

WELCOME TO THE SOUTH HAMPTON COMMUNITY MEETING!

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SOUTH HAMPTON COMMUNITY MEETING

APRIL 20, 2021

ENGAGEMENT | POLICE | LIBRARY | PUBLIC WORKS | CODE RESOURCES | NEIGHBORHOOD
ENHANCEMENT TEAM



INTRODUCTIONS

Councilmember Raul Gonzalez, District 2

Councilmember Victoria Farrar-Myers,
District 7

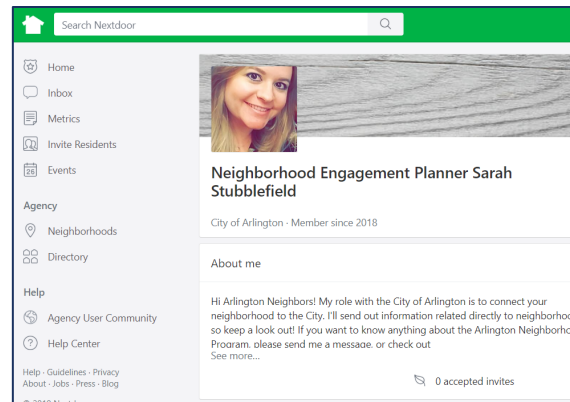
City Staff

- Library
 - Cristen Williams
- Public Works
 - Mike Davis
- Code Compliance
 - Lisa Duncan
- Neighborhood Enhancement Team
 - Curtis Jones
 - Robert Rodriguez
 - Neal Lucas

NEIGHBORHOOD ENGAGEMENT

- KNOW YOUR CITY
- KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS
- BUILD-UP NEIGHBORHOODS TOGETHER
- CONNECT neighborhoods to departmental programs and resources – “no wrong door”
- COMMUNICATE with neighbors as a component of City-wide communications
- COLLABORATE on new and existing neighborhood initiatives
- ASSIST with neighborhood issues

Follow the City of Arlington on Nextdoor



Reserve the Block Party Trailer for your Neighborhood



The image shows an application form for the Arlington Home Improvement Incentive Program. The form includes the Arlington logo, a section for "Application Received on:" and "By: Office of Strategic Initiatives", and a heading "APPLICATION HOME IMPROVEMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM". The form also includes a "Program Purpose" section, an "Eligibility" section, and a list of requirements with checkboxes.

Program Purpose
The Arlington Home Improvement Incentive Program (AHIP) is available as a one-time tax rebate for improvements to single-family residences in the City of Arlington. Property owners are eligible for ten times their city property tax increase up to \$5,000 after improvements have been made.

Eligibility
Owners of single-family residences in Arlington are eligible to apply for the AHIP if the following minimum requirements are met:

- The home is in Arlington, Texas
- The property is a single-family residence that is currently occupied
- The property owner plans to invest at least \$20,000 into the home
- The property owner is not delinquent in property taxes or other fees owed to the City of Arlington
- No proposed improvements are started until the property owner has executed an incentive agreement with the City of Arlington
- Improvements are completed within 24 months of executing an incentive agreement with the City of Arlington

Apply for the Arlington Home Improvement Incentive Program



Apply for the Neighborhood Matching Grant

Questions for Neighborhood Programs?

neighborhoods@arlingtontx.gov





SAFETY TIPS & START A COMMUNITY WATCH GROUP

- Keep yourself and your property safe from would be criminals
 - Keep your vehicle locked to prevent Burglary of Motor Vehicle (BMV)
 - Hide your valuables/property in your car
 - Be aware of your surroundings while walking
 - Call 911 if you observe suspicious behavior
- Start or Join your local Community Watch Group
 - Be the eyes and ears for your neighborhood
 - Receive and give information with the police to prevent continuation of criminal acts
 - Contact South District Crime Prevention Officer Tim Hayden for more information about starting a Community Watch Group at 817.459.6468 or Timothy.Hayden@arlingtontx.gov



Questions for Police?



WELCOME TO



ARLINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY



Cristen Williams

Library Service Manager – Neighborhood Services &
Volunteer Management

Cristen.Williams@arlingtontx.gov

LIBRARY AT A GLANCE



- Seven locations open in Arlington.
- We provide literacy tools to support students, families, and lifelong learners.
- Public computer access, WiFi and FAX/Photocopier available
- Free programs include bilingual early literacy story times; GED, ESL, and other adult education classes; and events for seniors.
- Study rooms available at Downtown and East
- Collection of books, DVDs, CDs, and more. Books in Spanish, Vietnamese, French, and other languages are available, as well as e-books and e-audio books.

A central graphic with a light grey background. It features a collage of various books in different colors (orange, teal, red, blue) and orientations. Interspersed among the books are white line-art icons: a lightbulb, a clock, a speech bubble, a tree, a beaker, and an envelope. Dotted lines connect some of these elements. The central text is arranged as follows:

DISCOVER
★ YOUR ★
story

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE
JUNE 1-JULY 31

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE HIGHLIGHTS

- Free Summer meals ages 1-17 at East and Southeast Branches
- Virtual and in person programs available for all ages
- Adult programs
 - Makerspace Escape Room
 - A Talk on Jane Austen
 - Succulents and Cactus Gardening
 - And more!!!



UNITY ART AND POETRY CONTEST

- Arlington Residents are encouraged to submit an art piece or poetry from April 1 through April 30 that reflects what unity looks like to you.
- Contest is open to school-age children, teens and adults
- Winning entries will be displayed at the George W. Hawkes Downtown Library lobby
- More information can be found at <https://arlingtonlibrary.org/unity-art-poetry-contest>.





**ARLINGTON
PUBLIC LIBRARY**
ARLINGTON TEXAS

Questions for Library?



PUBLIC WORKS

NATHAN LOWE RD UPDATE

- Joint Project with Tarrant County to resurface Nathan Lowe Rd from Cooper St to Matlock Rd
- Project cost \$811,445,11
- Anticipated completion late July 2021

- Mike Davis, Operations Supervisor
 - Michael.Davis@arlingtontx.gov
 - 817-459-6548



Questions for Public Works?

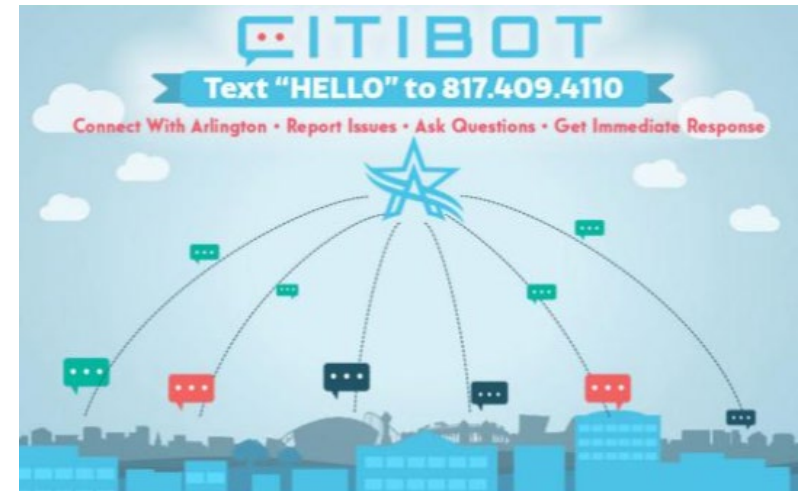
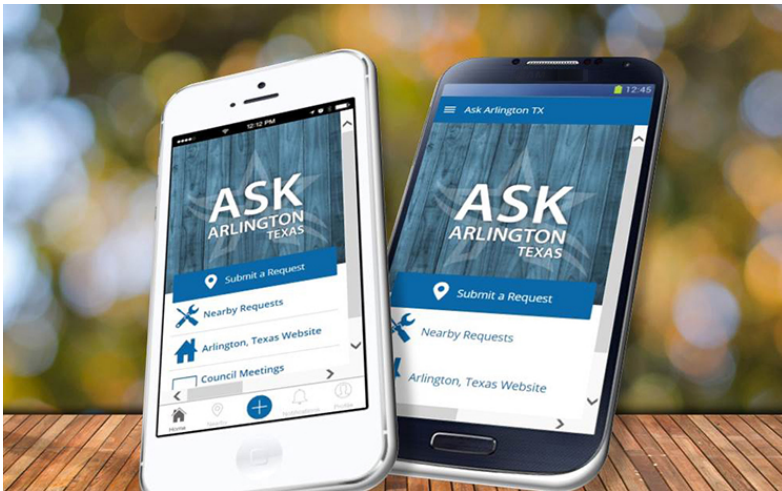


CODE COMPLIANCE RESOURCES



CODE COMPLIANCE
SERVICES

REPORTING CODE VIOLATIONS



- Download the Ask Arlington app on your smartphone
- Call the Action Center 817-459-6777
- City of Arlington website – arlingtontx.gov
- Code Compliance Officer Jerry Pollard
 - Jerry.pollard@arlingtontx.gov
 - 817-459-5378

CODE RANGER PROGRAM

Mission of the Code Ranger Program

To promote healthy neighborhoods through connecting the community to city resources in an effort to establish and grow positive relationships between the citizens and Code Compliance Services.

Sign up for a Class!

Robert Lawless

817-459-5865

code@arlingtontx.gov



TOOL SHARING PROGRAM

- Borrow Tools Free of Charge
- We are Mobile!
- Reserve Online or by Phone
- www.arlingtontx.gov/tools
- 817-459-6777



NEIGHBORHOOD ENHANCEMENT TEAM



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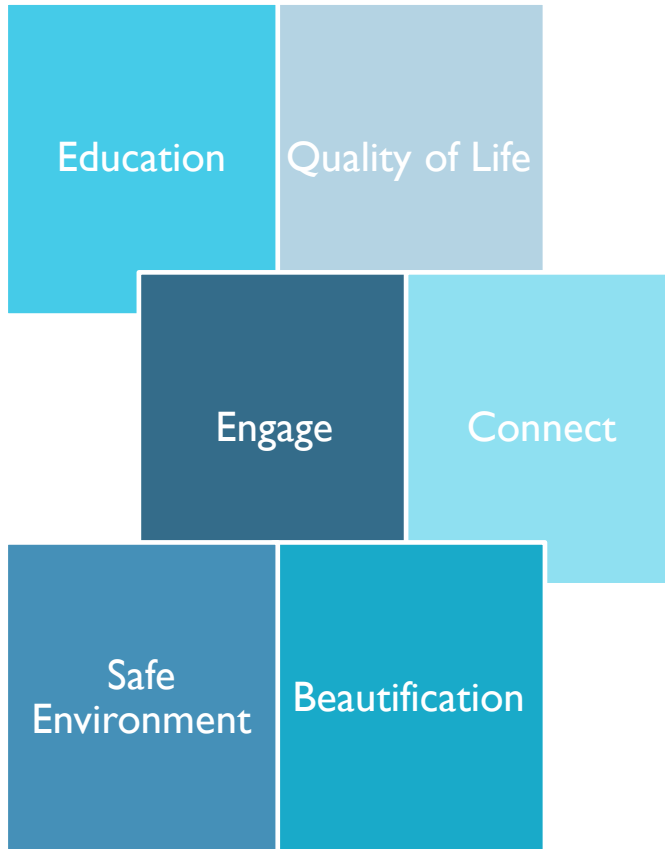
WHO ARE WE?

Curtis Jones & Robert Rodriguez – Senior Code Compliance Officers

Neal Lucas – Field Operations Manager

Jerry Pollard – Neighborhood Code Compliance Officer

Strategic Planning, Police, Fire, Public Works,
Water, Parks, Library



WHAT IS OUR
MISSION?

HOW ARE WE DIFFERENT?

- Education focused
- Neighborhood specific
- Proactive outreach
- Community meetings
- Collaborative approach



How Can We Help?

The Neighborhood Enhancement Team is currently partnering with your community to connect you with city resources, volunteers, and your neighbors.

If you have a neighborhood concern, need assistance, or would like to get involved please reach out!

www.arlingtontx.gov/net
Ver el revés para español



We're Sorry We Missed You!

Please contact us to discuss:

- Tall Weeds and Grass
- Trash and Debris
- Vehicle Parking
- Nuisance Vehicle
- Dilapidated Fence
- Recycling Bin/Trash
- Outside Storage
- Tree Limbs
- Stagnant Water
- _____

Notes:

Date: _____

For more information about the City's Neighborhood Enhancement Team, please visit www.arlingtontx.gov/codecompliance and click on the Get Involved link.

Ver el revés para español

Neighborhood Selection
Data & Requests

Community Meeting

Proactive Outreach

Connect Dots

Build Relationships

Wrap Up

OUR MODEL

SOUTH HAMPTON COMMUNITY

- Carthage Way, White Dove, Swan Lake
- 416 parcels
- 185 parcels (44%) with code violations
- Trending concerns – Recycle Bins, Unclean Premises and Outside Storage



TYPICAL CODE VIOLATIONS

- High Weeds & Grass
- Dilapidated Fence
- Unclean Premises
- Outside Storage
- Nuisance Landscape
- Overhanging tree limbs
- Parking in the yard
- Trash out too early
- Stagnant Water
- Nuisance Vehicles



TIMELINE

- April 22nd – Proactive Outreach
- May 22nd – Community Cleanup Day





COMMUNITY CLEANUP DAY MAY 22ND

- Special curbside trash pickup on Saturday 12 p.m.
- Tool Sharing Program
- Do you or a neighbor need help?
- Get involved!



TIMELINE

- June 4th – Follow Up Conversations
- June 18th – Wrap Up Newsletter
- Code Compliance Officer Jerry Pollard
 - 817-459-5378
 - Jerry.Pollard@arlingtontx.gov



HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Join our email list
 - Notification of upcoming volunteer opportunities
 - Send out resident assistance requests
 - Share success stories
- Give us a call
 - Curtis Jones
 - 817-459-5359
 - Curtis.Jones@arlingtontx.gov
 - Robert Rodriguez
 - 817-459-5303
 - Robert.Rodriguez@arlingtontx.gov
- Recommend a neighborhood





QUESTIONS?

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING!