



HASLET HAPPENINGS

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BNSF PLANS TO CUTOVER TRAIN TRAFFIC TO NEW TRACKS LABOR DAY WEEKEND

The final cutover for BNSF to move train traffic to the newly constructed tracks from the tracks that cross over in Old Town at Main Street/Westport Parkway and FM 156 is tentatively scheduled for Labor Day weekend. That is when BNSF will move all train traffic over to the new line. Sometime during this process, BNSF will be cutting the track at Main Street/Westport Parkway and plans to grade the area and then lay asphalt across the old track bed. They will also deactivate the safety signals at this intersection and possibly remove them as well. This work will require some road closures and traffic detours around the area, so please be aware of road construction signage detailing closures and/or detours.

CITY HALL HOURS:
Monday thru Friday
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
www.Haslet.org

ALL CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, SEPT. 7, 2015 IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

PARTICIPATION IN COMPREHENSIVE PLAN PROCESS

Earlier this year, the City Council engaged the consulting services of Land Design to prepare the City's first Comprehensive Plan. Since that time Land Design has been gathering and analyzing background data and is ready to begin the next step of the comprehensive plan development process. In the near future, Council will establish an advisory committee to provide guidance and oversight for comprehensive plan project work. In addition, Council will be inviting members of the community including citizens, elected and appointed officials, real estate professionals, land and business owners, institutional partners, and local developers to participate in stakeholder interviews to be conducted by Land Design. These interviews are tentatively scheduled to be conducted over a two-day period during September. Staff will contact participants to schedule an interview appointment. Later in the process, public workshops will be held for all interested parties to participate and provide input.

City Council
 Mayor Bob Golden
 Mayor Pro Tem Warren Robb
 Council Member Kathy Hopper
 Council Member Forrest Goodman
 Council Member Rick Groesch
 Council Member Mitch Hill

- This Month's Meetings:**
- City Council Regular Meeting
Tues. 09/08/2015 @ 7 p.m.
 - Parks and Recreation Board
Wed. 09/09/2015 @ 7 p.m.
 - Library Board Regular Meeting
Thurs. 9/10/2015 @ 6:30 p.m.
 - City Council Regular Meeting
Tues. 09/21/2015 @ 7 p.m.
 - HEDC Type A Regular Meeting
Wed. 09/23/2015 @ 11:30 p.m.
 - HCEDC Type B Regular Meeting
Wed. 09/23/2015 @ 6:00 p.m.
 - Planning & Zoning Commission
Mon. 9/28/2015 @ 6:30 p.m.

CITY COUNCIL APPROVES TRAFFIC CALMING POLICY

The City Council has approved a Traffic Calming Policy. The purpose of the policy is to establish the appropriate application of traffic calming devices within the city by providing eligibility and submission criteria for requesting traffic calming measures. Individual residents or Home Owner Associations can submit in writing a petition requesting traffic calming measures for qualified city streets. The policy is online at www.haslet.org. Questions can be directed to Public Works Director David Rogers at 817-439-5931 ext. 104.

QUARTERLY BRUSH DROP OFF DAY SATURDAY SEPT 19TH

The Quarterly Brush Drop Off day that was not held in August has been re-scheduled for Saturday, September 19, 2015, from 9 am to 12 noon at the Haslet Fire Station, 1709 S. FM 156, Haslet. Event for residents only and must present your Haslet water bill.

Notice of 2015 Tax Year Proposed Property Tax Rate

A tax rate of \$0.285693 per \$100 valuation has been proposed for adoption by the governing body of the City of Haslet.

Public Hearings will be held on 8/24/2015 & 09/08/2015, both beginning at 7 pm, in the Haslet Community Center, 105 Main St., Haslet.

View the Official Notice at www.Haslet.org.

SEPTEMBER 2015



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Yoga 7 pm	2 Bulk Trash Pickup Day Library Storytime Toddler 10:30 am Preschool 11:15 am	3 Seniors 10:30am Yoga 7 pm	4	5
6	7 LABOR DAY CITY OFFICES CLOSED	8 City Council 7 pm Municipal Court	9 Library Storytime Toddler 10:30 am Preschool 11:15 am Reading to Rover 4pm PARKS BOARD 6:30pm	10 Seniors 10:30am Library Board 7 pm Yoga 7 pm	11	12
13	14 City Council 7 pm	15 Reader's Café 2pm Yoga 7 pm	16 Library Storytime Toddler 10:30 am Preschool 11:15 am	17 Seniors 10:30am Pajama Story-time 6 pm Yoga 7 pm	18 Teen Time at the Library 5 to 7 pm	19 Quarterly Brush Drop Off Event @ Fire Station 9 am -12 pm
20	21 City Council 7 pm	22 Yoga 7 pm	23 Library Storytime Toddler 10:30 am Preschool 11:15 am Reading to Rover 4pm HEDC A 11:30 pm HCEDC B 6:00 pm	24 Seniors 10:30am Yoga 7 pm	25	26
27	28 Planning & Zoning Commission 6:30 pm	29 Yoga 7 pm	30 Library Storytime Toddler 10:30 am Preschool 11:15 am			

This calendar is provided as a convenience. While every attempt is made to provide current and accurate information, please confirm meetings accordingly. More information at www.Haslet.org.



Haslet 5K Glow and Costume Run Saturday, October 17th

Mark your calendars for the 10th Annual Haslet Hustle 5K Glow and Costume Run on Saturday, October 17th presented by the Haslet Parks and Recreation Board. Early registration is \$35 and day of the race registration is \$40. The 1 Mile Fun Run starts at 7 p.m. The 5K Race starts at 7:30 p.m. Races begin at the Haslet Community Park. FREE t-shirts for all participants. Glow Gear for first 200 Registered. Awards for first and second place male and female finishers. Stay after the race ends beginning at 8:30 p.m. for the After Glow Party for post race entertainment, food and drinks until 10 p.m. Proceeds from the Haslet Hustle will benefit the Haslet Parks and Recreation Scholarship Fund which awards scholarships to current NHS Seniors who reside in Haslet. To register, go to <http://bswarms.com/swarm371>. More information available at www.Haslet.org or by calling 817-439-5931 x 100.



SPONSORS & EXHIBITORS NEEDED FOR NATIONAL NIGHT OUT TUESDAY, OCT. 6TH

The City of Haslet and Tarrant County Sheriff's Office will host the 2015 National Night Out Event on Tuesday, October 6, 2015 at the Haslet Community Park from 6 to 8 p.m. National Night Out is an annual unique crime/drug prevention and community-building campaign that promotes law enforcement community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make Haslet a safer, better place to live. Currently Sponsors, Exhibitors and Volunteers are needed for this well-attended community event. Last years attendance was estimated to be approximately 700 persons. For more information or for sign up forms, please go to the City's website www.Haslet.org or contact Katrina Jones, City of Haslet staff, at 817-439-5931 ext. 100.



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