



# Rosenberg TEXAS

# Insider

September/October 2022

## REMINDER: SERVICE WITH THE CITY'S NEW SOLID WASTE PROVIDER GFL ENVIRONMENTAL BEGINS ON OCTOBER 1ST!

**NEW CARTS:** Your new poly carts will be delivered in mid-September. Each residence will receive one (1) poly cart for normal garbage which is solid black and one (1) poly cart for recycling which is green with a black lid. Additional poly carts will be provided for residents currently paying for additional carts. Attached to the poly carts you will find information about the new program including your service days based on your section of the City for garbage, recycling, yard/green waste, and bulky waste as well as recycling program information.

**IMPORTANT:** The last time you will use your current Republic Services poly carts for garbage and recycling will be September 28th. On October 1st, you will start using your new GFL poly carts on your scheduled service days. **DO NOT USE** your GFL Carts until Oct. 1st. Republic Services will not service GFL carts and vice versa.

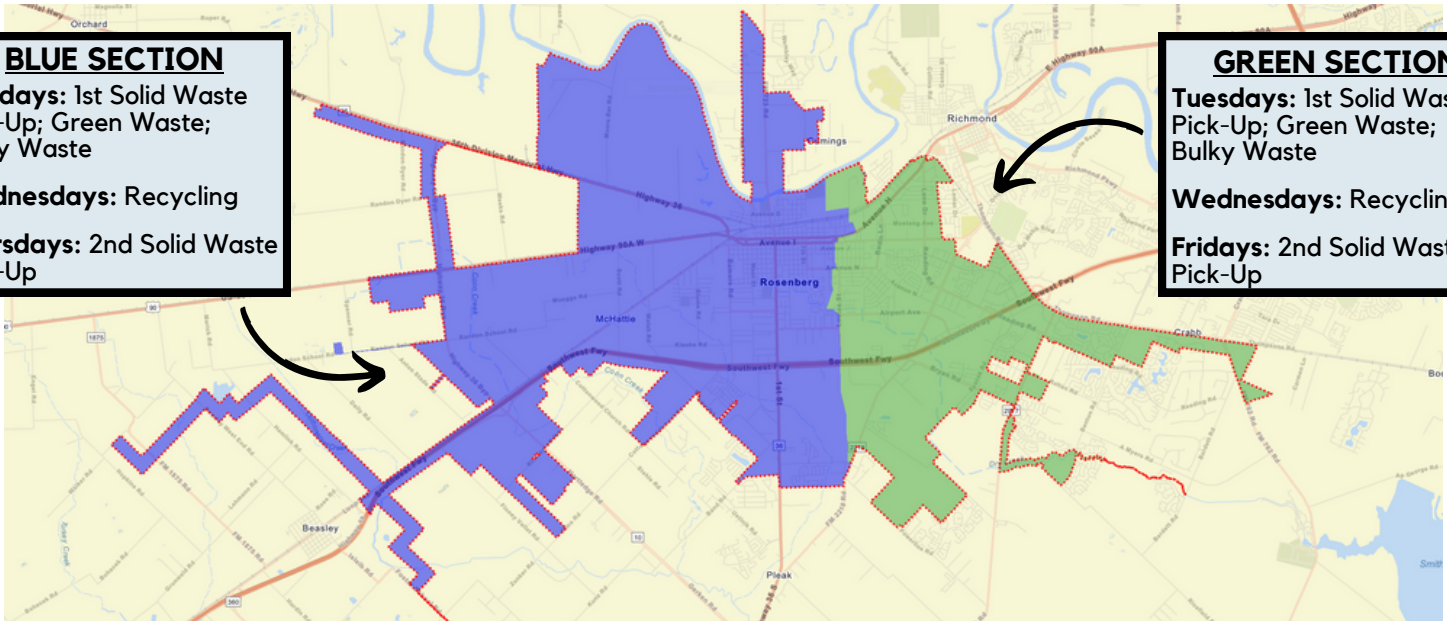
**BILLING:** You will continue to receive monthly invoices just as you have in the past with no changes in how your invoice is delivered to you each month. You will continue to make payments as normal, with no changes to how you currently make your monthly invoice payments. For questions regarding your bill, please call Customer Service at 832-595-3400.

**RESIDENTIAL RATES:** Regular residential service rates stayed the same at \$18.19 plus tax. The Senior Citizen rate decreased by \$1.77 to \$15.69 plus tax. Additional Poly Carts are now only \$6.00 plus tax which is a savings of \$1.70! Questions on rates or want to change your service? Call 832-595-3400.

**SERVICE OR MISSED COLLECTIONS:** Beginning October 1st, any questions regarding your service or missed collections will be reported directly to GFL at 832-271-5187 or via email at [CityofRosenberg@gflenv.com](mailto:CityofRosenberg@gflenv.com).

**QUESTIONS:** For questions or concerns about your cart delivery, please contact GFL Environmental at **832-271-5187** or email [CityofRosenberg@gflenv.com](mailto:CityofRosenberg@gflenv.com). You can visit [rosenbergtx.gov/trash](http://rosenbergtx.gov/trash) for updates during and after the service transition, collection day information, and guidelines for solid waste, recycling, yard waste, and bulky collection services.

**Visit [rosenbergtx.gov/trash](http://rosenbergtx.gov/trash) to look up your exact service dates by address on the interactive map!**



**BLUE SECTION**  
**Mondays:** 1st Solid Waste Pick-Up; Green Waste; Bulky Waste  
**Wednesdays:** Recycling  
**Thursdays:** 2nd Solid Waste Pick-Up

**GREEN SECTION**  
**Tuesdays:** 1st Solid Waste Pick-Up; Green Waste; Bulky Waste  
**Wednesdays:** Recycling  
**Fridays:** 2nd Solid Waste Pick-Up



# OUR GOVERNMENT

The city of Rosenberg operates in a Council-Manager form of government in which the City Council sets the policy and overall direction for the City, and appoints a professional City Manager and other key officials to oversee the City's daily operations.

# CITY COUNCIL

- Mayor: Kevin Raines
- At-Large 1: Marc Morales
- At-Large 2: Alicia Casias
- District 1: Keith Parker
- District 2: Susan Euton (Mayor ProTem)
- District 3: Hector Trevino
- District 4: George Zepeda

# CITY MANAGER

John Maresh

# MEETINGS

City Council meets regularly in public session the first, third and fourth Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. The meeting agendas are available on the City's website. Council meetings may also be viewed live on Comcast Channel 16, rosenbergtx.gov/TV or on YouTube @RosenbergTXGov

# MISSION STATEMENT

To anticipate community needs and deliver exceptional service, and to cultivate an enhanced quality of life through leadership, innovation and cooperative partnerships.

# NUMBERS TO KNOW

- Animal Control  
↪ 832-595-3490
- Citizen Relations  
↪ 832-595-3301
- Customer Service (Utilities)  
↪ 832-595-3400
- Police Dispatch (Non-Emergency)  
↪ 832-595-3700
- Republic Services (Solid Waste)  
↪ 713-726-7300



# SAVE THE DATE October 4, 2022

Read more about the community celebration in Brazos Town Center or register your block party at: ROSENBERGTX.GOV/NNO

# 100 YEARS OF FIRE SAFETY 1922-2022

## Fire Prevention Week is October 9-15, 2022

The Rosenberg Fire Department is teaming up with the National Fire Protection Association® to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Fire Prevention Week October 9-15, 2022. This year's campaign "Fire won't wait. Plan your escape!" works to educate everyone about simple but important actions they can take to keep themselves and those around them safe from home fires.

The Rosenberg Fire Department encourages all residents to embrace the 2022 Fire Prevention Week theme. "It's important for everyone to plan and practice a home fire escape. Everyone needs to be prepared in advance so that they know what to do when the smoke alarm sounds. Given that every home is different, every home fire escape plan will also be different," said Rosenberg Fire Marshal Curtis Campbell. "Have a plan for everyone in the home. Children, older adults, and people with disabilities may need assistance to wake up and get out. Make sure that someone will help them."

### Rosenberg Fire wants to share these key home fire escape planning tips:

- Make sure your plan meets the needs of all your family members, including those with sensory or physical disabilities.
- Smoke alarms should be installed inside every sleeping room, outside each separate sleeping area, and on every level of your home. Smoke alarms should be interconnected so that when one sounds, they all sound.
- Know at least two ways out of every room, if possible. Make sure all doors and windows open easily.
- Have an outside meeting place a safe distance from your home where everyone should meet.
- Practice your home fire drill at least twice a year with everyone in the household, including guests. Practice at least once during the day and at night.

For more information visit  
**RosenbergTX.Gov/Fire**

# ANIMAL SHELTER FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED

The Rosenberg Animal Shelter could use your help! They are currently in need of:

- dry dog food
- dry cat food
- wet cat food
- wet kitten food
- small litter pans for cats

If you would like to help, donations can be made at Rosenberg Animal Control and Shelter located at 1207 Blume Road or by calling 832-595-3490.



## Fort Bend County EpiCenter (Hwys 36 & 59)



## Brazos Town Center New Entrance (Between Texas Roadhouse & Gringos)



# Rosenberg BE PREPARED for Severe Weather

Need to know what to do in the event of severe weather? *Stay connected to the City!*



Visit the City's Website for helpful information on severe weather!  
[RosenbergTX.gov/Emergency-Management](https://RosenbergTX.gov/Emergency-Management)



Register with the City's Emergency Text Notification System!  
Text RPDALERTS to 888777



Know who to call and when!  
Citizens Relations: 832-595-3301  
Water Utilities: 832-595-3400  
Emergencies Only: 911 or 832-595-3700



Need to evacuate and plan a route? Check real time road closures and street flooding:  
[RosenbergTX.gov/roadclosures](https://RosenbergTX.gov/roadclosures)



Follow us on Social Media!  
@RosenbergTXGov  
@RosenbergPoliceDepartment  
@RosenbergFire

# IT'S FAIR AND RODEO TIME!

## FORT BEND COUNTY FAIR & RODEO

### SEPT 23 - OCT 2

- FRI SEPT 23 - GIOVANNIE AND THE HIRED GUNS
- SAT SEPT 24 - KEVIN FOWLER
- SUN SEPT 25 - SECRETO
- WED SEPT 28 - CARSON JEFFREY
- THU SEPT 29 - JON STORK
- FRI SEPT 30 - SHENANDOAH
- SAT OCT 1 - SAMMY KERSHAW
- SUN OCT 2 - BELLAMY BROTHERS

BUY TICKETS NOW! ➔

[FortBendCountyFair.com](https://FortBendCountyFair.com)





## WHAT IS THE RDC?

The Rosenberg Development Corporation (RDC) was created by election in 1995. It is a Type-B economic development corporation funded by a one-half cent sales tax. State law authorizes the RDC to engage in projects related to primary job creation. Primary jobs are jobs that infuse new dollars into the local economy by creating or selling a product or service that is ultimately exported to regional, state, national or international markets.

The RDC is comprised of a seven-director board in which four of the members, including all officers, are appointed by the Rosenberg City Council, and the remaining three members are City Councilors. The RDC Board of Directors are: John Herne, President; Tom Suter, Vice President; Isaac Davila, Secretary; Ted Garcia, Treasurer; Mayor Kevin Raines, Director; Councilor Alicia Casias, Director; Councilor Marc A. Morales, Director.

## Want to know two exciting projects the RDC is working on?

### The Avenue H/Highway 90A Revitalization Project

- This multi-year project will focus on the redevelopment of the Highway 90A corridor from the Richmond city limits through the Triple Fork area.

### West End Grocery Store

- The booming growth on the west side of the city has staff working to recruit a grocery store to serve the area.

## UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Visit [rosenbergtx.gov](http://rosenbergtx.gov) to confirm meetings and agendas, view public notices, see more information on events and more.

9/5/2022	Labor Day Holiday - City Offices Closed
9/6/2022	City Council Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
9/10/2022	Ride to Rosenberg Car Show (Historic Downtown) 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
9/20/2022	City Council Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
9/23/2022	Fort Bend County Fair Parade - 9 a.m. Fort Bend County Fair Holiday - City Offices Closed
9/27/2022	City Council Workshop Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
10/4/2022	National Night Out (Brazos Town Center) 6-9 p.m. City Council Meeting - 6:30 p.m. *Meeting subject to be canceled for NNO. See Sept. 6, 2022 Council Meeting for vote.
10/18/2022	City Council Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
10/25/2022	City Council Workshop Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
10/29/2022	SAVE THE DATE: Boo-Berg & Trick or Treating!



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832-595-3301 \*ask for Communications

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[rosenbergtx.gov/alerts](http://rosenbergtx.gov/alerts)

