

# LAKESIDE NEWSLETTER

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**TOWN HALL HOURS**  
Monday – Friday  
7:30 am to 4:30 pm  
[www.lakesidetexas.us](http://www.lakesidetexas.us)

**Budget Workshop Tuesday August 11th, at 6:30 pm and Tuesday August 25, at 6:30 pm**

**Public Hearing and Regular City Council meeting and on Thursday August 13th, at 6:30 pm**

**The Planning & Zoning Commission meets on the third Monday at 6:30 pm as needed**

**City Council**  
Mayor Patrick Jacob  
Mayor Pro Tem Kim Ware  
Councilmember Don Pitts  
Councilmember Dale Martin  
Councilmember Amy Robinson  
Councilmember Bill Mohr

**Check out our updated website at:**  
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## MESSAGE FROM MAYOR PATRICK JACOB

### **Silver Creek Bridge Project Update**

Unfortunately, the Silver Creek project has encountered some new construction problems. The bridge reconstruction, is now forecast to be complete by early September. The reconstruction of Live Oak Creek Bridge has been postponed, maybe indefinitely. Everyone will be glad to have this key access to Loop 820 returned to us.

### **Planned Development Coming to Our Area**

A new housing development under consideration. Located west of Silver Creek Road and north of Verna Road, just off the intersection of Silver Creek and Verna Trail near Brewer High School. The development projected to have 527 homes and an Amenity Center. The City of Fort Worth held a pre-development conference in early May. Several areas along Silver Creek Road were rezoned in 2007 for residential development. This development will be in Fort Worth's council district 3.

### **Improvements to Lakeside's water system**

Is still forecast to be complete shortly. The water tower is complete and will be filled when the line from the tower to the North is completed. From there, a line to 199 and down the service road remain to be completed. This completion of this loop will be the final phase of the current water system improvement project.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### **Weeds, Brush and High Grass**

Warm weather is here and the grass/weeds have begun to grow. Remember to keep your grass and/or weeds mowed below 10 inches. Residents are responsible for mowing their entire property (from property line to roadway) and keeping the trash and debris removed. By maintaining your property, you are helping increase the quality of life for all the citizens of Lakeside.

### **How to Start Composting in Your Own Backyard**

Summer is here, and Texans have already seen rising temperatures. Warmer, drier weather can be hard on your garden and backyard, but composting is a great way to not only nourish your soil but reduce waste and save a little money. Compost forms when you mix together things like leaves, grass clippings, vegetable and fruit scraps, coffee grounds, and used tea bags. When combined with heat and water, the mixture breaks down into a nutrient-rich material that can enrich your soil.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 Budget Workshop 6:30 pm	12	13 Regular City Council Meeting & Public Hearing 6:30 pm	14	15
16	17	18 Court	19	20 Garden Club	21	22
23	24	25 Budget Workshop 6:30 pm	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5