



How to get tested for **COVID-19**

1. **How to Sign Up for Testing**

You can sign up for a test by calling 832.927.7575 or by visiting covidcheck.hctx.net to complete a brief questionnaire. Complete the brief online survey, choose your testing site location and time, receive your code and go to the testing site.

2. **Traveling to your Testing Site**

Once you have completed the questionnaire, you will receive a unique ID code. Please arrive at your assigned testing location on time with the unique ID code. You can and will be tested regardless of your insurance status.

SOURCE: HARRIS COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH



CITY COUNCIL

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281.332.1826

EMERGENCY
9-1-1

Fire (Non-emergency)
281.332.2711

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281.332.2426

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281.316.3700

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CITY OF WEBSTER, TEXAS GOVERNMENT



WEBSTER FIRE DEPARTMENT ASSISTS WITH HURRICANE LAURA RELIEF

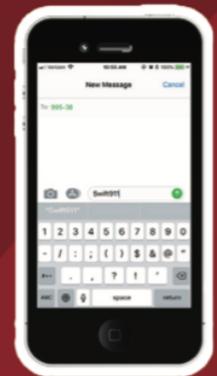
After Hurricane Laura wreaked havoc in Louisiana and East Texas, a Saw Team consisting of Webster, Forest Bend, and Baytown first responders deployed to Kirbyville, Texas.

The team worked with the power company to clear transmission lines and access points to restore power to the area.

Hurricane Season is Here! Sign up for Swift 911 Emergency Notifications in 1 of 3 ways:



Download the free mobile app on any smartphone app store.



Download the Swift911 App by texting "Swift911" to 995-38. You will receive a response with a link to get the app.



Register by visiting cityofwebster.com. Click "Receive Emergency Alerts" on the left-hand menu.

VOTING INFO

NOVEMBER 3 ELECTION

On Tuesday, November 3, 2020, the registered voters in the City of Webster will have the opportunity to vote on one councilmember position.

We encourage all citizens to exercise their right to vote. Contact the City Secretary's Office at 281.332.1826 or visit the City's website at cityofwebster.com for more information.

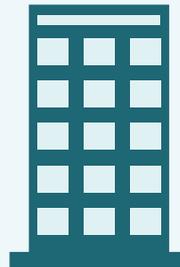
HOW TO REGISTER

The last day to register to vote in the election is Monday, October 5, 2020



To register for the November 3 election, visit hctax.net and request an application online.

OR



Visit a Harris County Clerk's Office branch to receive a voter registration card. Send completed applications to P.O. Box 1148, Houston, TX 77251.



VOTE BY MAIL

The deadline for submitting an application for a ballot to be voted by mail is October 23 (received, not postmarked)



EARLY VOTING

Early Voting by Personal Appearance will be conducted each weekday in Harris County, at the precinct locations, from October 13 until October 30.



ELECTION DAY

On Tuesday, November 3, voting will be conducted at Webster Civic Center, 311 Pennsylvania Ave. from 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

A voting device to assist voters with a disability will be available during Early Voting and on Election Day.

A voter must present a photo identification to qualify to vote.



OFFICER OF THE MONTH JULY 2020



Congratulations to the July Employee of the Month, Sergeant Jason Tovar.

On July 21, Sergeant Tovar heard a broadcast from the League City Police Department relaying the description of suspects committing vehicle burglaries along the IH-45 Freeway in League City.

Knowing that these criminals also frequently target locations in Webster, Sergeant Tovar began undercover surveillance of a busy retail center parking lot.

Soon after, he observed the suspects entering the parking lot and watched as they stole a truck.

With other officers' assistance, the two suspect vehicles were stopped and both were confirmed stolen.

Sergeant Tovar also recovered three stolen guns and other property, all of which were returned to the rightful owners. Two repeat felons were charged with multiple crimes. Excellent work, Sergeant Tovar!

MEET CITY SECRETARY MICHAEL MUSCARELLO



We are excited to introduce Michael Muscarello as the new City Secretary for the City of Webster.

Michael has been with the City of Webster since January 2020 and has served as the Interim City Secretary since February.

He came to the City of Webster with over two years of experience in the City Secretary's office in the City of Pearland.

Michael is now working toward completing his Texas Registered Municipal Clerks Certification.

Before working in city government, he worked in healthcare for 18 years, some of which were facilities within the City of Webster.

Since inheriting the duties of the City Secretary in March, Michael has gone above and beyond.

"I am looking forward to contributing to the City of Webster's growth and success while being a friendly face that the citizens can get to know and trust," said Michael.

We look forward to seeing Michael succeed in the City of Webster.

CITY MANAGER ATTENDS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE ADVANCED CLASS

City Manager Danny Presley knows the importance of ongoing education, which is why he attended the Community Development Institute (CDI) for the fourth consecutive year.

The CDI's goal is to equip community leaders and economic development professionals with tools and strategies to create vibrant, successful communities.

The program requires three weeks of training over three years. Last year, Danny graduated from the CDI and received a Professional Community and Economic Developer (PCED) certification. There are only 160 certified PCEDs in the U.S.

This year, Danny attended the CDI Advanced Class, which provided continuing education hours necessary to maintain the certification.

"The Advanced Class provided a great opportunity to gain new perspectives on various issues facing local government," he explained.

The Advanced Class took place in Beebe, Arkansas. Danny and his classmates conducted an assessment on the City, analyzing the strengths and weaknesses, studying the infrastructure, and interviewing citizens for feedback. The group then provided steps that can be made within one year and measures that will take over a year. A written report was presented to the City of Beebe with the findings.

"Ongoing professional development will always be a priority for me," Danny said. "I appreciate the opportunity to attend this training and develop the skills necessary to better serve the City of Webster."



Pasadena Assistant Police Chief and FBI Executive Board Acting President Kevin Wingerson, Webster Police Sergeant James "Rusty" Lovel, and FBI Special Agent in charge of the Houston Office Perry K. Turner.

POLICE SERGEANT SWORN INTO TEXAS FBI NATIONAL ACADEMY BOARD

On Tuesday, August 11, Webster Police Sergeant James "Rusty" Lovel was sworn in as the Houston Area Representative for the Texas FBI National Academy Board.

After graduating from the National Academy in 2009, Rusty was very active in the program. This was an extra quality that Rusty believes set him apart from the other candidates.

"I am looking forward to serving in a larger role and strengthening the bonds of the Texas FBI NA Chapter," Rusty said.

He will serve in this position for three years and then move to the FBI National Academy Executive Board.

"This is a big honor for Rusty and the entire police department," said Acting Chief of Police Pete Bacon. "We know he will represent the City of Webster and the entire Houston region extremely well."

NOON MIRCH



AUTHENTIC AND FLAVORFUL INDIAN CUISINE

Since 1989, Monica Nanda and her family have shared their authentic Indian cuisine with the Webster community at Noon Mirch.

"Our recipes have been passed on through succeeding generations starting with my great-grandma," Monica explained. "Our mission is to serve authentic and flavorful Indian food, free of preservatives."

Business was going well, but COVID-19 changed the restaurant overnight. According to Monica, the restaurant has implemented a host of preventative safety measures to protect employees and customers.

Employees now wear masks and gloves, and the restaurant maintains a 50 percent occupancy with social distancing. Disposable paper menus are used, and a digital menu is also offered. The restaurant is sanitized regularly, employees are temperature checked before each shift, and guests are asked to wear masks whenever they are not seated at a table. Noon Mirch also closed their lunch buffet for the safety and well being of customers and employees.

The restaurant is now open daily from 12 p.m. to 9 p.m., and happy hour extends all day.

Customers can dine-in, order online or by phone, or order delivery through Doordash, Grubhub, or Waitr.

Monica recommends the Death Wings, gluten-free Calamari, or Chicken Masala, with a Lychee Martini, Smoky Margarita, or Indian Mule.

"We value each and every customer and our dedicated staff will go the extra yard to please all visitors," she said. "We promise to excite our guests' taste buds with our flavorful and preservative-free Indian and Nepalese dishes made from scratch."

Noon Mirch is located at 505 E. NASA Pkwy. You can find more information at noonmirch.com.



NOON MIRCH CUISINE
505 NASA Pkwy,
Webster, TX 77598

CASEBAKES COOKIES



HOBBY TURNED BUSINESS

Baking was always a hobby for Casey Cardona, but in 2010 when she experimented with cookies for her son's first birthday, she realized it could be something more.

"People came to the party and kept asking about the cookies and asking me to make them for future events," she explained. "I would make them for the event, then someone from that event would contact me for another event"

So, CaseBakes was born. She started off just selling cookies, but has since expanded to include buttercream cakes, cookie cakes, cake pops, bakery cookies, macarons, cupcakes, and more.

"We are known for sugar cookies, but besides the cookies, I think we have an amazing vanilla cake with fresh in-house vanilla buttercream," she said.

In 2018, Casey was featured on Food Networks Christmas Cookie Challenge and was a finalist. During the holiday season, she likes to remake the treats from the show for the community to try. Since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic, the CaseBakes staff has taken a course on safe food handling practices, and the business now offers curbside pick up.

There is also a sanitizing station outside the store with hand sanitizer, disinfecting wipes, and disposable face masks.

Customers can stop by the store located at 100 NASA Pwky. to shop the bakery cases. Orders can be made over the phone (281.724.0433), email (casebakescookies@gmail.com), or on the Facebook page (@CaseBakes).



CASEBAKES COOKIES
100 NASA Pkwy,
Webster, TX 77598

To suggest a local business to be featured in the next edition of Webster Way Newsletter, send an email to kstamy@cityofwebster.com

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CITY OF WEBSTER, TEXAS GOVERNMENT

SEPTEMBER 2020

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 1 City Council Meeting
*6 p.m. in Council Chambers**
- 7 Labor Day
City Offices Closed
- 8 Webster Economic Development Corporation Meeting
*6 p.m. in Council Chambers**
- 11 Patriot Day
We remember those lost on September 11, 2001. Thank you to our fallen heroes. We will never forget.
- 15 City Council Meeting
*6 p.m. in Council Chambers**

**Meetings may be held via teleconference. Check the City website for more information. Special meetings may be added, and meetings may be canceled if there are no agenda items. Check the City website at cityofwebster.com for meeting information.*

UPCOMING EVENTS...

To prevent the spread of COVID-19, the City of Webster has chosen to cancel the 2020 Webster Halloween Festival. We look forward to celebrating with you again in 2021.

FALL CLEAN UP

MON, OCT. 19 - FRI, OCT. 23

CITY-WIDE GARAGE SALE

SAT, OCT. 17