for the preservation of Clear Creek as a recreational feature and flood drainage for the area. The regatta also promotes Rotary's Community Awareness programs.

The Friendswood Rotary Club sponsors this race is for canoes and kayaks and is open to everyone from the novice enthusiast to the competitive paddler.

The race begins at 9 am at 1776 Park off FM 2351 in Friendswood. Starting Order is 9 am for Recreational Kayaks; 9:20 am. Recreational Canoes;

and 9:30 am for Competitive USCA C1/C2, Unlimited Solo/Tandem.

Minimum age requirements for participation are 18-plus year with 15 to 17 ages with Parental Consent Form. Anyone who is 9-14 and wants to participate must paddle with an adult.

Inflatable canoes and kayaks that are paddled are allowed (inflatable rafts or other crafts that are ROWED are not allowed). Outrigger canoes and SUPs are not allowed.

Online pre-registration began August 15, 2022. Online pre-registration is \$35 per paddler. Onsite Race Day registration is \$50 per paddler.

The Rotary Regatta is rain or shine. If cancellation does take place due to severe water or weather conditions, all entry fees will be considered as a tax deductible donation supporting the Rotary Clubs.

Registration is now open at <https://www.rotaryregatta.org/>.

Parks Dept. to host Dog Days of Summer 'Pool Paw-ty'

By KAROLYN GEPHART
Reporter News Staff

The Friendswood Parks and Recreation Department is having a first ever Dog Days of Summer event and the community is invited to get their leashes and life-jackets ready.

It's a Pool "Paw-ty" planned for August 20 from 11 am to 1 pm at the Friendswood City Pool in Stevenson Park. The event is planned for dogs only (no cats or other pets allowed).

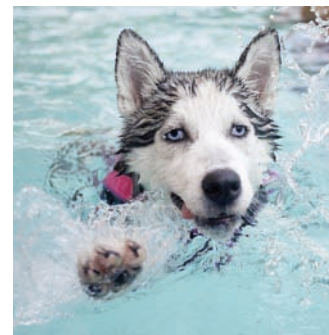
One human 18 years and older must accompany each dog who attends. But, no people are allowed in the water. The free event will give dogs a swim party of their own.

All dog owners and/or handlers are responsible for their dig's behavior and potty break cleanups.

All dogs attending must have current vaccinations to participate.

There will be a maximum of 75 dogs in the facility at a time.

Sponsors for the event include Parks and Rec, Gimme a Bark, Pet Supplies Plus, Little Pitties Rescue, and Family Animal Hospital of Friendswood.



Space is limited so register with QR code on the flyer on the Parks and Rec Facebook page or at <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/friendswood-tx/catalog> under the Special Events tab before all spaces are filled.

For more information, contact Parks and Rec at 281-996-3220.

The pool is located in Stevenson Park at 900 Cedarwood Ave.

The Dog Days of Summer occur each year between July and August, the period of the summer's peak temperatures along with uncomfortable humidity.

The dates coincide with the rising of Sirius, the Dog Star. Romans referred to this period as *dies caniculares* or

"days of the dog star," which was eventually translated as just "dog days."

In ancient Greece and Rome, the Dog Days of Summer were believed to bring drought, bad luck, unrest, both human and canine madness and extreme heat.

This year, dogs in Friendswood and their owners are invited to cool off at the City Pool and enjoy their own Paw-ty.

Memorial Grill-Off, Open House set for Cole Gordon Helping Hand Ranch

Save the date of Saturday, Sept. 17 for the Memorial Grill - Off and open house in honor of Cole Gordon. The event will be a celebration and Grand Opening of the Cole Gordon Helping Hand Ranch.

Planned activities include a fajita cookoff, live music, a shrimp boil and tours of the new facility.

All who are interested in joining the cookoff should call or text

713-823-5989 for registration information. Live music will be performed all day with the Shrimp Boil in the evening.

The Cole Gordon Helping Hand Foundation is a non-profit organization inspired by the late Cole Gordon dedicated to uniting people through livestock projects and encouraging selfless giving so that people may achieve purpose greater than ourselves.



The Master Gardener Discovery Garden in La Marque will be the site for a huge plant sale with Master Gardener grown items, fall vegetables, herbs, Louisiana Irises, hardy hibiscus and crafts.

Gardening programs, plant sale, festival planned

By KAROLYN GEPHART
Reporter News Staff

Educational opportunities in gardening are being offered by Galveston County Master Gardeners in September with a sale to begin the month and a fun event to follow.

The Summer Sundown Sale is set for Sept. 9 and 10 online from noon to noon. Fruit and citrus trees, tomatoes, and perennial varieties will be available for purchase online. Shop the online store for more details at <https://store.galvestonmg.org> or call 281-786-6834.

A presentation on *Onions and Garlic* will be presented by GCMG Kevin Lancon on Saturday, Sept. 10 from 9 to 11 am. Lancon will highlight best practices for successfully growing bulb onions, garlic, leek, and multiplier shallots. Lancon will share his experiences perfecting the art of growing onions and garlic. To register, visit online: <https://txmg.org/galveston> or call 281-309-5065.

Herbs for the Gulf Coast Garden 2022 will be presented Saturday, Sept. 10 from 1 to 3 pm. GCMGs Briana Etie and Nancy Langston-Noh will present hands-on demonstrations in propagation techniques and make *tussie mussies*. They will also share herb uses, preservation techniques and tips for growing herbs in our Gulf Coast Gardens. To register, visit online: <https://txmg.org/galveston> or call 281-309-5065.

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Both presentations will be at the Galveston County AgriLife Extension Office located inside Carbide Park at 4102-B Main Street (FM 519), La Marque.

T-Bud Grafting is planned for Saturday, Sept. 24 from 9 to 11:30 am. Galveston County Master Gardener Hazel Lampton will present a hands-on workshop for T-bud grafting. Learn methods used on peach, plum, pear, apple, and other fruit trees. Workshop is limited to 20 participants. You must pre-register to participate. To register, visit online: <https://txmg.org/galveston> or call 281-309-5065.

The Galveston County AgriLife Extension Fall Festival is planned as an in person event on Saturday, Oct. 8 from 9 am to 1 pm at the Galveston County AgriLife Extension Office located inside Carbide Park at 4102-B Main Street (FM 519) and the Discovery Garden in La Marque.

Fun, food, and discovery await celebrating Extension programs at the event. Take a ride on the blender bike to learn about nutrition, talk to 4-H members for youth programs, learn about sea turtle conservation, take a tour of the Discovery Garden, Master Gardener Plant Sale and more.

To find out more: <https://galveston.agrilife.org/> or call 281-534-3413.

City ceases State One of Drought Plan

The City of Pearland has ceased Stage One classification of the Drought Plan contingency, due to water demand returning to below the plan threshold.

The recent rainfall conditions have provided much-needed reprieve from the drought conditions.

However, residents are still strongly encouraged to practice water conservation whenever possible, including watering in the evenings and early mornings, hand watering yards and plants by hand when able, and other measures.

The City had put voluntary water restrictions in effect July 21, 2022 as they entered into the Stage One Drought Plan.

According to the City website, the City Water Production Division is working diligently to maintain the current volume of water production and doing everything in their power to prevent that from decreasing – responding to and fixing water leaks when they occur (there have been 12 main breaks

so far in June, which is up from 9 last year), maintaining water production plants, wells, and storage tanks to make sure they are operating effectively, and monitoring consumption to keep stakeholders informed and provide the data to make thoughtful decisions in the best interest of the community.

As well, the City's Public Works Department is sending crews out to actively make their way through the City's sprinkler systems in order to adjust their watering times and frequencies to comply with Stage 1 adherence.

Representatives from the City will also be reaching out directly to major water users in the system to work with them to achieve voluntary water use reductions.

Customer Service Representatives are available to answer questions and provide recommendations to any customer.

For additional information, call Customer Service at 281-652-1603.



Members of the Shadow Creek Ranch High coaching staff are honored by Alvin ISD trustees for their quick actions after a student collapsed at a June strength camp. That student is expected to make a full recovery.

AISD: Shadow Creek staff took quick action

Trustees at Alvin ISD on Monday commended Shadow Creek High athletic staff for their quick response when a student collapsed during a summer training camp.

"When we got the call, we were all in prayer for the family and the student," Superintendent Carol Nelson said about the incident during a June strength camp.

Quick to realize the gravity of the situation, Shadow Creek High Head Athletic Trainer Cody Wade led in chest compressions and use of an AED, assisted by Coach Tyler Hoelscher.

The student was transported to Memorial

Hermann Pearland and later taken by air to Texas Children's Hospital in Houston. Now doing well, he is expected to make a full recovery.

"When something like that happens, even with all the training you never know how people are going to respond, and our team stepped up that day," Nelson said.

The board on Monday recognized Wade and Hoelscher along with coaches Demetrius Woods, Tyrone Green, Brad Butler and John Lee, who worked as a team to summon emergency response.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$0.628765 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of CITY OF PEARLAND.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.628765 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.543044 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$0.633611 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2022 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for CITY OF PEARLAND from the same properties in both the 2021 tax year and the 2022 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that CITY OF PEARLAND may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that CITY OF PEARLAND is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2022 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON August 29, 2022 AT 6:30 PM AT the City Hall Council Chambers, 3519 Liberty Dr., Pearland, Texas 77581.

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, CITY OF PEARLAND is not required to hold an election at which voters may accept or reject the proposed tax rate. However, you may express your support for or opposition to the proposed tax rate by contacting the members of the City Council of CITY OF PEARLAND at their offices or by attending the public hearing mentioned above.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE RATES MENTIONED ABOVE CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

$$\text{Property tax amount} = (\text{tax rate}) \times (\text{taxable value of your property}) / 100$$

FOR the proposal: Tony Carbone, Joseph Koza, Alex Kamkar, Adrian Hernandez, Layni Cade, Jeffrey Barry, Woody Owens

AGAINST the proposal: **PRESENT** and not voting: Mayor Kevin Cole
ABSENT:

Visit Texas.gov/PropertyTaxes to find a link to your local property tax database on which you can easily access information regarding your property taxes, including information about proposed tax rates and scheduled public hearings of each entity that taxes your property.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

The following table compares the taxes imposed on the average residence homestead by CITY OF PEARLAND last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by CITY OF PEARLAND this year.

	2021	2022	Change
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$0.701416	\$0.628765	decrease of -0.072651, or -10.36%
Average homestead taxable value	\$281,753	\$299,794	increase of 18,041, or 6.40%
Tax on average homestead	\$1,976.26	\$1,885.00	decrease of -91.26, or -4.62%
Total tax levy on all properties	\$59,169,396	\$69,616,955	increase of 10,447,559, or 17.66%

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for CITY OF PEARLAND at 979-864-1320 or taxoffice@brazoria-county.com, or visit <https://www.brazoriacountytx.gov/departments/tax-office> for more information.

Water District

Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Rate

The BRAZORIA COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 02 will hold a public hearing on a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2022 on Thursday, September 1, 2022 at 3:00 p.m., at the office of Bacon, Wallace & Philbin, L.L.P., 6363 Woodway, Suite 800, Houston, Texas 77057. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the tax rate that is adopted and on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property. The change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property determines the distribution of the tax burden among all property owners.

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FOR the proposal: Gerry Lowry, David Plummer, Larry Linzer

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: Bernie Scarry

ABSENT: Desiree Irby

The following table compares taxes on an average residence homestead in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average residence homestead this year.

	Last Year	This Year
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$0.40000 /\$100 Adopted	\$0.39400 /\$100 Proposed
Difference in rates per \$100 of value		\$-0.00600 /\$100
Percentage increase/decrease in rates(+/-)		-1.50%
Average appraised residence homestead value	\$370,972.00	\$430,187.00
General homestead exemptions available (excluding 65 years of age or older or disabled person's exemptions)	\$2,173.00	\$26,749.00
Average residence homestead taxable value	\$368,799.00	\$403,438.00
Tax on average residence homestead	\$1,475.20	\$1,589.55
Annual increase/decrease in taxes if proposed tax rate is adopted (+/-) and percentage of increase (+/-)		\$114.35 7.75%

NOTICE OF TAXPAYERS' RIGHT TO ELECTION TO REDUCE TAX RATE

If the district adopts a combined debt service, operation and maintenance, and contract tax rate that would result in the taxes on the average residence homestead increasing by more than 8 percent, the qualified voters of the district by petition may require that an election be held to determine whether to reduce the operation and maintenance tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate under Section 49.23603, Water Code.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice, please contact the tax office at 281-482-0216.

Water District

Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Rate

The BRAZORIA COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 03 will hold a public hearing on a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2022 on Thursday, September 1, 2022, at 12:00 p.m. at the office of Bacon, Wallace & Philbin, L.L.P., 6363 Woodway, Suite 800, Houston, Texas 77057. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the tax rate that is adopted and on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property. The change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property determines the distribution of the tax burden among all property owners.

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FOR the proposal: Karl M Bernard, Laura Schrum, Jeffery Moore, Andy Weirauch, Bill Kamman

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None

ABSENT: None

The following table compares taxes on an average residence homestead in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average residence homestead this year.

	Last Year	This Year
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$0.35000 /\$100 Adopted	\$0.34400 /\$100 Proposed
Difference in rates per \$100 of value	\$-0.00600 /\$100	
Percentage increase/decrease in rates(+/-)	-1.71%	
Average appraised residence homestead value	\$271,296.00	\$315,268.00
General homestead exemptions available (excluding 65 years of age or older or disabled person's exemptions)	\$1,120.00	\$18,815.00
Average residence homestead taxable value	\$270,176.00	\$296,453.00
Tax on average residence homestead	\$945.62	\$1,019.80
Annual increase/decrease in taxes if proposed tax rate is adopted (+/-) and percentage of increase (+/-)	\$74.18 7.84%	

NOTICE OF TAXPAYERS' RIGHT TO ELECTION TO REDUCE TAX RATE

If the district adopts a combined debt service, operation and maintenance, and contract tax rate that would result in the taxes on the average residence homestead increasing by more than 8 percent, the qualified voters of the district by petition may require that an election be held to determine whether to reduce the operation and maintenance tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate under Section 49.23603, Water Code.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice, please contact the tax office at 281-482-0216.

Water District

Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Rate

The BRAZORIA COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 06 will hold a public hearing on a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2022 on Tuesday, September 13, 2022 at 12:00 p.m. at 1300 Post Oak Boulevard, Suite 2500, Houston Texas 77056. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the tax rate that is adopted and on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property. The change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property determines the distribution of the tax burden among all property owners.

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FOR the proposal: Rick King, L'Sheryl D Hudson, Erich R Bell, David Ulsh

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None

ABSENT: R. Michael Haney

The following table compares taxes on an average residence homestead in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average residence homestead this year.

	Last Year	This Year
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$0.50000 /\$100 Adopted	\$0.45000 /\$100 Proposed
Difference in rates per \$100 of value	\$-0.05000 /\$100	
Percentage increase/decrease in rates(+/-)	-10.00%	
Average appraised residence homestead value	\$376,638.00	\$443,646.00
General homestead exemptions available (excluding 65 years of age or older or disabled person's exemptions)	\$75,766.00	\$113,545.00
Average residence homestead taxable value	\$300,872.00	\$330,101.00
Tax on average residence homestead	\$1,504.36	\$1,485.45
Annual increase/decrease in taxes if proposed tax rate is adopted (+/-) and percentage of increase (+/-)	\$-18.91 -1.26%	

NOTICE OF TAXPAYERS' RIGHT TO ELECTION TO REDUCE TAX RATE

If the district adopts a combined debt service, operation and maintenance, and contract tax rate that would result in the taxes on the average residence homestead increasing by more than 8 percent, the qualified voters of the district by petition may require that an election be held to determine whether to reduce the operation and maintenance tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate under Section 49.23603, Water Code.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice, please contact the tax office at 281-482-0216.

Water District

Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Rate

The BRAZORIA COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 26 will hold a public hearing on a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2022 on Tuesday, September 6, 2022, at 11:00 am at the offices of Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, 3200 Southwest Freeway Suite 2600, Houston Tx 77027. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the tax rate that is adopted and on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property. The change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property determines the distribution of the tax burden among all property owners.

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FOR the proposal: Caralynn Prade, Melissa Slade, Monica Morgan, Chris Halpin

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None

ABSENT: Marie Ferguson

The following table compares taxes on an average residence homestead in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average residence homestead this year.

	Last Year	This Year
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$0.10000 /\$100 Adopted	\$0.10000 /\$100 Proposed
Difference in rates per \$100 of value	\$0.00000 /\$100	
Percentage increase/decrease in rates(+/-)	0.00%	
Average appraised residence homestead value	\$324,690.00	\$384,829.00
General homestead exemptions available (excluding 65 years of age or older or disabled person's exemptions)	\$64,374.00	\$99,095.00
Average residence homestead taxable value	\$260,316.00	\$285,734.00
Tax on average residence homestead	\$260.32	\$285.73
Annual increase/decrease in taxes if proposed tax rate is adopted (+/-) and percentage of increase (+/-)	\$25.42 9.76%	

NOTICE OF VOTE ON TAX RATE

If the district adopts a combined debt service, operation and maintenance and contract tax rate that would result in the taxes on the average residence homestead increasing by more than 3.5 percent, an election must be held to determine whether to approve the operation and maintenance tax rate under Section 49.23602, Water Code.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice, please contact the tax office at 281-482-0216.

Water District

Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Rate

The BRAZORIA COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 35 will hold a public hearing on a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2022 on Tuesday, September 13, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. at the office of Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP, 3200 Southwest Freeway, STE 2600, Houston, TX 77027. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the tax rate that is adopted and on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property. The change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property determines the distribution of the tax burden among all property owners.

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FOR the proposal: Saib Saour, Susan Allen, Sheila Jones

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None

ABSENT: Loren Kool, Genet Chenier

The following table compares taxes on an average residence homestead in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average residence homestead this year.

	Last Year	This Year
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$1.00000 /\$100 Adopted	\$1.00000 /\$100 Proposed
Difference in rates per \$100 of value	\$0.00000 /\$100	
Percentage increase/decrease in rates(+/-)	0.00%	
Average appraised residence homestead value	\$0.00	\$0.00
General homestead exemptions available (excluding 65 years of age or older or disabled person's exemptions)	\$0.00	\$0.00
Average residence homestead taxable value	\$0.00	\$0.00
Tax on average residence homestead	\$0.00	\$0.00
Annual increase/decrease in taxes if proposed tax rate is adopted (+/-) and percentage of increase (+/-)	\$0.00 0.00%	

NOTICE OF VOTE ON TAX RATE

If the district adopts a combined debt service, operation and maintenance and contract tax rate that would result in the taxes on the average residence homestead increasing by more than 3.5 percent, an election must be held to determine whether to approve the operation and maintenance tax rate under Section 49.23602, Water Code.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice, please contact the tax office at 281-482-0216.

SPORTS

GENEROUS DONATIONS

The Pearland Little League team was presented checks from Mattress Mac, HEB and the Houston Astros for \$20,000 each to help cover travel expenses for the Pearland LL team's trip to the Little League World Series in Williamsport, PA.

Photos by Olyn Taylor



OILERS QUARTERBACK JACKSON HAMILTON

Pearland sophomore quarterback Jackson Hamilton throws a pass while on the move during the intersquad practice. The young QB will take the reins of the Oilers offense that features an entirely revamped system for 2022 under new head coach BJ Gotte. The first test for the Oilers is a scrimmage vs the 5A Division I state runner-up - the College Station Cougars on Thursday August 18, at 6 p.m. at The Rig. (Photo by Lloyd Hendricks)



MUSTANGS QUARTERBACK BROCK FOSTER

Friendswood junior quarterback Brock Foster makes a pass during the scrimmage vs Clear Falls. Foster looks to bounce back after an injury kept him sidelined for most of the 2021 season. Up next for the Mustangs is a scrimmage against an old rival - the Dawson Eagles on Friday August 19, at 6 p.m. at Henry Winston Stadium. (Photo by Lloyd Hendricks)



GETTING READY FOR THE SEASON

Former Dawson All-State kicker Carter Brown shares a moment with his parents, Adam and Niki Brown, at an Arizona State football practice. Brown was one of the top kickers in the nation if high school and now takes his talents at the next level.



GOTTE RECOGNIZED AS 2021 COACH OF THE YEAR

New Oiler head coach BJ Gotte is recognized as the Houston Texans 2021 "Coach of the Year" at the Texans vs Saints game. Gotte won the 5A Division I State Championship at Katy Paetow in 2021 before making the move to Pearland in the Spring of 2022. (Photo by Lloyd Hendricks)



FAITH MATTERS

By Rev. Dr. Brian Gige

ON THE KINGDOM OF GOD

(2nd in a four part series)

“One day children were brought to Jesus in the hope he would lay hands on them and pray over them. The disciples shooed them off. But Jesus intervened: “Let the children alone, don’t prevent them from coming to me. God’s kingdom is made up of people like these.”

– Matthew 19:13-15a

Well... there it is... God’s kingdom has citizens. And it seems children are the model. You know... innocent... trusting... eager... questioning... filled with hope and energy... and always in need of blessing as we all know children ... especially the littles of them... rarely get far on their own.

So... perhaps one way to look at God’s kingdom is to see it as a world or reality or condition or a way within the world we live in... a better way perhaps... like in Brazoria and Galveston counties have boundaries. Texas has a state line. The US of A is surrounded by water and two countries to the north and south and the Kingdom of God is found and lived out within and across and around those borders... and even this... as Jesus said... “the kingdom of God is within you...” you... and me... and in sinners and saints... in believers and non-believers... the fully devoted and the backsliders... because the Bible is clear that God’s kingdom is not ours to control... in fact... Martin Luther once wrote explaining the petition in the Lord’s Prayer... ‘your kingdom come...’ this way... “The kingdom of God certainly comes by itself without our prayer, but we pray in this petition that it may come to us also...” or at least we’d keep on the lookout so the kingdom doesn’t pass us by!

Having no boundaries then... the kingdom of God shows up just about anywhere... to provide blessing to the creation and to benefit even the children... as children learn all too soon enough that life is harsh and unfair on its own... a collision of love and sacrifice even.

Fr. Richard Rohr recently tweeted... “Love and suffer-

ing are part of most human lives. They are the primary spiritual teachers more than any Bible, church, minister, sacrament, or theologian. Wouldn’t it make sense for God to make divine truth so readily available?” How about that? God using whatever... like love and pain to point us to the kingdom... faith matters... in love and in pain!

According to the New Testament, the kingdom of God is something that we should “seek” before all other things... and yet... I would contend that a truly full and total understanding of God’s kingdom is still not ours to grasp when the world remains full of questions to be considered along with inconsistencies and realities that drop us to our knees in prayer and desperation... as a colleague of mine shared with me recently... “I think most people relate the ‘kingdom of God’ to ‘going to heaven...’ and thus the confusion as the kingdom of God is not something we need to wait for... Jesus said the kingdom of God is ‘at hand...’ as in right now... right before our very eyes and that even one simple requirement to be part of that kingdom is to listen for the truth... after all Jesus did point out... “whoever has ears to listen...” is fully ready to share in all God has to offer.

What is about God’s kingdom that is totally clear to you? Do you have questions about the kingdom of God? Questions that might even keep you up at night? We’ll get this... remember... Jesus said, ‘have no fear little flock... for it is the Father’s good pleasure to give you the kingdom...’ and thus... what God won’t do to show us a holy way of living ... for the benefit of all... and no wonder Jesus insisted on blessing the children...

The Rev. Dr. Brian K. Gige is a long-time resident of Pearland, having pastored four churches over the last four decades in Texas and Louisiana. Read more following Brian’s blog ‘murmurings’ at <https://briangige.wordpress.com/>. Send comments and/or questions to godworks247365@gmail.com.

Friendswood Rotary project to aid Ukranian refugees in wales

The Friendswood Rotary Club has a long-standing dedication to help those in need. The Club has done service projects near and far. The projects seem to gravitate towards the Club and Club members welcome them, not only to lend a hand, but also to give their time and talent, and sometimes a bit of money.

The Club has helped people around the world and in our own backyard. It has contributed to water projects in South America, and to disaster relief in the form of shelter boxes in several places, including Haiti. Locally, the Club raised funds for Hurricane Harvey Relief and distributed over \$250,000 to our Friendswood citizens. Shortly after the onset of COVID, the Club purchased meals from local restaurants and distributed them to local residents that were in need of a hot meal. This effort not only fed those in need, but also helped our Friendswood restaurants stay open.

As of now, the situation in Ukraine is in the national news every day. Many Ukrainians have been forced to leave their homes and their country behind. There are so many unknown questions that need to be answered about the refugees.

- Where are those refugees going?
- How long will they be there?
- What things do they need?
- How can we help?

Several countries around the globe that have taken in Ukrainian refugees, including European nations, the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom (UK). The UK has taken in thousands of refugees. Those refugees are being housed throughout the UK, which consists of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. With the situation so far away, it feels that we are a bit removed, but we have a local resident, and Rotary Club member, our team leader, that is not so far removed from the situation.

With its diverse membership, the Friendswood Rotary Club has connections around the globe. One of the places where we have a face-to-face connection is a small town located in northern Wales. Our local team leader visits there frequently. On her latest visit, she learned that Ukrainian refugees were being moved into that town. She raised the question with her local contacts as to what our Friendswood Club could do to help. As a result of her local contacts, and her firsthand account of the situation, Friendswood Rotary was introduced via Zoom to members of the local Welsh Rotary Club, and to representatives of Link International (“Link”). Link is a locally connected charitable organization in Wales that is involved in the accommodation of Ukrainian refugees. The ability to have a local, “Boots on the Ground,” connection is very important to Friendswood Rotary. Its members do not want to just send money and hope for the best: they want to be a part of the change.

Under the direction of the Club President, Friendswood Rotary formed a team to determine what we could do to support the Welsh Club and the Ukrainian refugees in the area. First, we determined that the Ukrainian refugee situation is a long-term situation. The war in Ukraine is still underway, and many refugees’ homes and cities were destroyed by the Russians. Rebuilding in Ukraine will be a long-term proposition, and the refugees may not be able to return for years. Second, because our member was in Wales, she was best equipped not only to lead the team, but also to maintain communication with the Welsh Club, Link, the Welsh government, and other groups involved in the situation. She has done an admirable job gaining the trust of the other groups, and representing our Club to them as a service organization.

The Club’s team leader has been a prime mover in determining how Friendswood Rotary can best provide support for the refugees. She observed firsthand how the culture in Wales is much different from ours in Texas. As a result, she has a good understanding of how we can best work with the Welsh. She has been able to identify specific activities that our Club can support financially. After some discussion, Friendswood Rotary is providing financial support for several specific activities to help the refugees. The support is being funneled through Link as a charitable organization, in order to comply with UK governmental regulations.

Just as the war in Ukraine is not a “one-and-done” situation, Friendswood Rotary does not want its support to be a “one-and-done” type of support. With each meeting, the Club’s project team is refining its efforts as they learn more about how to help the Ukrainian refugees and their Welsh hosts. Wales and the UK have strict rules and regulations on what can and cannot be done. The Club continues to build and maintain relationships as it works toward doing what it can to help the refugees.

Friendswood Rotary and its counterparts in Wales are focused on determining what needs to be done locally by the Welsh and what can be done by our Club. The Club knows that the potential needs are great, and they are being identified as time and effort allows. At the same time, Friendswood Rotary strives to be a good steward not only of Club money, but also any donations received to assist and directly help the refugees. As a service organization of volunteers, Friendswood Rotary has no paid employees. As a result, every charitable dollar it spends goes for direct support of its projects, including the Ukrainian refugees in Wales and their host families.

The Rotary Club of Friendswood, through its charitable foundation, will provide support for the Ukrainian refugees as long as specific needs can be identified and quantified. It hopes to gain support throughout Friendswood and our local area to ensure that the needs are met. *So what can you do????*

Friendswood Rotary is looking for local partners to help in this effort. With the Welsh, the needs for the kids are to get them English classes, set up makeshift schools, and retrain the parents for their job efforts. If you would like more information about what we are doing and how you can help, please contact Friendswood Rotary. We are looking for help in any amount of funds or information to help get the word out.

“Friendswood Rotary wants to make a difference, near and far. We welcome you to become part of our effort!”

FISD Superintendent to speak at Chamber luncheon

The 2nd Annual Friendswood Chamber of Commerce State of the District Luncheon is Tuesday, Sept. 13 at New Hope Church in Friendswood on FM 2351. The luncheon will be held from 11 am to 1 pm.

FISD Superintendent Thad Roher will deliver the keynote address. He will be sharing special highlights from FISD and reporting news and facts about the beginning of the new year.

Sponsorships and tickets for the event

are now available through the Chamber’s website at www.friendswoodchamber.com.

This year 10 percent of the proceeds from the event will be donated from the Chamber to the Friendswood ISD Education Foundation.

To be a sponsor or to get tickets, contact Carol, Diane or Joanne at 281-482-3329 or email info@friendswoodchamber.com.

New Hope Church is located at 108 W. Edgewood Dr., FM 2351 in Friendswood.



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2022 Heritage Gardener Amaryllis Sale



Emerald Dawn

A Holiday Beauty in white with lime & edging



Blossom Peacock

A popular **DOUBLE** in bloom and color



Ruby Star

Ruby red with pronounced white star



Moon Scene

Creamy white blooms with scarlet veining

Large healthy bulbs - Order online from HG Store - Drive By Pickup in Friendswood

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Sept. 1, 2022

\$15 per bulb / 3 of same bulb for \$40

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF PEARLAND PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023 BUDGET

The City Council of the City of Pearland, Texas will conduct a Public Hearing on the proposed fiscal year 2022-2023 budget on August 29, 2022. The Public Hearing will be conducted at 6:30 PM in the City Council Chambers located at 3519 Liberty Drive, Pearland, TX 77581.

THIS BUDGET WILL RAISE MORE REVENUE FROM PROPERTY TAXES THAN LAST YEAR'S BUDGET BY AN AMOUNT OF \$10,757,831, WHICH IS AN 18.28 PERCENT INCREASE FROM LAST YEAR'S BUDGET. THE PROPERTY TAX REVENUE TO BE RAISED FROM NEW PROPERTY ADDED TO THE TAX ROLL THIS YEAR IS \$1,466,831.

At said hearing all interested parties shall have the right and opportunity to appear and be heard on the subject.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN CONTROL OF A BANK HOLDING COMPANY

Randall Lee Ferguson, the Randall Lee Ferguson-1995 GSST Trust, Randall Lee Ferguson, as trustee, the Ferguson 1998 Trust FBO Randall Lee Ferguson, Randall Lee Ferguson, as trustee, the Ferguson 2013 Family Trust, Randall Lee Ferguson, as trustee, and Clinton Alexander Ferguson, each of Pearland, Texas intend to apply to the Federal Reserve Board for permission to acquire and retain 25% or more of the outstanding shares and thereby control of Coastal Bancshares, Inc. ("Company"), Pearland, Texas. The Company controls Pearland State Bank, Pearland, Texas and First National Bank of Alvin, Alvin, Texas. The Federal Reserve considers a number of factors in deciding whether to approve the notice.

You are invited to submit comments in writing on this notice to the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, P.O. Box 655906, Dallas, Texas 75265-5906. The comment period will not end before September 10, 2022, and may be somewhat longer. The Board's procedures for processing applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. Part 262. Procedures for processing protested applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. 262.25. To obtain a copy of the Federal Reserve Board's procedures, or if you need more information about how to submit your comments on the notice, contact Ms. Karen Smith, Director - Applications, at (214) 922-6786. The Federal Reserve will consider your comments and any request for a public meeting or formal hearing on the notice if they are received in writing by the Reserve Bank on or before the last day of the comment period.

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Notice of Public Hearing Regarding City of Friendswood FY2022-23 Proposed Budget

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING is hereby given in accordance with Section 8.03(c) of the Charter of the City of Friendswood, Texas, and Section 102.006(a) of the Texas Local Government Code, that the City Council of the City of Friendswood will hold a public hearing giving all interested parties the right to appear and express their views, both written and oral, regarding the City of Friendswood FY2022-23 Proposed Budget. The City Council will hold this public hearing at a Special Council Meeting on **Monday, August 29, 2022, at 5:30 p.m., in the Council Chambers, Friendswood City Hall, located at 910 S. Friendswood Drive, Friendswood, Texas, 77546.**

This budget will raise more total property taxes than last year's budget by \$1,805,872 or (10.2%), and of that amount \$263,070 is tax revenue to be raised from new property added to the tax roll this year.

The public may inspect the proposed budget at any time on the City's website <https://www.ci.friendswood.tx.us/573/Annual-Budget> or by appointment from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Friday, in the City Secretary's Office, 910 S. Friendswood Drive, Friendswood, Texas 77546 or by appointment at the Friendswood Public Library, 416 S. Friendswood Drive, Friendswood, Texas, 77546, during regular operating hours.

The City of Friendswood is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Reasonable accommodations and equal access to communications will be provided upon request. For assistance, please contact the City's ADA Coordinator Brian Rouane at 281-996-3285 via phone, 281-482-1634 via fax or contact 281-996-3285 via Relay Texas at 711 or 1-800-735-2988 for TTY services. For more information concerning Relay Texas, please visit <http://relaytexas.com>.

/s/ Leticia Brysch, City Secretary
City of Friendswood

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Pearland Economic Development Corporation (the "Corporation") will conduct a public hearing to consider the use of sales tax proceeds from the levy of the one-half of one percent sales and use tax, approved by the voters of the City of Pearland (the "City") on January 21, 1995. The public hearing will take place at 5:00 p.m. on August 25, 2022 at 3519 Liberty Drive, Suite 350, Pearland, Texas.

Sales tax proceeds will be used for maintenance expenses on drainage improvement projects, and to update the City of Pearland's Master Drainage Plan.

If you plan to attend this public meeting and you have a disability that requires special arrangements at the meeting, please contact Roxanne Luna-Larsen at (281) 997-3001, within 48 hours of the scheduled business meeting date. Reasonable accommodations will be made to assist your needs.

CITY OF PEARLAND, TEXAS NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Pearland Purchasing Division, 3523 Liberty Dr., until **2:00 PM on Wednesday September 7, 2022**, and all bids will be read aloud via virtual meeting. Interested parties may join meeting by calling: #281-652-1775; Meeting: #1790, Access Code: #0971 on that date for:

ITB 0722-18 Generator Repairs

Bid forms, specifications and all necessary information may be obtained from the following website: <https://pearland.ionwave.net>. Vendors are encouraged to return the bid response electronically using the City's e-bid system, but may submit by hard-copy, with either manner due by the closing date and time stated above.

A Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held at Council Chambers located at 3519 Liberty Drive, Pearland, Texas 77581 at **3:00 PM on Tuesday, August 23, 2022**. See bid solicitation for virtual link option if preferred.

Vendors should register on the City's e-bid system <https://pearland.ionwave.net>. Once registered on the City's e-bid system, bid documents may be viewed on the site. If further assistance is needed, please email ebids@pearlandtx.gov no later than 5:00 PM Monday, August 29, 2022, and refer to ITB 0722-18. Bid Closing Date: **2:00 PM on Wednesday, September 7, 2022.**

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS CITY OF PEARLAND, TEXAS

Sealed Bids will be accepted until **2:00 p.m., Thursday, August 25, 2022**, and read aloud into the public record for the following project:

Green Tee Re-Pump Abandonment City of Pearland, Texas COP PN: WA2204 BID NO.: ITB 0722-21

The project will consist of the following for Green Tee Re-Pump Abandonment: Removal of the existing Green Tee repressurization station located west of Bogey Way, north of Scarsdale Blvd. in the City of Pearland. Work consists of a 212,000-gallon bolted steel ground storage tank, 2 booster pumps, LAS and bleach tanks, and a portable metal building all with associated concrete foundations. The city desires to abandon the facility.

A Nonmandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held in person at the City of Pearland City Hall Council Chambers at 3519 Liberty Drive, Pearland, Texas 77581 at **1:00 p.m. on August 18, 2022.**

All bids should be submitted through the E-Bid system located on the City's website at: <https://pearland.ionwave.net/Login.aspx>. All interested Bidders are advised to register as a "supplier" on the City's E-Bid System at the above website by clicking on "Supplier Registration" and completing a short registration questionnaire. Electronic Bid Documents, including Plans, Technical Specifications and Bid Forms are available for download after registration is approved by City Purchasing office. No plan fees or deposits are required for bid documents obtained through the City's E-Bid System. Questions regarding electronic bidding should be directed to City Purchasing Office at ebids@pearlandtx.gov.

Bid Documents are also available for review at the following plan houses:

Amtek Plan Room	(713) 956-0100
The Associated General Contractors of America, Inc.	(713) 334-7100
Virtual Builders Exchange	(832) 613-0201
McGraw Hill Construction - Dodge Reports	(800) 393-6343

Bid Security, in the form of Cashier's Check, Certified Check, or Bid Bond, payable to the City of Pearland in the amount of 5% of the total base bid price, must accompany each Bid proposal. See Instructions to Bidders for Bond submission information and instructions. The City of Pearland reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Frances Aguilar
City Secretary, City of Pearland

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Laurie Montesinos smiles as she is greeted by students while walking into Convocation on Aug. 9.

FISD welcomes back its employees at Convocation

Friendswood High School was filled with excitement on the afternoon of Tuesday, Aug. 9 as 807 Friendswood ISD employees, including the 103 new hires, kicked off the start of a new school year at Convocation. They were greeted by the FHS drumline, Wranglerettes, Friendswood Junior High cheerleaders and other student volunteers.

The event got off to a great start with a performance by the Wranglerettes, the FHS Chamber Choir singing the National Anthem and a group of Westwood Elementary students leading the pledges. With support from the Friendswood ISD Education Foundation, FISD was able to bring in guest speaker George Couros to speak to its staff.

Per his website, Couros is an Innovative Teaching, Learning, and Leadership Consultant and speaker. He is the author of "The Innovator's Mindset" and "Innovate Inside the Box" and has over 20 years of experience as an educator.

Addressing the audience, Couros encouraged teachers to continue to learn and grow with ever-changing technology. He expressed the importance of taking risks, celebrating all forms of success and making classrooms a joyous place.

"We need to make the positives so loud, that the negatives are almost impossible to hear," Couros said.

Reinforcing positivity is exactly what FISD plans to do in the 2022-2023 school year as it celebrates its students and staff. That is the #MustangMindset.

PEARLAND ISD WELCOMES TEACHERS DURING THE ANNUAL CONVOCATION



Jamison Middle School staff celebrate the beginning of a new school year at Pearland ISD's annual convocation on Aug. 11.



Staff from Pearland ISD's Outreach and Attendance Department wore themed shirts displaying "Build Pearland Proud".

Tickets open for 5th Annual Hangar Bash

By KAROLYN GEPHART
Reporter News Staff

Tickets are on sale now for the 5th Annual Hangar Bash at Lone Star Flight Museum. The theme this year is Gone Country.

The event is presented by LoneStar Cowboy Cookers, Saint Arnold Brewing Company and Southern Star Brewing Co.

The event will be Saturday, Oct. 1 from 5 to 10 pm and guests must be ages 21 and over to attend. Tickets go quickly for this popular event.

Live music will be provided by Hard Luck Revival and award winning barbecue will be offered from LoneStar Cowboy Cookers. There will also be craft beer from Saint Arnold Brewing Company, Southern Star Brewing Co. and others, wine and whiskey tasting and other flavorful finds throughout the hangars. A silent auction and United Airlines raffle will also be held.

Guests will be able to enjoy plane tours and will have full museum access.

Funds raised from Hangar Bash help create wonder and excitement for aviation through educational field trips, visitor experiences, affordable community events and more.

VIP ticket are \$75 (\$70 for members). General admission is \$50 (\$45 for members).

Designated Driver tickets are \$25 and VIP tables are \$450.

Lone Star Flight Museum is located at 11551 Aerospace Ave. in Houston.

The Lone Star Flight Museum (LSFM) is a 501c3 aviation museum and STEM learning center with a mission to celebrate flight and achievements in Texas aviation as well as educate and engage our youth through science, technology, engineering and math.

Get tickets at <https://lonestarflight.org/discover-lsfm/>.

Check out our new updated website at www.myreporternews.com or find us on Facebook

Notice Of Constable Sale

Cause Number: 84540-CV

(See Notes Below)

James Brawner Constable Precinct 4

Under the authority and by virtue of an Writ of Execution dated and issued pursuant to the judgment of the 239th Judicial District Court Brazoria County, Texas by the clerk of said courts as shown in the following schedule of cases, and to me directed and delivered as Constable in Brazoria County, I have on the date indicated below seized and levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, the same being September 6th, 2022, at 111 Locust Angleton, Texas 77515, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title and interest of the defendant(s) in the real property as described below in order to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, costs, and further costs of executing this writ.

Whereas on the 9th day of February, 2017, Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association, , recovered a judgment in the 239th Judicial District Court of Brazoria County, Texas against, Edward C. Square for the sum of \$5,870.98 for past due annual maintenance assessments, interest and other charges on the account of the Property: reasonable attorney's fees in the amount of \$2,884.43; An Order of Sale shall issue to any sheriff or any constable within the state of Texas, directing the sheriff or constable to seize and sell the Property the same as under execution, in satisfaction of this Agreed Final Judgment subject to any superior liens provided for in the Restrictions or at law, if any; and, if the property cannot be found, or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy the judgment then to take the money or any balance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other property of the defendant, as in the case of ordinary executions. If any surplus remains after the payment of the sums adjudged to be due, it shall be paid to defendant, Edward C Square additional attorney reasonable fees and cost in the amount of \$2,000.00 because it became necessary for the plaintiff to obtain a writ of execution and/or an order of sale and have the property posted for a constable sale or sheriff's sale in order to collect the amounts awarded in this Agreed Final Judgment costs of court in the amount of \$402.20 and the post judgment interest at the rate of five percent (5%) per annum the total judgment including attorney's fees awarded herein, from the date this judgment is signed until fully paid, and, whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of a Property lien on the following described property, to-wit:

Any properties sold shall be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the property or their interest therein if allowed, within the time and in the manner provided by law.

ALL SALES SHALL BE BY Constable'S DEED AND ARE WITHOUT WARRANTY AS TO TITLE OR CONDITION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS EVIDENCED BY Constable'S DEED.

Sale #	Cause Number	Court	Judgment Date	Order Issue Date	Levy Date	Other Account #
	84540-CV	239th Judicial District Court	2/9/2017	6/29/2022	July 28th, 2022	

Plaintiff: Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association,
 VS
 Defendant: Edward C. Square

Property Description:

LOT SIXTEEN (16), IN BLOCK ONE (1), OF FINAL PLAT STERLING LAKES AT IOWA COLONY, SECTION NINE (9), A SUBDIVISION IN BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS. ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN BRAZORIA COUNTY CLERK'S FILE NO.200746869 OF THE MAP RECORDS OF BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS more commonly known as 9435 as Silver Beryl Ln. Rosharon, TX 77583

For More Information, Contact: Roberts Markel Weinberg Butler Hailey PC, Phone: 7137804135


The Minimum Bid Is All Costs Of Suit And Sale. Estimated Minimum Bid: \$2,311.53

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Terms: Cash, or Cashier's Check. James Brawner, Constable Brazoria County Precinct 4 121 North 10th Street West Columbia, Texas 77486

Additional Terms: (979) 345-2115

(Real Property being Sold at the Direction of the Plaintiff's Attorney) (Prospective Bidders or Purchaser's Responsibility to Research or Consult with an Attorney) (Made Subject to right of redemption (if any) in accordance to law) (Constable's Commission due upon final Bid amount)

By:  Jon Baker, Chief Deputy #

Notice Of Constable Sale

Cause Number: 97211-CV

(See Notes Below)

James Brawner Constable Precinct 4

Under the authority and by virtue of an Order of Sale dated and issued pursuant to the judgment of the 149th Judicial District Court Brazoria County, Texas by the clerk of said courts as shown in the following schedule of cases, and to me directed and delivered as Constable in Brazoria County, I have on the date indicated below seized and levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, the same being September 6th, 2022, at 111 Locust Angleton, Texas 77515, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title and interest of the defendant(s) in the real property as described below in order to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, costs, and further costs of executing this writ.

Whereas on the 26 day of April, 2019, Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association, , recovered a judgment in the 149th Judicial District Court of Brazoria County, Texas against, Ashley Samuel for the sum of \$3,352.96 as the total amount due on the assessment account of the property that is secured by the plaintiff's lien on the property as of the date the Agreed judgment was filed; its reasonable attorney's fees in the amount of \$2,470.50; an Order of Sale shall issue to any sheriff or any constable within the state of Texas, directing the sheriff or constable to seize and sell the Property the same as under execution, in satisfaction of this Agreed final Judgment subject to any superior liens provided for in the Restrictions or at law, if any; and, if the property cannot be found, or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy the judgment, then to take the money or any balance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other Property of the defendant, as in the case of ordinary executions. If any surplus remains after the payment of the sums adjudged to be due, it shall be paid to Defendant, Ashley Samuel; Because necessary for the Plaintiff to obtain a writ of execution and/or an order of sale and have the Property posted for a constable's sale or sheriff's sale in order to collect the amounts awarded in this Agreed Final Judgment, Ashley Samuel shall pay to Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association additional attorney reasonable fees and costs in the amount of \$2,000.00; costs of court in the amount of \$299.20, process server fees in the amount of \$155.00, and post-judgment interest at the rate of five percent (5%) per annum on all amounts awarded in this judgment, including attorney fees, from the date this judgment is signed until fully paid. And whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of a Property lien on the following described property, to-wit:

Any properties sold shall be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the property or their interest therein if allowed, within the time and in the manner provided by law.

ALL SALES SHALL BE BY Constable'S DEED AND ARE WITHOUT WARRANTY AS TO TITLE OR CONDITION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS EVIDENCED BY Constable'S DEED.

Sale #	Cause Number	Court	Judgment Date	Order Issue Date	Levy Date	Other Account #
	97211-CV	149th Judicial District Court	4/26/2019	7/1/2022	August 8th, 2022	

Plaintiff: Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association,
 VS
 Defendant: Ashley Samuel

Property Description:

Lot 28, Block 1, Sterling Lakes at Iowa Colony Sec. 5, a subdivision in Brazoria county, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Document No. 200728661. Plat Records of Brazoria county, Texas more commonly known as 9915 Jewel Lane, Rosharon, TX 77583 (Property);

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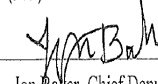
The Minimum Bid Is All Costs Of Suit And Sale. Estimated Minimum Bid: \$2,111.19

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By:  Jon Baker, Chief Deputy #

Notice Of Constable Sale

Cause Number: 107804-CV**

(See Notes Below)

James Brawner Constable Precinct 4

Under the authority and by virtue of an Writ of Execution dated and issued pursuant to the judgment of the 239th Judicial District Court Brazoria County, Texas by the clerk of said courts as shown in the following schedule of cases, and to me directed and delivered as Constable in Brazoria County, I have on the date indicated below seized and levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, the same being September 6th, 2022, at 111 Locust Angleton, Texas 77515, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title and interest of the defendant(s) in the real property as described below in order to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, costs, and further costs of executing this writ.

Whereas on the 7th day of October, 2020, Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association, , recovered a judgment in the 239th Judicial District Court of Brazoria County, Texas against Larry Vincent Murray, Arnetta Hicks Murray for the sum of Three thousand Four Hundred Eighty One Dollars and Thirty Six Cents (\$3,481.36) as the total amount due on the assessment account of the Property that is secured by the Plaintiff's lien on the Property as of the date the Agreed Judgment was filed; its reasonable attorney's fees in the amount of Three Thousand Four Hundred Five Dollar and Forty-six Cents (\$3,405.46) An Order of Sale shall issue to any sheriff or any constable with the State of Texas, directing the sheriff or constable to seize and sell the Property the same as under execution, in satisfaction of this Agreed Final Judgment subject to any superior liens provided for in the Restrictions or law, if any; and, if the property cannot be found, or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy the judgment, then to take the money or any balance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other property of the Defendants, as in the case of ordinary executions. If any surplus remains after the payment of the sums adjudged to be due, it shall be paid to defendants, Larry Vincent Murray and Arnetta Hicks Murray; because it became necessary for Plaintiff to obtain a Writ of Execution and/ or an Order of Sale and have the Property posted for a constable's sale sheriff's sale in order to collect the amounts awarded in this Agreed Final Judgment, Larry Vincent Murray and Arnetta Hicks Murray shall pay to sterling Lakes Property Owners Association reasonable fees and costs in the amount of one thousand eight hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$1,800.00); costs of court in the amount of \$308.05 process server fees in the amount of \$370.00, and post-judgment interest at the rate of five percent (5%) per annum on all amounts awarded in this judgment, including attorney fees, from the date this judgment is signed until fully paid. And, whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of a Property lien on the following described property, to-wit:

Any properties sold shall be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the property or their interest therein if allowed, within the time and in the manner provided by law.

ALL SALES SHALL BE BY Constable'S DEED AND ARE WITHOUT WARRANTY AS TO TITLE OR CONDITION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS EVIDENCED BY Constable'S DEED.

Sale #	Cause Number	Court	Judgment Date	Order Issue Date	Levy Date	Other Account #
	107804-CV**	239th Judicial District Court	10/7/2020	6/30/2022	July 28th, 2022	

Plaintiff: Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association,
 VS
 Defendant: Larry Vincent Murray, Arnetta Hicks Murray

Property Description:

LOT 18, IN BLOCK 1, OF STERLING LAKE AT IOWA COLONY, SECTION THREE (3), A SUBDIVISION IN BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS. ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED UNDER FILE NO. 2006074179 OF THE PLAT RECORDS OF BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS more commonly known as 9415 Silver Ridge Drive, Rosharon, TX 77583

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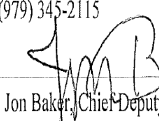
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By:  Jon Baker, Chief Deputy #

Notice Of Constable Sale

Cause Number: 113630-CV

(See Notes Below)

James Brawner Constable Precinct 4

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Whereas on the 11th day of October, 2021, Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association, , recovered a judgment in the 149th Judicial District Court of Brazoria County, Texas against Shaquera Livingston, David Paulino for the sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Five Dollars and Eighty-Eight Cents (\$3,775.88) as the total amount due on the assessment account of the Property that is secured by the Plaintiff's lien on the Property as of the date the Agreed Judgment was filed; its reasonable attorney's fees in the amount of Four Thousand Four Hundred Twenty-Six Dollars and Zero Cents (\$4,426.00); An Order of Sale shall issue to any sheriff or any constable within the State of Texas, directing the sheriff or constable to seize and sell the Property the same as under execution, in satisfaction of this Agreed Final Judgment subject to any superior liens provided for in the Restrictions or law, if any; and, if the property cannot be found, or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy the judgment, then to take the money or any balance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other property of the Defendants, as in the case of ordinary executions. If any surplus remains after the payment of the sums adjudged to be due, it shall be paid to Defendants, Shaquera Livingston and David Paulino; because it became necessary for the Plaintiff to obtain a Writ of Execution and/or an Order of Sale and have the Property posted for constable's sale or sheriff's sale in order to collect the amounts awarded in this Agreed Final Judgment, Shaquera Livingston and David Paulino shall pay to Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association additional attorney reasonable fees and costs in the amount of one thousand eight hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$1,800.00); costs of court in the amount of \$308.05, process server fees in the amount of \$514.65, and post-judgment interest at the rate of five percent (5%) per annum on all amounts awarded in this judgment, including attorney fees, from the date this judgment is signed until fully paid. And, whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of a Property lien on the following described property, to-wit:

Any properties sold shall be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the property or their interest therein if allowed, within the time and in the manner provided by law.

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Sale #	Cause Number	Court	Judgment Date	Order Issue Date	Levy Date	Other Account #
	113630-CV	149th Judicial District Court	10/11/2021	6/27/2022	July 28th, 2022	

Plaintiff: Sterling Lakes Property Owners Association,
 VS
 Defendant: Shaquera Livingston, David Paulino

Property Description:

LOT THIRTY-SIX (36), IN BLOCK ONE (1), OF FINAL PLAT STERLING LAKES AT IOWA COLONY, SECTION 12A, a subdivision in Brazoria County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof, recorded at Film Code No. 2013029343, of the Plat Records of Brazoria County, Texas, more commonly known as 1927 Garnet Breeze Drive, Rosharon, TX 77583

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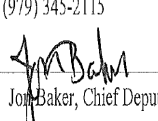
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