



Dec. 13, 2024



## Celebrate the season with Real. Texas. Holidays.

Real. Texas. Holidays. continues with Christmas at the Ranch at 10 a.m. and the Mesquite Symphony Orchestra's "Holiday Carols" performances at 4:30 and 7 p.m. on Dec. 14. Families can also enjoy a holiday spectacular at Christmas in the Park from 2-8 p.m. on Dec. 14-15 in Westlake Park. Find out about all of the holiday events in Mesquite [here](#).



## Holiday food waste disposal tips

This holiday season, avoid attracting pests and paying for expensive plumbing repairs by properly disposing of food waste. Put trash out the day of your trash collection instead of letting it sit out. Consider freezing your food waste until collection day. Also, scrape cooled grease or fat into the trash, or pour it into a closed-lid container and throw away. Residents may recycle used cooking oil for free at the City of

Mesquite Convenience Center, 3550 Lawson Road. Learn more at [www.cityofmesquite.com/FOG](http://www.cityofmesquite.com/FOG).



## Holiday closures and service impacts

All City offices will be closed Dec. 24-25 and Jan. 1 in observance of Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Years Day. The Airport will remain open. Residential and Commercial Trash will be collected on Dec. 24, but no recycling will be collected. Commercial and Residential trash and recycling will not be collected on Dec. 25 and Jan. 1. Collection will resume on the next

scheduled collection day. To see the City's holiday closures and service impact schedule, visit [www.cityofmesquite.com/Holidays](http://www.cityofmesquite.com/Holidays).

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## Donate to WARM program

As colder weather sets in, please consider making financial donations to the WARM (Weather Activated Relief for Mesquite) program. The program provides temporary accommodations for unsheltered individuals during extreme weather conditions. Find out more and donate at [Sharing.Life/WARM](http://Sharing.Life/WARM).

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## Shop Mesquite this holiday season

Shopping in your hometown helps the local economy. Sales tax contributes approximately 28% of the City's total revenue and helps fund services such as police, fire, parks and recreation, libraries, neighborhood services and public works. Learn more about

Mesquite's shopping options at [www.ShopMesquiteTX.com](http://www.ShopMesquiteTX.com), and find out more about alternate shopping routes at <https://www.cityofmesquite.com/ShoppingRoutes>.

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## Word on the Street


Find out about current and upcoming roadwork with the City's monthly road report, Word on the Street.


The December edition includes updates about construction on F.P. Lucas Boulevard and more. Available in [English](#) and [Spanish](#).




## Contact Us

Do you have a concern? Send requests for street repair, crime concerns, park issues and more from your computer or mobile device. For more details, visit [www.cityofmesquite.com/myMesquite](http://www.cityofmesquite.com/myMesquite).

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