

CITY DESK

City of Coppell | Water Bill Insert

City Offices Closed for Labor Day

All City of Coppell administrative offices, Coppell Municipal Court, the Coppell Animal Services facility, Grapevine Springs Senior and Community Center and the William T. Cozby Public Library will close on Mon., Sept., 1, in observance of Labor Day.

The Coppell Aquatic Recreation Center will be open from 7 AM to 7 PM. The outdoor pools will be open from 1 to 7 PM. No Monday classes will be held, and child care will not be available.

Coppell Craft Corner Store

It's that time of year again - the Coppell Craft Corner Store is back in business! Our store features chic shopping for the latest in homespun arts.

CCC artisans create elegant jewelry and pottery, hand-turned wood, and wearable fiber arts, as well as fiber art to furnish any abode; plus so much more.

Coppell Senior & Community Center
345 W. Bethel Road

Mon. 9/15 - Thu. 9/18 10 AM - 6 PM
Friday 9/19 9 AM - 5 PM
Saturday 9/20 9 AM - 1 PM

For more information, call Fawn @ 972-462-5136.

Fight the Bite! Practice the 4 Ds

The best way to avoid West Nile virus is to avoid mosquito bites. Please practice the "4Ds" when you are outside:

* Use an approved insect repellent every time you go outside, and follow label instructions.

* Drain standing water where mosquitoes can breed.

* Wear long sleeves and pants when outside.

* Use air conditioning or make sure doors and windows are screened to keep mosquitoes outside.



Up to date information about West Nile virus, its prevention and maps showing the spray zones can be found by visiting coppelltx.gov and clicking on the WNV Current Activity link. We encourage you to visit this page weekly for the latest information on spraying.



Volunteers Needed for Boards and Commissions

The City of Coppell annually seeks volunteers to serve on a number of city boards, commissions and, committees. Applications are being accepted in the City Secretary's office, 255 Parkway Blvd., now through Friday, September 12, for various boards, commissions, and committees. Regular operating hours are Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 5 PM, excluding holidays.

To participate, volunteers must be at least a one-year resident of Coppell, a registered voter in Coppell, and must submit an application (applications are retained for a period of one year only and must be resubmitted annually). Applications were mailed to resident's homes, and are also available from the City's website at www.coppelltx.gov, at Town Center, and at the Cozby Public Library.

Board and commission members usually meet monthly on weeknights. Appointments are for one to two years depending on the board. Attendance is required in at least 75% of the regularly scheduled meetings in order to maintain a position on the boards. Applications filed the prior year will not be considered. For more information, visit www.coppelltx.gov, or call 972-304-3669.

Keep Coppell Beautiful Upcoming Schedule

9/6	Save Our Seeds	11 AM - 12:30 PM	Senior Center & Community Center
9/13	Market to Kitchen Series	9 AM - 1 PM	Farmers Market
10/4	SmartScape Tour	9 AM - 1 PM	Maps @ Town Center (8:30 AM)
10/11	Design Your Own SmartScape	11 AM - 12:30 PM	Biodiversity Education Center
10/18	Annual Wildflower Seeding	9 AM Sharp!	Moore Rd. Park
10/18	Food Day for Kids	8 AM - Noon	Farmers Market
10/23	Make & Take Rain Barrel class	6:30 PM	Helping Hands Garden (Town Center)
11/22	Harvesting the Sun	11 AM - 12:30 PM	Biodiversity Education Center

Reconstruction of Shadowcrest Ln. & Sandy Knoll Dr.

The City of Coppell is continuing with the neighborhood street revitalization projects authorized by the passage of the ¼ cent sales tax dedicated to street reconstruction. The City Council approved a contract with RKM Utility Services, Inc. at the July 8th City Council meeting for the reconstruction of Sandy Knoll Drive (Sandy Lake to Woodhurst) and Shadowcrest Lane (Moore Road to the west). Construction on these projects is anticipated to begin in August. If you live on one of these streets, look for additional schedule information to be directed to you through the mail and other avenues.

Upcoming Library Programs and Events

Kids Corner

Wednesday, September 3rd - 3:45 PM

The first Wednesday of the month. We'll read books aloud and share an activity. Grades K-2.

After School Adventures

Wednesday, September 10th - 3:30 PM

The second Wednesday of the month. Each month is something new, stop by for crafts, games and more! Grades K-5.

Spanish Storytime

Friday, September 26th - 10:30 AM

The fourth Friday of the month. This storytime is a lively combination of books, fingerplays, and songs in both English and Spanish. Presented by Spanish Schoolhouse.

Look for your favorite teen after school programs to return from summer hiatus in September!

Cozby Gamers

Starting September 9th - 3:15 PM

Every Tuesday, come game with us after school. For grades 5th and up.

Cozby Hangout

Starting September 11th - 3:15 PM

Every Thursday is something different: Movies, crafts, anime, and more. Teens in grades 5th and up are invited to stop by and hangout.

William T. Cozby Public Library
177 N Hartz Road
972-304-3655
library@coppelltx.gov

Coppell Connection Volunteer Program

The City of Coppell recognizes and welcomes the extraordinary value that volunteers bring to the public stewardship, citizen engagement, and expanded resources of our programs, projects, events, and activities.

The City of Coppell is committed to a collaborative relationship that encourages, develops, and honors volunteer contributions as vital to the quality of life in our community. Coppell residents choose this community because of its great schools, excellent location, and hometown feel. Your volunteer efforts make Coppell a special place to live.



For more information and to sign up, visit coppelltx.gov/volunteer-connections

Meet the City Council

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Mayor
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Bob Mahalik
Place 2
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Gary Roden
Place 4
(c) 214-724-0685

Marvin Franklin
Mayor Pro Tem / Place 6
(c) 214-724-0683

Cliff Long
Place 1
(c) 469-704-8201

Wes Mays
Place 3
(c) 214-724-9008

Nancy Yingling
Place 5
(c) 214-784-6985

Mark Hill
Place 7
(c) 214-784-6986

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The City's
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newsletter.



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September Meetings

Economic Development	9/3	6 PM	Town Center
Board of Adjustment	9/4	7 PM	Town Center
Park Board / CRDC	9/8	6:30 PM	Town Center
City Council	9/9	7:30 PM	Town Center
Library Board	9/11	7 PM	William T. Cozby Public Library
Planning & Zoning	9/18	6 PM	Town Center
Keep Coppell Beautiful	9/18	7 PM	Biodiversity Education Center
City Council	9/23	7:30 PM	Town Center

New "H2Online" System allows for Utility Billing Paperless Statements

H2Online, the new addition to the City's website allows customers to go green and receive paperless statements, and may also now pay online with a credit card without incurring a convenience fee.

Anyone who wishes to enroll in H2Online can find a link on the front page of the City website at www.coppelltx.gov, the process takes less than five minutes, and you will be able to access old statements, view usage, and pay online without the convenience fee.

If you are worried about missing your *City Desk* water bill insert, you can always sign-up for Coppell Clips, the weekly e-newsletter, click on the "My Coppell" icon on the City's website!

City Facilities

Town Center
255 Parkway Blvd.
WT Cozby Public Library
177 N. Hartz Rd.
Aquatic & Recreation Center
234 E. Parkway Blvd.
Senior & Community Center
345 W. Bethel Rd.
Biodiversity Education Center
367 Freeport Pkwy.

Coppell Farmers Market
768 W. Main St
Justice Center
130 Town Center Blvd.
Wagon Wheel Tennis Center
950 Creekview Dr.
Development Center
265 Parkway Blvd.