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## A Weekly Wrap Up of All Things Addison!

June 8, 2018

### Council Updates

#### Council to Discuss Town's Strategic Plan at Special Meeting

The Council will be discussing the Town's Strategic Plan as well as setting goals for Fiscal Year 2019 at a Special Meeting on Monday, June 11 at 4pm at the Addison Treehouse, 14681 Midway Road. The meeting, which is open to the public, will be livestreamed on the Town's website [here](#).

#### Wind Turbine Lawsuit Settlement Update

The Town of Addison has received the \$800,000 portion of our wind turbine lawsuit settlement. The future use of those funds will be discussed during the Fiscal Year 2019 budget development process. On May 29, Town Staff received notification from Landmark Structures of their schedule for removal of the wind turbines. The electrical decommissioning of the system was completed on June 5 and the removal of the wind turbines and water tower roof repair is scheduled to begin on Tuesday, June 12 and is expected to take 5 days (weather permitting). Once the removal and repair work are complete, the settlement requirements will be met. The Town's outside legal counsel is already in the process of taking the necessary steps to wrap up the lawsuit appropriately.

#### Dannenbaum Engineering Selected for Sewer Design

On March 24, 2018, the Town of Addison received [notice](#) from the City of Farmers Branch that it would be canceling a long-standing sewer arrangement between the two cities due to a dispute related to Farmers Branch Creek. Addison has one unmetered sewer line that flows into Farmers Branch's system on the west side of town. Based on the terms of an agreement that dates back to the early 1990s, Addison compensates Farmers Branch for this arrangement. Addison has installed a temporary meter on that line

as a short-term fix until a permanent solution can be put in place.

At the Council Meeting on April 24, Council directed staff to move forward on a new gravity sewer collection line to re-route sewer flows away from the Farmers Branch system to an adjacent Addison basin already connected to Trinity River Authority meter station. During the May 22 meeting, Council approved a professional services agreement with Dannenbaum Engineering Corp in an amount not to exceed \$309,961 for the design of the new sewer improvements. The design is expected to take approximately six months and the construction is expected to take approximately 10 months, weather permitting.

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### Upcoming Public Hearing

The following public hearing will take place at the June 12 City Council meeting. The full meeting agenda will be available [here](#) three days prior to the meeting.

Case 1777-SUP/Flower Child. Public hearing on a recommendation regarding an ordinance changing the zoning on property located at 5290 Belt Line Road, Suite 100 (the former Pollo Tropical restaurant), which is currently zoned Local Retail and contains an existing Special Use Permit, by approving a new Special Use Permit for a restaurant with the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption only, in order to allow an expansion in floor area.

### Public Safety

### AFD Responds to Apartment Fire



Addison, Carrollton, and Farmers Branch crews responded to an apartment fire in the 4800 block of Westgrove Drive in Addison early Sunday morning, June 2. Thanks to our Quad Cities partners, Town of Addison Police Department and North Texas Emergency Communication Center for all the help. Also, a

huge thank you to the American Red Cross who also responded and gave most of the displaced residents gift cards. Most of the residents have been placed in new apartment homes.

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**Join Us For The Kids and Cops Spring Cookout on June 9**



We invite you to the spring Kids and Cops cookout from 11am-3pm on June 9 at Les Lacs Park. Don't miss out on a chance to meet Addison Police Officers while enjoying music, inflatables, free food sponsored by Blue Goose Cantina, games, photo opportunities, and giveaways! Many thanks to the Addison Rotary Club and Addison Midday Rotary Club for making this great event possible.

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**Phoenix Award Presented to AFD Personnel for Lifesaving Efforts**



The morning of May 24, Addison Fire Department crews responded to a medical emergency call in a hotel in Farmers Branch. They found an unresponsive patient in cardiac arrest and by using advanced life support procedures, they were able to save the patient's life. The AFD received positive comments from the hospital staff and family.

On June 4, AFD personnel Larry Sparks, Keith Davis, Adam Montgomery, Jake Metdker, and Cody Clemons were presented a "Phoenix Award" for saving this patient's life. Their actions exemplify the dedication and commitment of the public servant to protect life and property. Thank you all for your service.

**Business Pulse**



### Metrocrest Chamber Hosts After Hours with a Cause



On Tuesday, June 5, the Metrocrest Chamber of Commerce hosted "After Hours With a Cause" at the [Renaissance Dallas Addison Hotel](#) which benefited Metrocrest Services. Held in conjunction with the Renaissance Hotel's Global Day of Discovery, the event was an opportunity for Renaissance General Manager Brian Short and Director of Sales Francie Syron to showcase the hotel's new renovations to a full house that included Mayor Joe Chow and Council Members Ivan Hughes, Lori Ward, and Marlin Willesen.

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### Do You Have Your Tickets for the Fifth Annual Economic Development Luncheon on June 14?



Join us for the Fifth Annual Addison Economic Development Luncheon, *For the Love of Cities: How to fall in love with your city!* on Thursday, June 14 from 11:30am-1pm at the Dallas/Addison Marriott Quorum by the Galleria. Tickets are \$25 per person or reserve a table of eight for \$400. Tickets are available [here](#).

Peter Kageyama is the author of *For the Love of Cities: The Love Affair Between People and Their Places* and the follow-up, *Love Where You Live: Creating Emotionally Engaging Places*. He is an internationally sought-after community development consultant and grassroots engagement strategist who speaks all over the world about bottom-up community development and the amazing people who are making change happen.

Here's an added bonus this year: Spectrum Reach, our door prize sponsor, has donated a 40" Samsung UHD Smart TV, Fitbit Ionic, and Google Home door prize package valued at more than \$1,000.

**Around Town**

**Addison Summer Series Goes to the Dogs this Friday!**



The Jordan Kahn Orchestra rocked the Circle on Friday, June 1 as Addison kicked off Summer Series. Not only did the band have everyone of their feet, but the free Hubert's lemonade and games provided by [Jumbo Wars](#) were also a big hit with the hundreds of people who came out to enjoy the night. Skinny Pizza joined in the fun selling pizza to those who didn't pack a picnic.

Grab your fur baby and join us in Beckett Park this Friday, June 8 from 7pm - 9pm for a dog-themed evening featuring FREE live music by Hot Soup. Be sure to take advantage of the nearby [restaurant offers](#) and [hotel packages](#) to stay the night afterward! Please visit [AddisonSummerSeries.com](#) for the full schedule and more information.

**Come See Art in Action!**



Swing by this Saturday, June 9, to catch a glimpse of the new sculpture in progress at 4505 Beltway Drive next to the Hampton Inn. Eliseo is the same artist who created the "[Let's Play](#)" dog sculpture at the entrance of Spruill Dog Park.

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**Big D BBQ Battle is Back in Addison on June 9**





On Saturday, June 9 from 5pm - 9pm at Addison Circle Park, the Big D BBQ Battle cook-off competition brings the best brisket, chicken, pork ribs, pork shoulder, and pinto beans to the table in an all-out battle for bragging rights to be "the best BBQ in North Dallas."

The first 1,000 people through the gate will have the opportunity to cast their vote for this year's "People's Choice" award! [Tickets](#) include BBQ samples, local craft beer, car show midway, kids zone, and more - while supplies last.

This event, hosted by the North Dallas Chamber of Commerce, benefits the Guns and Hoses Foundation of North Texas, an organization dedicated to assisting the families of fallen first responders who have lost their lives in the line of duty.

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### **Belt Line Road Enhancement Project Public Input Meeting**

The consultant for Belt Line Road enhancement project, Pacheco Koch, will be hosting the second public input opportunity for "Belt Line 1.5" on June 20 at the Addison Treehouse. This meeting will be a flexible format where the community is invited to come anytime between 4:30pm and 6:30pm in order to review the proposed master plan for the enhancements and the proposed design palette. There will be various stations set up that participants can rotate between at their own pace in order to gather information about the project and provide input. We hope to see you there.

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### **Texas Smartscape: Water U Doing? Water Efficient Sprinklers**



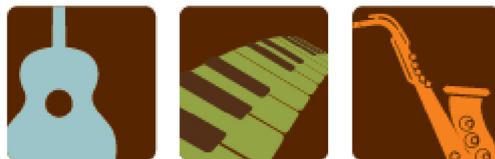


What are you doing for your landscape? Save water, money, and time by giving your sprinkler system a "Spruce Up." Come learn how minor do-it-yourself repairs and simple irrigation tips can make a MAJOR impact on your water waste and your water bill. If you've got questions about your controller or how much your lawn and landscape really needs, we've got a stream of info to get your plants looking their best! The cost is free, so [register now](#).

**Monday, June 11**  
**6:30pm - 8:30pm**  
**Surveyor Water Tower**  
**4000 Arapaho Road**

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### Vitruvian Nights Live Is Back!



## VITRUVIAN NIGHTS LIVE

Vitruvian Nights Live returns to the beautiful Amphitheater at Vitruvian Park on Thursday, June 14. Don't miss live music and gourmet food trucks every other Thursday from 7pm - 9:30pm through August 9.

### Performance Dates and Live Bands:

- June 14 - Emerald City (Party Band)
- June 28 - Warehouse (Dave Matthew Tribute Band)
- July 12 - King George (George Strait Tribute Band)
- July 26 - The Landsharks (Jimmy Buffett Tribute Band)

August 9 - Blaze of Glory (Bon Jovi Tribute Band)

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### Belt Line Road Update

The Belt Line Road Overlay Project continues to make progress. TexasBit, the Town's contractor for the project, has started sealing the concrete joints. The purpose of sealing joints is to minimize infiltration of surface materials, such as water and dirt, to prolong pavement life by providing protection to the concrete subgrade. TexasBit is also making repairs to the concrete street, curb ramps, and sidewalks. Once complete, they will begin to place the new asphalt and pavement markings. We anticipate the asphalt replacement starting at the end of June. The project is currently on schedule and we anticipate completion in July.

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**Friday, June 8**  
**Summer Series - Hot Soup**  
Beckert Park  
7pm  
[Click for full schedule](#)

**Saturday, June 9**  
**Big D BBQ Battle**

**Tuesday, June 12**  
**City Council Meeting**  
Town Hall  
5300 Belt Line Road  
7:30pm  
*Agenda will be posted [here](#) three days prior to the meeting.*

Addison Circle Park  
5pm

[Grab your tickets!](#)

**Monday, June 11**

**Special City Council Meeting**

Addison TreeHouse  
14681 Midway Road  
4:00pm

Agenda will be posted [here](#) three days prior to the meeting.

**Thursday, June 14**

**Fifth Annual Addison Economic Development Luncheon**

Dallas/Addison Marriott Quorum by the Galleria  
11:30am

[Buy Tickets Here](#)

**Important Links and Numbers**

**Town Hall:**

[972.450.7000](tel:972.450.7000)

Sign up for [Addison Alerts](#)

[List of Restaurants](#)

**Non-emergency Police Dispatch:**

[972.450.7156](tel:972.450.7156)

[Addison News Blog](#)

**Missed Trash:**

[972.392.9300](tel:972.392.9300)

[Watch City Council Meetings](#)

[Community Crime Map](#)

**Athletic Club:**

[972.450.7048](tel:972.450.7048)

[Addison's PEG Channel](#)

(channel 99 for AT&T subscribers, channel 16 for Spectrum subscribers)

[Pay a utility bill](#)

[Volunteer](#)

[Register your Security Alarm](#)

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