# Welcome to Hedwig Village



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#### **City History**

Hedwig Village was incorporated as a City by election in December 1954. Harris County Commissioners Court recorded the results of the election into their meeting minutes the same year. The City was named after Hedwig Schroeder, a long-time resident at the time of the election. The City park is also named in her honor. The City holds an election every year on the first Saturday in May. Mayor and Council Positions 1 and 5 are elected in odd-numbered years. Council Positions 2, 3, and 4 are elected in even-numbered years.

#### Hedwig Village Website

The City's website has useful information including a City calendar with dates and times of meetings, court dates, and other events - <u>www.hedwigtx.gov</u>

#### **Elected City Council Officials**

Mayor Tom Jinks	<u>Jinks@hedwigtx.gov</u>
Council Position 1 Scott Davis	<u>sdavis@hedwigtx.gov</u>
Council Position 2 Patrick Breckon	<u>pbreckon@hedwigtx.gov</u>
Council Position 3 Clay Trozzo	ctrozzo@hedwigtx.gov
Council Position 4 Matt Woodruff	<u>mwoodruff@hedwigtx.gov</u>
Council Position 5 Shirley Rouse	srouse@hedwigtx.gov
Police Chief David Gott	<u>dgott@hedwigtx.gov</u>
City Administrator Wendy Baimbridge	wbaimbridge@hedwigtx.gov

#### **City Council Meetings**

City Council meetings will be held, beginning September 2021, on the second Thursday of the month at City Hall, located at 955 Piney Point Road, starting at 6:30 p.m. All residents are invited to attend and participate.

# **City Services**

#### Communication

The City has an email notification system for fast communication with the residents. The link to sign up is on the homepage of the City's website.

#### Hedwig Village Police Department

The Hedwig Police Department is located at 9000 Gaylord. The department is operational all day, every day and fully staffed. Visit their webpage at <u>www.hedwigtx.gov/page/police\_home</u>.

#### Village Fire Department

The Village Fire Department is located at 901 Corbindale Road. The department serves all six Memorial Villages. Their website is <u>www.villagefire.org</u>.

#### Trash and Recycling Service

The City has contracted with Texas Pride to collect household trash and recycling within the residential districts of the City.

- The household trash collection days are Wednesday and Saturday.
- The collection day for recycling is Wednesday.
- Trash and recycling should be ready for pickup by 7:00 a.m. on the collection days. However, pickup can occur between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- The City offers backdoor trash and recycling service. However, both trash and recycling must be visible from the street and NOT inside or behind a garage, fence, carport, gate, or building.
- Yard waste must be placed curbside and should not exceed 50 pounds. Tree limbs should be trimmed to no more than 4 foot in length and bundled.
- Construction debris, dirt, rocks, concrete, liquid paints, fuels, oils, fertilizer, pesticides, batteries, and tires will NOT be collected.

- Heavy/bulk trash is limited to 2 items per collection day and must be placed curbside.
- The list of acceptable recyclable items is available on the City's website or at <u>www.texaspridedisposal.com/recycle.</u>

#### City Park

The City Park is located on Corbindale Road across the road from the fire station. The park has play areas for children, a covered pavilion, and picnic tables. The park can be reserved for gatherings, with restrictions, by Hedwig Village residents. Contact City Hall to reserve at 713-465-6009.

## **Helpful Information**

#### Burglar Alarm Registration

The City does require the registration of your burglar alarm system. See the City website for the form or for your convenience, a form is attached. This is an annual registration.

#### **Dog Registration**

The City does require your pet dog(s) to be registered. See the attached form or the City's website. Bring a current rabies vaccination record along with the registration form and \$3.00 per dog. This is an annual registration.

#### **Historical Marker**

Visit the historical marker located at the corner of Piney Point and Gaylord. The historical marker shares fun facts about the Spring Branch area.

#### **Spring Branch Memorial Library**

The City is home to the Spring Branch Memorial Library, one of many branches of the Harris County Library System. The library is located on

Corbindale Road next to the City Park. Their website is <a href="https://www.hcpl.net/branch/spring-branch-memorial-branch-library">https://www.hcpl.net/branch/spring-branch-memorial-branch-library</a>

#### Voter Registration

The City of Hedwig Village holds its General Election on the first Saturday in May. In order to vote in the Hedwig Village elections, you must update your voter registration with your current Hedwig Village address. Your voter registration must be updated at least thirty (30) days before the election.

#### Permits – Frequently Asked Questions

#### What are the common projects that require a permit?

Repair or replacement of a roof, fences, water heaters, or AC units.

Interior or exterior remodels that add or take away square footage from the original structure.

All remodels that will require relocating electrical, plumbing, or mechanical lines.

If removing a tree for any reason, a tree permit is required.

Applications are available on the City's website under the Construction tab.

#### What can I do without a permit?

Replacement of flooring, tile, cabinetry, paint and replace existing fixtures in their original location, such as sinks, toilets, faucets, electrical fixtures, and drywall.

#### When is the approval from Memorial Villages Water Authority required?

Any project that requires digging or trenching, such as sewer, drainage, swimming pools, or irrigation.

#### Can the city recommend a contractor?

No, we do not. However, we will require all contractors to comply with providing all credentials and to become registered with our city in order for them to serve our residents.

#### Should I go through the City of Houston to pull any type of permit?

No, all permits are processed and issued by the City of Hedwig Village.

Should I be using Hedwig Village, TX or Houston, TX for my address? Use Hedwig Village, TX 77024

Contact LuzDenny in the Building Department at 713-465-6009 or <u>permits@hedwigtx.gov</u> with any questions or concerns.

## Helpful Phone Numbers

Hedwig Village City Hall	713-465-6009
www.hedwigtx.gov	
Hedwig Village Police Department	713-461-4797
http://hedwigtx.gov/page/police_home	
Village Fire Department	713-468-7941
http://villagefire.org/	
Memorial Village Water Authority	713-465-8318
https://mvwa.org/	
Spring Branch ISD Tax Office	713-251-7960
CenterPoint Energy (power outages)	713-207-2222
Memorial Spring Branch Library	713-464-1633
Harris County Annex	713-224-1919
Harris County Flood Control	713-684-4000
Harris County Hazardous Waste	346-286-4299
Harris County Voting Information	713-755-6965
Texas Pride (trash & recycling)	281-342-8178

## Car Stickers

Attached are vehicle stickers for two vehicles in your household. The sticker has the City logo and should be placed on the rear window on the driver's side. Please remember to remove the sticker when you sell your vehicle.



#### CITY OF HEDWIG VILLAGE APPLICATION FOR BURGLAR ALARM SYSTEM

Full Name of Applicant or Business Name:		
Street Address of Alarm Site:		
	(Include su	ite or room number, if applicable)
Check	One: Business	Residence
IF A BUSINESS, PLEASE COM	PLETE THIS SECT	ION:
Contact Person:		
Home Phone:	Bus	iness Phone:
Phone Number at Alarm Site:	·	
Occupant's Business Phone:_		
Two Persons to Be Notified i	n Case of Activa	ted Alarm System and Owner cannot be Located:
Name:		Phone:
Name:		Phone:
Name and Phone Number of	Phone Compan	y Monitoring Your Alarm:
Name:		Phone:
Automatic Shut-Off? Yes	No	Automatic Shut-Off is required by ordinance
FEES New: *(S	ee fee Schedule	Renewal\$25.00
*January 1 thru March 31:		
April 1 thru June 30: July 1 thru September 30:	\$37.00 \$25.00	
October 1 thru December 31:		Signature of Applicant



### CITY OF HEDWIG VILLAGE DOG LICENSE APPLICATION

License Number:
Owner's Name:
Address:
Phone:
Description of Dog (including name of dog):
Issuance Date:
Expiration Date:
Veterinarian:
Rabies Tag Number:
Receipt Number:
Date Paid:

Angie Ventura Permit Clerk