



City of  
**BUNKER HILL VILLAGE**  
NEWSLETTER

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### *A Note from Mayor Lord*

#### *Wonderful Residents:*

Things in Bunker Hill Village (BHV) are going very well thanks to the support of the community and City Staff. Cooler weather means more and more residents are using the sidewalks and trails in BHV and other villages. Be careful and use common sense to avoid any dangerous encounters.

Our projects have gone well this year: Bunker Hill Elementary is open and we are wrapping up the drainage detention; our water well is extremely close to being placed into service (delay caused by a supply chain issue!); the road construction on Chapel Belle is substantially complete and Tamerlaine is closely following. Our new public works and emergency building (new construction behind City Hall) has piers and so construction is on schedule.

Our Committees have been busy and we were really proud to highlight their accomplishments at our Open House. Many thanks to those residents (of all ages) that joined us! And to the Police and Fire Departments for sharing the evening and all of their fun displays!

We hope to see all of you joining us for our Annual Twinkle Light Parade on Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup>. We are working hard to have a robust event that appears to be expanding--Piney Point Village may also be joining in this year's event.

Finally, Let's Go Astros...win it all again in 2022!

Yours Humbly,

*Mayor Robert Lord*



*We loved seeing our younger residents at the Open House!!*

**October 2022**

*Dear Residents,*

It is hard to believe that the holidays are quickly approaching! We wanted to make sure you save the date for the **Annual Twinkle Light Parade** set for **Thursday, December 15 beginning at 6:00 p.m.** We are working on the details so be sure you check your v-linc or the website as the event approaches. We are also welcoming resident **"lighted floats or cars"** to join us. We will have to manage the length of the parade so first come, first in the parade! So please contact me to join in the fun. You can call City Hall at 713-467-9762 or email me at [kglynn@bunkerhilltx.gov](mailto:kglynn@bunkerhilltx.gov) so we can finalize all plans. Plan to gather at Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church for more fun at the end of the parade too!

I am sharing our holiday office hours below so you can plan accordingly (*especially for any permitting needs including final inspections*).

There is more information in the rest of this newsletter. Happy holidays and end of the year planning!! We are here if you need us!

*Karen Glynn, City Administrator*

### **City Hall Holiday Hours:**

#### *Thanksgiving*

City Hall will close at Noon on Wednesday, November 23  
Regular hours resume on Monday, November 28

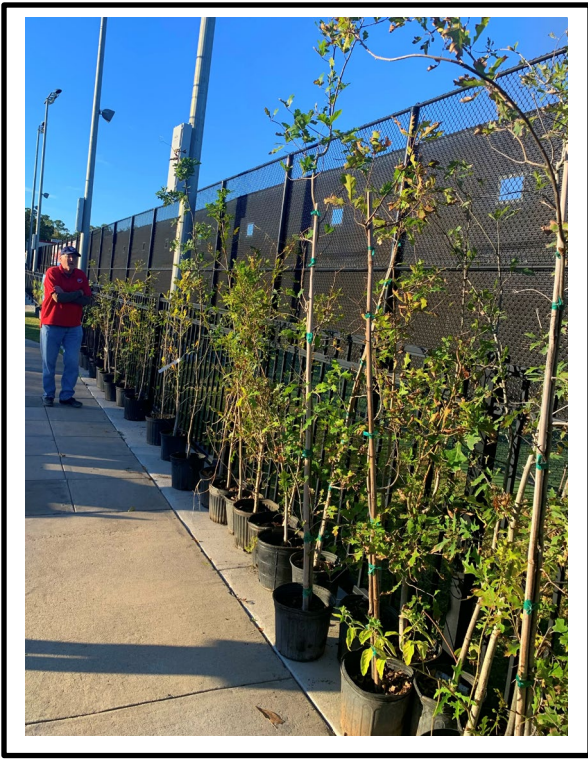
#### *Christmas/New Years*

City Hall will be closed the week of  
December 26 – December 30, 2022.

We will reopen at 7:00 a.m. on Monday, January 2, 2023

★ **Twinkle Light Parade**  
**Thurs, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> 6:00 p.m.** ★



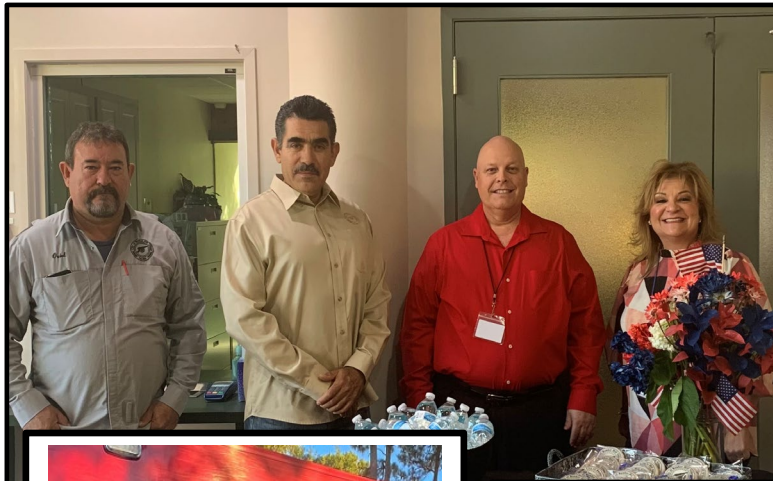


## Events in the Village

The City hosted an Open House at City Hall in October and highlighted the work of our volunteers and committees. In addition, Bunker Hill joined the other Memorial Villages for the Annual Recycling Event at Hedwig Village which included a free tree giveaway donated by Trees for Houston.



*Thank You to All for Recycling and Coming to the Open House*





## Welcome New Staff Members

City Hall Staff welcomes Elson Cornelius, Permit/Utility Billing Clerk, and Mallory Pack, Assistant to the City Administrator, to the team. Elson brings over 20 years of customer service experience to the City. Mallory is a graduate of Texas Christian University (TCU), and is pursuing a Master of Public Administration at the University of Houston. Both Elson and Mallory look forward to serving the residents of Bunker Hill.



## World Teachers' Day



Mayor Lord joined Frostwood

Elementary and Bunker Hill Elementary to celebrate World Teachers' Day in September. Thank you to our amazing SBISD Teachers!!



## Friendly Reminder

- Follow contractor hours. Try to make Sunday a noise free day for everything!
- Don't put trash out too early at the curb or leave the trash cans out after pick-up.
- Don't blow grass into streets and no blowing (or dumping) into storm drains.
- Remember the Good Neighbor Ordinance as you plan your Holiday parties ... coordinate with neighbors for parking and noise concerns.



# End of the year Donation Opportunities

## To benefit your community

Each year many generous residents have participated in the various donation programs that serve Bunker Hill Village and have suggested to put the information in our newsletter as a reminder:

**Dedicate a Tree or a Bench to promote our beautiful City** – The City has established a “Dedication Program” for the City to promote our beautiful city while remembering events or those dear to us. The cost to dedicate a tree is \$700 or \$900 depending on the tree size and a bench is \$1,200. A dedication/memorial plaque is placed by the tree or bench. Call Steve Smith at 713-467-9762 or [visit the website to submit online](#).

**Memorial Villages First Responder Relief Fund** – *In recognition of the sacrifices that our first responders make on behalf of our Cities.* The fund was established and used as a result of Hurricane Harvey and was used during the recent pandemic. The fund remains in place to provide financial assistance to our first responders who find themselves the victims of and face emergency hardships as a result of natural disasters or emergencies. The fund is a designated 501(c) 3. Please visit their website [mvfrf.org](http://mvfrf.org) to make a donation. *This fund is now managed as a Village-Wide Organization to benefit the affected first responders in our area. The mailing address is: 9668 Westheimer Road, Suite 200-119, Houston, TX 77063 and email is welcome at [info@mvfrf.org](mailto:info@mvfrf.org).*

**Memorial Villages Police Officers Foundation** – The MVPD Police Foundation is a 501(c)3 that consists of an Elected Board that include MVPD sworn and civilian personnel along with Village Residents. The MVPD Foundation is a benevolent group created to assist the department and personnel by providing personal assistance to staff and their families and supports the department by providing funding for social events, specialized equipment and training not covered by the cities. The website is: [mvpf.net](http://mvpf.net). Donations are accepted online.

## ***New Donation Opportunity Coming in December***

The City's Public Works and Disaster Operations Building is under construction. This will be an addition to City Hall and will house the Public Works Team on a day-to-day basis as well as provide a multi-purpose meeting room, a kitchen area, showers and an appropriate place to house our City Staff during emergency needs (they stay here 24/7 during emergencies). Following the winter storm, residents reached out to the Mayor and City Administrator and asked how they could thank our Public Works Team for their exceptional work during that emergency. The Mayor and City Council have developed a means for donations through a 501 (c) 3. The City is fully funding the construction costs for the building; however, we want to extend the opportunity to contribute to the furnishings and “extras” for the staff. Stay tuned to v-line and the City’s website for more information on this opportunity.



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### **Public Works & Disaster Operations Building**



*Operational Spring 2023*