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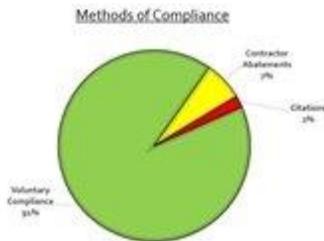
Preliminary Budget Workshop meeting on June 8

Mesquite City Council will meet on June 8 at 5:30 p.m., at City Hall, 757 N. Galloway Avenue in Training Rooms A and B, for a Preliminary Budget Workshop meeting. Members of the public, applicants and interested parties may attend the meeting in person. All persons present at the meeting location must observe social distancing by remaining a minimum of six (6) feet from other meeting participants and are strongly encouraged to wear a covering over their nose and mouth. [View the meeting agenda online](#). The City broadcasts meetings via [Facebook Live](#) and at cityofmesquite.com/WatchCouncilMeetings.



Mesquite Championship Rodeo returns on June 6

The [Mesquite Championship Rodeo \(MCR\)](#) is riding into town this weekend. Saturday, June 6 marks the start of the 13-week series at the Mesquite Arena, 1818 Rodeo Drive. The City of Mesquite sat down with Travis Wheat, the Mesquite Championship Rodeo Director, to discuss the rodeo's return. [Watch the Mesquite Minute](#). Visit mesquiterodeo.com for tickets.



Mesquite Neighborhood Services presents quarterly report

Neighborhood Services presented the City of Mesquite's quarterly report during the City Council meeting on June 1. Voluntary compliance continues to take the lead as the number one method of compliance as 91% of cases were resolved voluntarily. [Watch the full presentation to City Council.](#)



information to register.

DCCCD offers free online Returning to Work courses

The Dallas County Community College District has developed two new courses to streamline the process of reopening America in a COVID-19 environment. The courses are designed to help employees return to work safely and help employers understand the OSHA and CDC guidelines for preparing the workplace. Click on the [course registration form](#) and enter the appropriate



Atmos Energy offers Bill Payment Assistance

Atmos Energy is offering bill payment assistance to help their customers who are struggling with past due balances. If you need assistance paying your Atmos Energy bill due to COVID-19, because of illness, quarantine or a disruption at work call Customer Service at 888-286-6700.



City launches Recovery Mesquite on May 30

The City of Mesquite launched the first "Recovery Mesquite - Forward & Onward" campaign on May 30. The Mesquite community participated in a reverse parade to thank front-line workers who have been essential during the COVID-19 pandemic, donate to Sharing Life Community Outreach and Mesquite Social Services. Recovery Mesquite is an ongoing program to

aid the citizens and the business community in their recovery efforts. Learn more at www.cityofmesquite.com/RecoveryMesquite.



Pepsi donates 500 cases of drinks to Mesquite first responders

Last week, the Pepsi Bottling Plant in Mesquite donated 500 cases of drinks to the city's first responders and front-line workers, thanking them for their work during the COVID-19 pandemic.



Addressing Mesquite Day project applications due June 26

Do you or your neighbors need help with an exterior house or yard project? The 16th Addressing Mesquite Day is on October 3. This annual event has volunteers organized by the City work on minor exterior home repairs, painting and landscape projects. The last day for homeowners to complete a request form is June 26. Apply online at www.cityofmesquite.com/AMD. For

details, call the Office of Neighborhood Vitality at 972-216-6473.



Mesquite Veterans Memorial brick sale

The City of Mesquite is selling bricks for the new Mesquite Veterans Memorial. All bricks will be included in the construction and be placed on the border of the walkway that leads visitors to the memorial. Each brick is four inches by eight inches in size and costs \$50.

Purchase a brick online at www.MesquiteVeteransMemorial.org by July 31 to

guarantee installation for the November dedication event.



Dallas Observer recognizes Porky's Chicken-Fried Steak Sandwich

Need some ideas for dinner? Porky's Chicken-Fried Steak Sandwich is being called a "hidden gem" by the Dallas Observer. In an article they recognized Porky's sandwich as a great To Go option. Support local businesses and #ShopMesquite tonight when you order Porky's. [Read the article.](#) [Learn more](#) about the

#ShopMesquite Campaign.



Book a ride using the STARNow mobile app

Need a ride? Download STAR Transit's new mobile app, [STARNow](#). Riders can book and pay for same-day trips including the new mobility-on-demand service in designated areas of Mesquite and Terrell. STARNow is available on [App Store](#) and [Google Play](#). Riders also can book trips by calling 877-631-5278.

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Use the free myMesquite platform to submit service requests to the City of Mesquite. Send requests for street repair, crime concerns, park issues and more from your computer or mobile device. Visit www.cityofmesquite.com/myMesquite for details.



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