

Live and Play Along the Bay



Coastal Living, Texas Charm, and Why League City is Houston's Best Suburb



League City has a unique vibe, and that's partly thanks to our ideal location in Bay Area Houston. Situated near the Texas Gulf Coast, League City residents enjoy quick escapes to the beach and the many perks of island life on Galveston Island—just a 30-minute drive south. Our northern border is defined by Clear Creek, a meandering body of water ideal for paddling, boating, and fishing. The creek flows eastward into Clear Lake, finally opening up into Galveston Bay, where sailing is a popular pastime. Just north of Clear Creek is NASA Johnson Space Center, where some of the world's most brilliant minds go to work. Downtown Houston isn't far either. In less than 30 minutes you can visit Minute Maid Park and see the Astros play, head to a world-class museum, or catch a performance in the Theater District. But it's not just our location that makes League City a special place.







We've got a little bit of everything... and a whole lotta heart



With towering oak trees lining the streets and hibiscus flowers blooming brightly, League City is a dash of southern, a touch of tropical, and 100% Texas.

Our historic homes and buildings harken back to simpler times, while our state-of-the-art healthcare facilities, master-planned communities, and commercial growth provide everything residents need to enjoy life in our fast-growing suburb.

You'll see kids riding their bikes outside—often with fishing poles in tow—and you'll discover that many local families live for Friday night football, weekend baseball, and summer swim team. School-aged children receive a quality education at **Clear Creek Independent School District**, one of the state's topperforming districts.







A true Texas town, League City holds a deep and lasting connection with **Texas Longhorn cattle**. We've got an entire museum dedicated to preserving this history, and telling the story of how our founding families helped preserve this iconic cattle breed. The **Butler Longhorn Museum** houses the largest longhorn collection in the world.

Clear Creek offers endless recreational opportunities, while also providing a habitat for hundreds of plant and animal species including alligators, wading birds, fish, and sprawling trees draped in Spanish moss. Take a leisurely paddle on the **Clear Creek Paddle Trail**, and you'll see something new each time.

Our residents represent a **diversity of backgrounds** and **lifestyles**. You may find out that your neighbor is an astronaut, or learn that owning a houseboat in the marina is a popular way to experience waterfront living. But no matter what part of town you call home or who you run into, you'll always find that League City welcomes newcomers with open arms, and we're glad you're here.

City Profile

History

The founding families of League City were the Butler, Coward, and Perkins families. They traveled to the Clear Lake area around 1854 from Louisiana, with the goal of establishing a cattle ranching operation. By the mid 1870s, George Washington Butler—the patriarch of the Butler family—became a successful and influential stock breeder, and over the years served as



G.W. Butler

the local Postmaster and the County Commissioner. Butler also constructed the first school in League City and planted the famous "Butler Oaks" that line Main Street today. His son, Milby Butler, was born in 1889. Milby would go on to play a significant role in saving the Longhorn Cattle breed from extinction through selective breeding efforts. You can learn more about this influential family at the Butler Longhorn Museum.

League City gets its name from John Charles (J.C.)
League. An adept financier from Galveston, League
invested in land here and spearheaded infrastructure
projects—building roads and designating land for
parks, churches, and schools. In fact, League donated
the land where League Park is located today, with the
hope of creating a public gathering place for events;
a dream that is still being realized to this day.
With League's development acumen and the
Butler family's commitment to creating a thriving
community, League City blossomed.











League City's first bank (now Butler's Courtyard, an event venue)



GH&H Railroad Stop



G.W. Butler and friends at his ranch

Once a small bedroom community known for "friendly folks and majestic oaks," League City is now one of the fastest growing cities in Texas and the US. Our safe suburb is the ideal place to live, work, and raise and family. Plus, we've got a lot of other bragging rights!

Awards and Accolades

No. 8 Best City in America for Families (Apartment List)

No. 10 America's Safest Cities with a Population over 100,000 (24/7 Wall St.)

No. 16 America's Most Livable Mid-sized Cities (SmartAsset)

No. 19 Fastest Growing Cities in the U.S. (24/7 Tempo)

No. 20 Best Suburb in America for Growing Families (GoBanking Rates)

Room to Grow

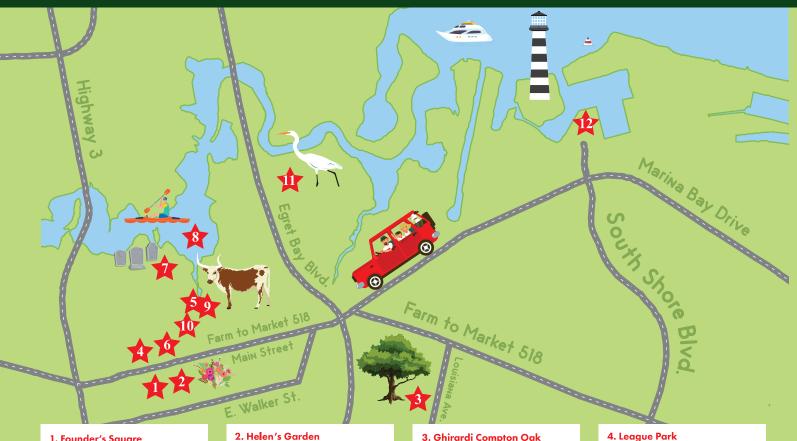
League City is the largest city in Galveston County with 32% of the population. Nearly 40% of League City's 53 square miles of land has yet to be developed. In the next 20-30 years, the population is expected to double.



Population	110,598	
Median Age	36.2	
Average Household Size	2.79	
Average Household Income	\$120,866	
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	45.7%	



Explore These 12 League City Landmarks



1. Founder's Square 501 E. Main St. (FM 518)



701 E. Main St. (FM 518)



Ghirardi Compton Oak
 1910 Louisiana Ave.



4. League Park 512 2nd St. (FM 518)



5. Italian Heritage Museum 1220 Coryell St.



6. Butler's Courtyard 122 N. Michigan Ave.



7. Fairview Cemetery 901 N. Kansas Ave.



8. Clear Creek 1220 Coryell St.



9. Butler Longhorn Museum 1220 Coryell St.



10. West Bay Common School Children's Museum 210 N Kansas Ave.



11. Dr. Ned and Fay Dudney Clear Creek Nature Center 1220 Egret Bay Blvd.



12. South Shore Harbour Resort and Marina 2500 South Shore Blvd.



For more places to visit in League City, go to VisitLeagueCity.com

- This shopping center is made up of stores located inside 100-year old homes that were saved from demolition and moved to the current location. One of the stores, Nana's Attic, was the home of Italian immigrants Dora and Joe Arolfo. Their grandson Johnnie was League City's first mayor.
- Helen's Garden
 This beautiful garden sits on land that used to be a busy stop for the Galveston, Houston, and Henderson Railroad in the late 1800s. Today it's a pretty place to take photos or even get married.
- Ghirardi Compton Oak
 This tree used to sit along Main Street but was moved to the Ghirardi WaterSmart Park when Main Street was widened. It is 60 feet high and 100 feet wide. The tree is named after the Ghirardi family who moved to League City from Italy in the early 1900s.
- League Park
 This park was created in 1897 as a place for concerts. The gazebo used to be two stories. The League City town band provided music on the top level, while charity groups sold drinks on the bottom.
- Italian Heritage Museum
 Also known as the Ghirardi House, this newly opened museum tells the story of League City's first Italian immigrants. These 12 families—including the Ghirardi family who lived in the home in the early 1900s—are an important part of League City's heritage.
- Butler's Courtyard

 This building was League City's first bank and the first to be made out of bricks. The front of the building was also the site of a deadly gun fight in the early 1900s. Today it is used for weddings and parties.

- Fairview Cemetery
 Some of the first people who lived in
 League City are buried here, including 18
 who fought in the Civil War. In the early
 1900s, League City families would gather
 at the cemetery to visit and have a picnic.
- Clear Creek
 This creek flows west to east through
 League City and empties into Clear Lake.
 Before 1902, League City was known as
 the town of "Clear Creek." Today you can
 explore the creek by kayak or canoe.
- 9 Butler Longhorn Museum
 The Texas Longhorn cattle breed has a very special connection to League City.
 One of League City's founding families, the Butler family, helped save the Texas Longhorn from extinction. You can learn more about these amazing animals and the Butler family at the Butler Longhorn Museum.
- West Bay Common School
 Children's Museum
 Back in the early 1900s, students of all
 ages attended class in one building with
 one teacher. Visit the schoolhouse and
- Dr. Ned and Fay Dudney
 Clear Creek Nature Center
 League City has 148 acres of wetlands
 along Clear Creek, visited by different
 birds and other wildlife throughout the
 year. The Nature Center is a great place to
 explore and see wildlife.

museum next door to see what it was like

to live in League City 100 years ago.

South Shore Harbour Resort
and Marina
League City has the third largest anchorage
of boats in the United States including
sailboats, powerboats, and pontoon boats.
Check some of them out at this marina and
don't miss the iconic lighthouse.

Parks and Recreational Facilities







Ghirardi Family Watersmart Park

Bark Park at Countryside

*Lynn Gripon Park at Countryside | 100 Alderwood Softball fields, soccer/football field, basketball pavilion, volleyball court, picnic areas, kayak launch, playground, and nature trails.

Bark Park at Countryside | 501 N. Bay Area Blvd.

Three-acre dog park with fenced-in spaces for large and small dogs. Agility equipment, doggy water fountains, and dog wash stations.

*Rustic Oaks Park | 5101 Orange Blossom Ct.

Small pavilion, volleyball court, tennis courts, practice field, fishing pond, trails, playground equipment, and bird viewing areas.

*Newport Park | 2398 Colonial Ct. North

Playground, picnic areas, and basketball courts.

*Chester L. Davis Sportsplex

1251 W. League City Pkwy.

Football field, volleyball courts, soccer fields, baseball fields, softball fields, and three pavilions.

*City Pool | 450 W. Walker St.

Private parties are available at the Municipal Pool during designated times.

*Helen's Garden | 701 E. Main St.

Seasonal flowers, water features, and picnic benches.

*League Park | 512 2nd St.

Gazebo, two basketball courts, picnic areas, benches, and playground.

*Ghirardi Family WaterSmart Park | 1910 Louisiana Ave.

Green roof pavilion, walking trails, playground, rain gardens, outdoor classrooms, cisterns, and watersmart landscapes. The park is home to the over 100-year-old Compton Oak tree.

*Heritage Park | 1220 Coryell St.

Playground, hike and bike trail, kayak launch, fishing pond, Butler Longhorn and Italian Heritage Museums.

Dr. Ned & Fay Dudney Clear Creek Nature Center 1220 N. Egret Bay Blvd.

Nature trails, bird blinds, and picnic areas.

*Bayridge Park | 2913 Mariner Dr.

Softball field, basketball court, picnic areas, and playground.

*Hometown Heroes Park | 1001 E. League City Pkwy.

Pool, soccer fields, basketball gyms, multi-use room, walking trails, and playground.

Big League Dreams Skate Park

1150 Big League Dreams Pkwy.

Skateboarding amenities including stairs, ledges, rails, and hips.

League City Boat Ramp | 1500 N. Egret Bay Blvd.

Boat ramp and parking lot under the FM 270 bridge on Clear Creek.

County Parks Located in League City Walter Hall Park | 807 Highway 3 N.

Soccer fields, baseball fields, kayak and boat launches, fishing pier, sand volleyball courts, picnic areas, playgrounds, and indoor banquet hall.

Challenger 7 Memorial Park | 2301 W. NASA Blvd.

300-acre park with wetlands, playgrounds, fishing, picnic tables, pavilions, boardwalk, hike and bike trails, and boat launches.

Elva Lobit Park | 1901 E. FM 646

Baseball field, football/soccer fields, and picnic area.

* Available to rent for private events. Call 281-554-1180 for more information.

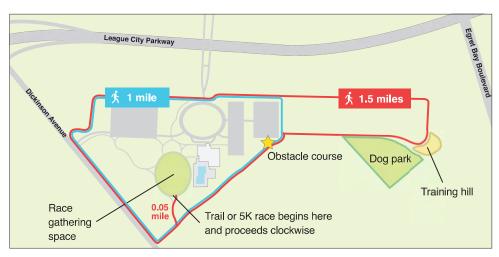
New Amenities and Facilities Coming Soon

Hometown Heroes Park

Construction will begin in 2021 on several new amenities.

5K Loop Trail

A 10-foot-wide decomposed granite trail will provide a place for the training and running of 5K races as well as races of other lengths. The trail will completely encircle the existing park with an additional loop located at an undeveloped portion of the park. Amenities along the trail will include shade trees, rest stops, gathering areas, and lighting.



Hometown Heroes Park 5K Loop Trail and Eastside Dog Park

Fitness/Obstacle course

The trail will connect to a premanufactured fitness system that can be used by youth and adults to increase mobility, agility, and strength.

Eastside Dog Park

A dog park will be constructed adjacent to—but outside of—the trail, within the undeveloped section of the park.

Bay Colony Sportsplex

Design and planning are underway for a second sportsplex.

League City's growing population of families with young children has led to a demand for more youth athletic fields. Phase I of a second city sportsplex, named Bay Colony, is currently under design and will be located on the westside of the city off Ervin Avenue and Calder Drive. Phase I includes softball fields as well as a maintenance facility, parking, lighting, drainage, and trails.

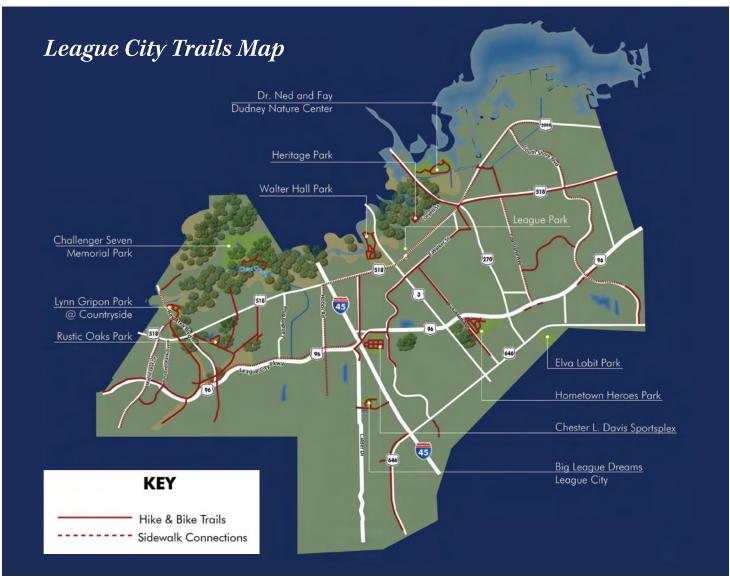
Mountain Bike Course

League City's first dedicated mountain bike course will be constructed in the near future. The course will be located at Lynn Gripon Park at Countryside, to the east of the existing ball fields. Local mountain bike enthusiasts, trail designers, City staff, and other stakeholders have already met to discuss the layout of the trail. Once the City accepts a construction bid and permits are approved, construction will take about eight months.



Hike and Bike Trails

League City's expansive trail system was designed so residents can connect as a community and enjoy all that our city has to offer. Our nearly 50 miles of hike and bike trails not only link parks, neighborhoods, and schools, they also provide a great way to exercise and explore the natural beauty of League City. Whether you walk, run, or ride your bike, pick a trail to explore and get moving.

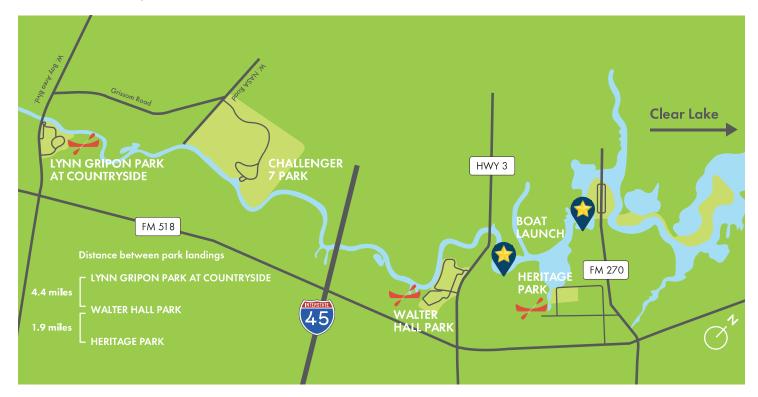






Clear Creek Paddle Trail

Running along the northern border of League City is one of our area's most beautiful natural assets—Clear Creek. One of the best ways to explore the creek is along League City's Clear Creek Paddle Trail, which provides multiple points of entry through designated kayak launches. It begins at Lynn Gripon Park at Countryside (off of Bay Area Blvd. and FM 518) and ends at Heritage Park (by the Butler Longhorn Museum, off of Coryell St.). If you paddle the whole thing, you can expect about 6.3 miles of paddling one way, and 12.6 miles round trip. There's no rule about where to start or where to end.



What to Expect on the Creek

If you launch your kayak from Countryside Park and head east, you will paddle down a somewhat narrow portion of the creek, walled in tightly by dense trees, bushes, and grasses. It has a distinct bayou feel and is incredibly scenic and peaceful. If you launch from Heritage Park and head west, you'll paddle through a wider section of the creek. If you head east, you will eventually end up in Clear Lake. Take time to examine your surroundings and keep your eyes out for birds, reptiles, and mammals as you paddle down the creek. Be sure to bring plenty of water and snacks. You can even pack a whole picnic. With several parks along the trail, it's easy to pull up your kayak and enjoy a relaxing picnic on land before continuing your paddle.





Two New Launches Coming Soon

Design work is underway to create additional launches to the trail, including one at the Dr. Ned and Fay Dudney Nature Center and one at the end of Kansas Avenue.

Kayak Rentals

No kayak? No problem. Clear Creek Kayak Rentals offers weekend kayak rentals along with guided tours of the creek. Visit clearcreekkayaks.com for more information.

Recreational Programming

Parks and Recreation

Throughout the year, League City's award-winning Parks and Recreation Department coordinates programs, activities, and events for children and adults, most of which are held at the Hometown Heroes Recreation Center. Yearly memberships to the rec center are available to residents and non-residents (pricing varies based on age) and includes full use of open gym and aerobic classes. Daily passes are also available. Call 281-554-1180 for more information.



Recreation Center Hours

Monday—Friday 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Saturday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday Noon to 6 p.m.







Activities and Events*

Daddy-Daughter and Mother-Son Dances
Kids Night at the Rec
Astronomy in the Park
Nature and Birding Classes
Movie Nights at the Pool
Winter, Spring, and Summer Camps
Fishing Extravaganza
Family Campout
Dances for Adults with dis "Abilities"



The Parks and Recreation Department has received a gold medal from the Texas Recreation and Park Society.





Programs and Classes*

Mini Chefs
Fencing
Karate
Pickleball
Homeschool PE

Swim Lessons
Water Aerobics
Senior Citizen Art Classes
Adult Fitness Classes
Tennis

^{*}Require registration and creation of Parks and Recreation Account. See page 12 for details.

Youth Athletics

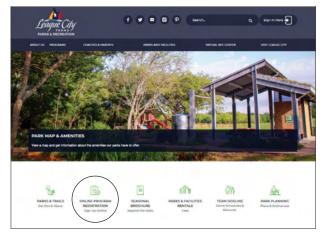
Our robust youth athletics programs are designed to serve League City families and provide kids of all ages with opportunities to participate in the sports they love. Placing kids into sports programs can help them establish friendships while improving their overall health and fitness. Programs are available for boys and girls and include soccer, volleyball, cheerleading, flag football, t-ball, basketball, and more.





Creating a Parks and Recreation Account

Before you, or anyone in your family, can register for a League City recreational activity, class, or athletic program, you will need to create a Parks and Recreation account. You can do so in person at the Hometown Heroes Recreation Center or by going to leagucity.com/parks and clicking on the "online program registration" icon. When creating an account, every family member should be added as a member on one account. A water bill will need to be scanned and emailed to provide proof of residency. Online searches can be done by type of activity or program, activity age, activity name, or by scrolling through the entire program list.



Registering For Recreational Programs and Youth Athletics

In addition to registering online using their Parks and Recreation account, residents can also register in person at the Hometown Heroes Recreation Center. Registration will NOT be accepted before the designated "opening" date, which is provided online and in the "Beyond the Oaks" seasonal brochure.

*Non-residents wishing to participate in League City's recreational and athletic programming can create a Parks and Recreation account but will not be allowed to register until a later date and will be charged a higher fee.

Download the "Beyond the Oaks" Guide

To learn more about City programs, download the Beyond the Oaks parks and recreation brochure by clicking on the Seasonal Brochure icon at leaguecity.com/parks, or pick up a copy at Hometown Heroes park. This seasonal brochure also includes information about local community organizations (not affiliated with the City) that offer team sports including summer and year-round swim teams, lacrosse, football, baseball, softball, and volleyball.







Helen Hall Library

Fifty years ago, a group of citizens established the League City Public Library. In 1985 the library was renamed in honor of charter Library Board member Mrs. Helen Hall, who passed away in 1981. Also in 1981, a bond issue of \$2.5 million was passed to dramatically enlarge the overcrowded 7,000-square-foot building and to completely automate all library functions.



Helen Hall

The addition of the two-story wing and the renovation of the original building was completed in early 1988. The entire library now encompasses over 29,000 square feet.

Getting a Library Card

Getting a Library card is free and easy. Apply online or in person. All you need is current proof of Texas residency like your driver's license, utility bill, insurance, or mail!



Your library card gives you access to books, movies, audiobooks, and music. The library also has a vast collection of online resources including e-books, e-audiobooks, videos, and databases.

Here to Serve You

Librarians trained in Children's Services, Teen Services, Adult Services, Local History Information, and Electronic Services are available to help you with every need from research to finding the perfect book. Programs and services are designed with your needs in mind.





Address and Hours

100 W. Walker, League City, TX 77573 281-554-1111

Monday—Thursday: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday—Saturday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday: 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The Helen Hall Library is the only library in Galveston County that is open on Sundays.

Community Connections

Through outreach efforts and ongoing Library programs, the Library provides support to our local school districts, small businesses, cultural centers, charity organizations, and more. We look forward to seeing you out in the community, and if you're interested in the Library coming to you, please let us know.

Local History Room

Our History Librarian oversees the Local History Room, which collects, preserves, and disseminates information related to the



histories of League City, North Galveston County, and the surrounding Bay Area.

Library Programs, Clubs, and Events

In addition to an extensive collection of books, videos, CDs, and research materials, the Helen Hall Library offers an amazing array of programs and clubs for children, tweens, teens, and adults.

Children Services

Story times are just the beginning of the fun activities the librarians have for children of all ages. We have craft programs, garden programs, and programs for infants. We also offer programs for tweens, often with a STEAM focus or steeped in creativity.



Teen Services

The Teen Librarian designs programs for young adults from 12 to 18 years old. Teens come together in group events to discuss and enjoy their favorite interests like anime, gaming, and storytelling. The Teen Librarian developed the award-winning Teen Book Box program, which is like your favorite mail-order subscription makeup or snack box.



Adult Services

The Adult Services staff works hard to come up with new and interesting programs like local history events, book clubs, writers club, craft programs, and computer classes. There are over 40 computers available to you with printing, scanning, copying, and faxing services.



Electronic Services

If you need help with your computer, tablet, or other handheld device, the Electronic Services Librarian is available to help you. She can also help with access to any of the over 70 online databases.

Volunteer Services

The Library has a robust volunteer program with a wide array of opportunities available to anyone 13 and older. Please contact the Library for more information about becoming a volunteer.

Special Events

Throughout the year, the Helen Hall Library hosts a variety of special events for patrons of all ages.



Visit leaguecitylibrary.org and Facebook.com/HelenHallLibrary for the latest events and programs at the library.

Fire and EMS

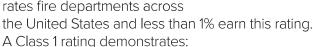
Protecting the health and property of our residents through responsive fire and emergency medical services is a top priority for League City. The time it takes for an ambulance or fire truck to respond to a resident or business is critical. League City is committed to keeping response times low by ensuring staff, resources, and facilities keep pace with our growing community.

League City Volunteer Fire Department

The City's fire department is made up of residents who generously donate their time and skills to keep our League City families safe. Each year, the City hosts a Fire Academy for any resident, 18 or older, who is interested in becoming a volunteer firefighter. For more information and for a list of minimum qualifications, visit leaguecity.com/fire.



LCVFD has earned a Class 1 Public Protection Classification (PPC) rating from ISO, the Insurance Services Office. ISC rates fire departments across



- Quick response to community needs
- Risk mitigation at the highest possible standard
- A stellar commitment to preserve life, property, and environment

A Class 1 rating is also one of the factors used to determine fire insurance premiums for homeowners and businesses. Because of League City's ISO 1 rating, property owners receive lower premium rates.

City Ambulances

A total of four stateof-the-art Mobile Intensive Care Units, more commonly referred to as ambulances, operate



24/7 with licensed paramedics to serve our City. All ambulances are licensed with the state and are capable of advanced life support. When a League City ambulance responds to an emergency medical call, citizens are charged a fee depending on the type of transport they receive.

> **Basic Life Support Transport: \$800** Advanced Life Support-1: \$900 Advanced Life Support-2: \$1100 Non-transport fee: \$150

CPR Classes

League City EMS provides CPR classes once a month for residents and businesses for a nominal fee. Call 281-554-1207 to register.



How would WE reach YOU during an emergency?

League City uses SwiftReach, an emergency notification system, to provide essential information quickly to residents during emergency situations. Emergency alerts sent by the City will communicate the need to evacuate, shelter-in-place, boil water, or avoid areas due to flooding or extreme weather damage. Residents must "opt in" to receive alerts by texting the word "SWIFT911" to 99538 or by registering at leaguecity.com/swiftreach.

The Swift911 Public App is also available to download on your mobile phone. Alerts can be sent simultaneously in voice and text formats to all standard voice and text communication devices, including land line phones, cell phones, and email.

Police Department

Resident safety is of paramount importance to the City of League City. The members of the League City Police Department are dedicated to providing outstanding services to maintain our status as one of America's Safest Cities.

Community Outreach

Through community policing and by forming partnerships with our neighborhoods, businesses, and schools, LCPD directly enhances the quality of life in our city. Outreach and community services provided by LCPD include:

- National Night Out events every October
- Safety presentations to organizations, homeowner associations, and youth groups
- Free home security inspections for residents by a state-certified crime prevention specialist
- Spring and fall sessions of 15-week Citizen Police Academy
- Blue Santa Program

For more information, call LCPD Community Outreach at 281-554-1848



The League City Public Safety Building is located at 555 West Walker Street.



For a police emergency, call 911 LCPD non-emergency number: 281-332-2566

VIP Program

Volunteers in Policing (VIP) was created by the League City Police Department to support and supplement existing police services. VIPs regularly patrol neighborhoods to ensure address numbers are visible to first responders, manage traffic and parking at city events, and enforce code compliance issues including the removal of prohibited signs and the reporting of graffiti and overgrown yards. For more information contact VIP Coordinator, Officer Todd Young at 281-554-1848.

Alarm Permits

League City requires an alarm permit for each residence or business that operates an alarm system in the city limits. LCPD enforces and administers permits. Visit lcpd.com and click on the "online services" icon for more information.

Training is a top priority at LCPD

Our officers undergo double the annual training hours required by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement, with ongoing education in de-escalation tactics, force avoidance, lawful and proper use of force, case law involving searches and seizures, medical training, and more.

Solicitor Permits

League City Solicitor's Ordinance requires people who want to solicit, canvass, or peddle goods to obtain a permit from the League City Police Department. Residents are advised to ask to see this permit and to not conduct business with anyone not in possession of the proper permit. To apply for a permit visit lcpd.com and click on the "permits" tab at the top of the page.



LCPD earned "recognized status" from the Texas Police Chief's association as part of their Texas Best Practices Recognition Program, the new gold standard for Texas law enforcement agencies.

Animal Care and Adoption

League City Animal Care is the only municipal no-kill animal shelter in Galveston County, and takes in more than 2,000 cats and dogs every year, some in dire condition. The center provides stray animal intake, medical treatment, animal training programs, and much more. LCAC staff is dedicated to educating and informing the public of their responsibilities to their animals, their neighborhood, and ultimately to their community. When education is not enough, Animal Protection Officers will enforce City ordinances in order to reduce the dangers caused by irresponsible pet ownership and to protect pets from abuse. **To request an Animal Protection Officer, call LCPD dispatch at 281-332-2566.**





Adopting a Pet from LCAC

LCAC provides shelter animals with training programs, socialization, foster homes, and more to improve their adoption chances. When you adopt a pet, you are providing that animal stability, safety, and the opportunity to thrive. All adoptions include spay or neuter surgery, appropriate vaccinations—including rabies vaccines—and a microchip. You can find adoptable pets at the Adoption Center, at an offsite adoption location, or on the LCAC website. Learn more about adoption at leaguecity.com/animaladoption.

Fostering an Animal

Fostering a dog or cat gives them a break from shelter life, and in some cases provides them with a better shot at survival in situations where they require specialized care. Both short-term and long-term fostering options are available, depending on what your availability and lifestyle can accommodate. Short-term fostering can be as simple as taking a dog out of the shelter for a day to have a walk and some one-on-one attention. Long-term fostering typically ranges from one to eight weeks. Learn more about fostering at leaguecity.com/animalfoster.

For questions about adoption, volunteering, or fostering an animal call 281-554-1377.

LCAC Community Services Rehoming pets

Through the Home-to-Home program, people who can no longer keep their pets have the opportunity to find new, loving homes without having to drop pets off at the shelter. Pets go from one home into another. Learn more at Icpa.home-home.org.

Low-cost services

LCAC partners with organizations that come to the shelter to provide low-cost spay and neuter services, along with low-cost vaccinations. They also offer residents \$5 microchipping services. Follow LCAC on Facebook for updates about upcoming low-cost clinic days at facebook.com/leaguecityanimalcare.

Returning missing pets

LCAC scans for microchips and posts photos of incoming strays to a dedicated Facebook page: facebook.com/lostfoundpetsleaguecitytx



Hours of Operation

Tuesday—Thursday | 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday—Saturday | 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

City Facilities

Most City facilities are open Monday-Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Friday from 7:30 a.m. to noon. Some facilities—like Helen Hall Library and Hometown Heroes Park—have weekend hours. Facilities marked with an asterisk are available for rent. Call 281-554-1000 for rental information.



City Hall | 300 W. Walker St.

Office of the Mayor and City Manager. Get City information or pay your water bill here.

City Hall Annex | 500 W. Walker St.

Building, Planning, Engineering, and Neighborhood Services Departments. Request building permits here.

*Johnnie Arolfo Civic Center | 400 W. Walker St.

Space for City public meetings and events. Ballroom, meeting rooms with kitchen available for rent.

Municipal Court | 200 W. Walker St.

Pay traffic tickets and violations. League City Council meetings are held here.

Helen Hall Library | 100 W. Walker St.

Open Monday—Sunday. Computer lab, history room, and programming available for all ages.

*Recreation Center and Pool | 450 W. Walker St. Multipurpose room and stage available for rent.





Recreation Center and Pool

*Hometown Heroes Park | 1001 E. League City Pkwy. Recreation center with two gyms, kitchen, multipurpose room and stage available for public rental.

Fire Marshal's Office | 555 W. Walker St.

Request fire and safety inspections. Located next to Police Department.

Police Department | 555 W. Walker St.

Public Safety building open 24/7. Emergency Operations room located on the second floor and City jail located next door.

Public Works Operations Center

1701 W. League City Pkwy.

Administrative offices for Public Works Department, including Traffic, Streets, and Water Production divisions.

EMS | 260 FM 270

Emergency Medical Services. CPR classes available to the public here.



Utilities

Stay informed about your water usage by logging onto the water usage tracker, and pay utility bills with ease by signing up for online utility bill pay.

Water Usage Tracker

All League City utility billing customers can sign up for the City's Water Usage Tracker to easily monitor the amount of water they use. By creating a free account, users are able to set alerts, compare their usage versus rainfall, download their data, and compare usage with previous billing periods. Alerts can be programmed through the tracker and will notify residents if their water usage has exceeded their average daily usage. The tracker also provides each meter's details, such as the last meter reading in raw data format, today's usage, and up to date usage for the current billing period.



Utility Bill Pay

Residents have several options for paying utility bills. Visit leaguecity.com/utilitybilling for more details.

Online

Registering for the online customer self-service portal is easy and allows you to view your bill history, set up credit card auto pay,



set up bank draft payment, make a payment, or opt to receive paperless e-bills. The City accepts Visa, MasterCard, and Discover credit cards for one-time or recurring automatic payment.

In person

Make payments in person with a City cashier at City Hall or the drivethru at 300 W. Walker Street.

Hours Monday—Thursday: 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Friday: 7:30 a.m. to noon



Phone

To pay via phone, call 281-554-1357.

Mail

Mailed payments are posted upon the day they are received at the billing office. Please allow time for your mailed payment to arrive to avoid penalties and possible cut off for non-payment. Mail payment to:

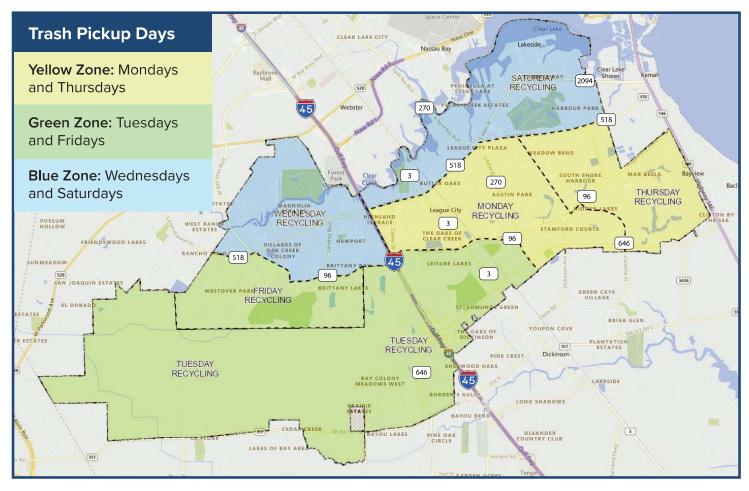
City of League City/Utility Billing P.O. Box 2008 League City, Texas 77573

Night Payment Box

Our night payment box is located in the center of the parking lot between City Hall and the Johnnie Arolfo Civic Center at 300 W. Walker Street. Please note our night box is a silver drop box labeled with a green sign reading "City of League City Utility Payments." It is between the white drop box for Fed Ex and the blue U.S. Postal Service mailbox.

Garbage and Recycling

League City uses AmeriWaste as our primary trash collection provider. The City has three trash zones, and the zone you live in will determine which days your trash is picked up. Trash is collected twice a week, and recycling is collected once a week. Contact 281-554-1411 with questions about what AmeriWaste League City will accept. To request a recycling cart or pick-up of excessive debris, call 281-331-8400.



Trash pickup is between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on pickup days, and customers are asked to have their trash cans placed at the curb by 7 a.m. on their designated days. If your pick-up falls on a holiday, your garbage will be picked up on the next regularly scheduled day for your neighborhood. Garbage will not be picked up on New Year's Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, or Christmas Day.

Heavy Trash

Your heavy trash day is the second collection day of the week. Heavy trash includes all green waste (bagged grass clippings, bundled and tied tree limbs), household appliances such as furniture, washing machines, dryers, stoves and the like (excluding refrigerators, freezers, televisions, and computers), but does NOT include construction waste.

Hazardous Waste

AmeriWaste offers an on-demand household special collections program. Residents can have hazardous waste picked up from their home on an on-call basis by contacting AmeriWaste and arranging for a pickup day and general time. In addition, AmeriWaste hosts a Household Hazardous Waste event each spring at Hometown Heroes Park.

Contacts



Have a question, concern or need assistance related to a City service?

Call 311 from your mobile or landline phone.

Monday-Thursday: 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Friday: 7:30 a.m. to noon.

For police or fire emergency, call 911.



Citizen Request Tracker

Is there a pothole on your street that needs to be fixed? An overgrown drainage ditch that needs to be mowed? Request a service from City staff and track its progress by signing up for www.leaguecity.com/tracker.

Frequently Called Numbers

Animal Care and Adoption Center	281-554-1377
Building Department	281 - 554 - 1429
City Hall	281-554-1000
Code Compliance	281 - 554 - 1480
Facility Rental	281-554-1193
Fire Department (non-emergency)	281 - 554 - 1465
Fire Marshal	281 - 554 - 1290
Helen Hall Library	281-554-1111
Municipal Court	281 - 554 - 1060
Parks and Recreation	281-554-1180
Planning and Development	281 - 554 - 1080
Police Department (non-emergency)	281-332-2566
Public Works	281-554-1346
Streets, Stormwater, and Traffic	281-554-1086
Utility Billing	281-554-1335
Wastewater	281-554-1320
Water Production	281-554-1041

CITY COUNCIL

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Position 6 409-218-2916 chad.tressler@leaguecityx.gov

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Your Government Officials

League City has a Council—Manager form of government. This means our City Council represents their constituency by being responsive to citizens' needs, and tasks the City Manager with carrying out the delivery of these public services.



John Baumgartner, City Manager

John was appointed City Manager in 2017, after serving several years as the Assistant City Manager. He has over 30 years of experience in the public sector, with expertise in engineering, capital improvement programming, and land and economic development. As City Manager, he is responsible for the daily activities and services of League City, as well as implementing policies set by City Council. John holds a degree in Civil Engineering and is a Texas Registered Professional Engineer. John also received the Credentialed Manager designation from ICMA, the International City/County Management Association. He is one of over 1,300 local government management professionals currently credentialed through the ICMA Voluntary Credentialing Program. Contact the City Manager at john.baumgartner@leagucitytx.gov.



Mayor and City Council

Pat Hallisey, Mayor

Mayor Pat is a longtime resident of League City, and has dedicated much of his life to public service. He has served in his current mayoral position since 2016, and is one of eight voting members of City Council.





Pictured left to right: Pat Hallisey, Chad Tressler, Justin Hicks, Andy Mann, Larry Millican, Nick Long, John Bowen, and Hank Dugie.

City Council meets the second and fourth Tuesday of every month at 6 p.m. at City Council Chambers at 200 West Walker St. Council meetings are open to the public and residents can provide comments during the hearing of public citizens. Council meetings are also streamed live on the City's Facebook page, website, and on Comcast channel 16. Video recordings of all council meetings are available on the City's website 24/7.

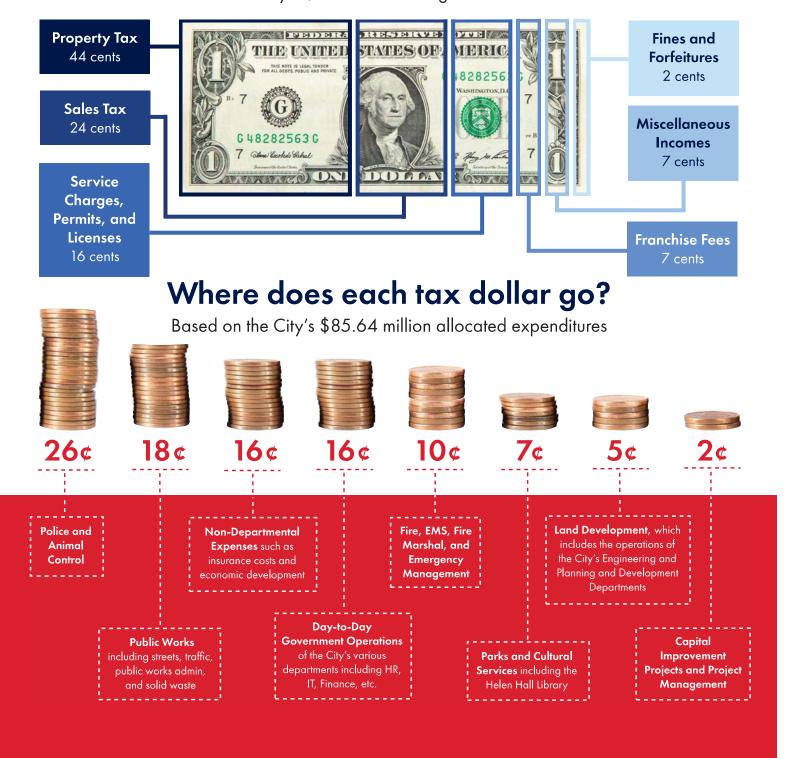
Your Tax Dollars at Work

An Overview of the General Fund Fiscal Year 2021 Budget

FY 2021 runs from October 1, 2020 to September 30, 2021

League City Revenue Sources

Based on the City's \$85.64 million in general fund revenues



Where Do Your Property Taxes Go?

When a homeowner in League City pays their annual property taxes, a portion goes to the City of League City as well as to several other taxing entities, including the Clear Creek Independent School District and Galveston County. In addition, there are several other taxes, assessments, and fees that many League City homeowners pay each year or even every month. They include:

Municipal Utility District (MUD) tax Public Improvement District (PID) assessment Homeowner's Association (HOA) fee



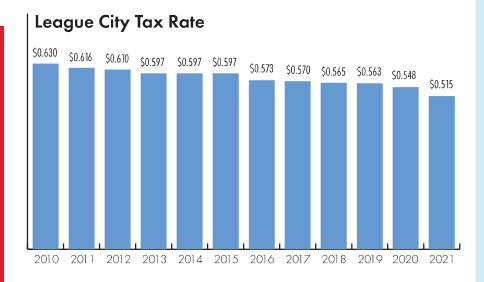
*MUD, PID, and HOA fees are additional costs and vary per homeowner

Decreasing Tax Rate

For Fiscal Year 2021 (which runs Oct 1, 2020 to Sept 30, 2021) the League City Council approved dropping the property tax rate to \$0.5150 per \$100 valuation—a 5% decrease. The League City property tax rate has steadily decreased since 2010. City Council has been able to maintain or reduce the property tax rate year after year because citywide growth and increasing property values—when combined with other income sources such as sales tax—have provided enough revenue to fund the City and fund capital improvement projects.



A League City resident living in a \$100,000 home will pay \$515.50 in annual property taxes to the City.



Sales Tax Revenue

Residents and visitors to League City pay an 8.25% sales tax when they spend money at stores, restaurants, and other places with sales taxable items and services located within the City limits.

6.25% Texas sales tax2.00% League City sales tax

A portion of revenue from the 2% League City sales tax is used to reduce property taxes and is allocated to the City's general fund. In addition, voters in League City approved a portion of local sales tax dollars to be used for two specific funding purposes—amateur/youth sports facilities and capital street and drainage projects.

Why does my \$10 purchase cost me \$10.83?

Purchase	\$10.00
State sales tax	\$0.625
City general fund sales tax	\$0.10
City general fund sales tax to reduce property tax	\$0.05
City sales tax for capital streets & drainage projects	\$0.025
City sales tax for 4B amateur/youth sports	\$0.025
	\$10.83

For the average League City household, the cost for City services and operations is \$3 per day or \$90 per month. That's less than a cup of coffee and less than most monthly cell phone bills.



Get Involved

There are lots of ways residents can get involved in the League City community. In fact, in 2020 League City residents volunteered more than 42k hours of their time. No matter what your interests and passions are, there is likely an opportunity suited just for you. Below are some of the ways you can get plugged in.

Parks and Recreation

Coach youth athletics, serve our senior citizens, or help with annual events. Our Parks and Recreation Department is always looking for friendly faces to pitch in. Call 281-554-1180.



Volunteer Fire Department

The League City Fire Department is run entirely by volunteers, and hosts an annual fire academy for those interested in joining. Call 281-554-1465.

Citizen University

League City Citizen University is a series of weekly classes held twice a year, designed to inform residents about how the City operates. Call 281-554-1025.

Citizen Police Academy

This 15-week program is held twice a year, and provides residents an up-close look at how our police department operates. Call 281-554-1848.



Boards and Committees

If you have a specific skill or interest, serving on a City board or committee will provide you opportunities to share your knowledge and input. Residents can join committees focused on anything from parks and tourism, to finances, planning, and transportation. Call 281-554-1034.

Animal Shelter

The League City Animal Care & Adoption Center is always in need of volunteers. Some ways to help include fostering, working at local adoption events, dog play groups, clerical work, and more. Call 281-554-1377.



Helen Hall Library

The Library offers a variety of opportunities for residents of all ages to get involved. Call 281-554-1116.



To learn more about these opportunities, visit leaguecity.com/involved.

Stay Informed

The City of League City uses several avenues for sharing the latest local information. Here are some of the best ways to find out what's happening in League City.

LeagueCity.com and VisitLeagueCity.com

The City's websites are updated daily and are the most comprehensive resources for information. LeagueCity.com has everything from current news and information residents need to know to the latest updates on City projects and initiatives. VisitLeagueCity.com includes upcoming events, recreational activities, food, shopping, and other experiences throughout League City and the Bay area.

Social Media

The City of League City has an active social media presence, and it's one of the quickest, easiest ways for residents to find local information, provide input, and ask questions.

Facebook I Facebook.com/LeagueCityTexas
Find the latest info regarding news and
events, along with weekly segments like
Mondays with the Mayor, and Lunch and Learn on
Wednesdays. Residents can also share questions,
comments, and send direct messages.

Instagram I Instagram.com/LeagueCityTX
Scroll through local photos and videos, and feel free to leave us a comment and tag us in your League City pics!

Twitter I Twitter.com/LeagueCityTX
Follow us on Twitter for local news and other updates. Use the hashtag #LCLove to spread some League City Love.

NextDoor
Connect with new neighbors and other locals, while staying up-to-date with League City news. Users are automatically signed up to receive our notifications.

YouTube I Youtube.com/CityofLeagueCityTX Find all of our videos in one place. Hit "subscribe" and you'll be notified when new videos are posted.

SwiftReach

League City uses SwiftReach to send notifications via text and automated voice message during an emergency. In order to receive, residents and businesses must opt-in by texting the word "Swift911" to 99538 or by registering at leaguecity.com/swiftreach.

Channel 16

Residents with Comcast cable can access League City's municipal public access channel any time of day. The channel airs live City Council meetings, along with other video content published by the City of League City. City Council meetings are re-broadcast at 9 a.m and 7 p.m. daily.

Publications City Matters

This quarterly publication is mailed to all League City residents and includes info about upcoming events, local news stories, fun articles, and other pertinent local information.



Electronic City Matters

This is a monthly edition of City Matters delivered via email that includes a roundup of the most recent local news and events. Sign up at leaguecity.com/citymatters.

City Manager's Updates

Our weekly City Manager's Update posted each Friday provides detailed information about the work our City departments are doing. This includes progress of construction projects, Parks and Recreation updates, upcoming local events, and a lot more. To find the weekly City Manager's Update, visit leaguecity.com/cmu, or receive it in your inbox by signing up at leaguecity.com/notifyme.

Notify Me

Sign up for alerts via text and email for City meetings, events, news stories, bid postings, capital improvement project updates, and more. Choose which topics you're interested in, and select how you'd like to be notified. Sign up at leaguecity.com/notifyme.

League City Public Schools

The majority of public schools located in League City are part of the Clear Creek Independent School District (CCISD). With 45 school campuses and over 5,000 employees, CCISD is a top-rated public school district in Texas and one of the largest employers in League City. **To find your zoned school campus and to start the enrollment process, visit ccisd.net/enrollment.**



2425 E. Main St., League City, TX 77573 281-284-0000 | ccisd.net

Pre-Kindergarten

League City residents within the district's boundaries can enroll a child at any time in CCISD's pre-kindergarten (Pre-K) program. To qualify, the child must have turned four on or before Sept. 1 of the current school year. CCISD offers free Pre-K for families who qualify and a tuition-based program as space allows.

Elementary (Kindergarten through 5th grade)

In addition to the core curriculum of math, science, social studies, and language arts, students participate in art, music, and physical education. All students are provided with a school-issued



laptop or tablet. Certified and highly-qualified teachers support students identified as gifted and talented or with special needs. Each of the District's 27 elementary school campuses are staffed with a full-time registered nurse, librarian, and counselor. CCISD also offers Dual Language and E-S.T.E.M. programs at specific campuses that are open to non-zoned families by application.

Intermediate (6th through 8th grade)

CCISD's ten intermediate schools use the workshop approach for language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies. This instruction style breaks subjects into mini-lessons facilitated



by the teacher followed by breakout and practice work individually or as a small group. All students are provided with a school-issued laptop or tablet. Each campus has two dedicated, on-campus counselors who support students with weekly goal setting. The students keep leadership logs, review grades, and learn about leader core value traits. CCISD also offers two magnet schools for students identified as gifted and talented and two science magnet programs by application.

High School (9th through 12th grade)

CCISD's seven high schools provide a wide range of programs that prepare students for success in their posthigh school life: college, business school, technical school, military service,



fine arts or athletics programs, full-time employment, and other areas. The programs offered allow for student choice in course selection based on their desired path. To help navigate your student's educational journey, CCISD offers personalized guidance services and provides access to a wide range of decision-making tools designed to inspire them to reach for their dreams. To learn more about the Career & Technical Education offerings in CCISD, visit ccisd.net/cte.

For more information about each school-age group, visit besteducationintexas.com.

A small portion of League City is zoned to the Dickinson Independent School District. Dickinson ISD has



2218 FM 517 E., Dickinson, TX 77539 281-229-6000 | dickinsonisd.org

14 school buildings including elementary, middle, junior high, and high school campuses. The nearly 12,000 students enrolled are offered a full range of educational opportunities, from basic instructional programs to special education, gifted and talented, bilingual, college preparation, and career and technical programs. The district's STEM Academy offers students in grades 5-8 innovative science, technology, engineering, and math instruction.

Get the Hookup

Water, Sewer, and Garbage

These services are provided by the City of League City. For questions or to set up new service, call League City Utility Billing at 281-554-1335 or email ubservice@leaguecitytx.gov.

Cable and Satellite TV Services

Xfinity is the cable TV service provider for League City. DISH and DIRECTV are available for customers seeking satellite service.

Internet There are a variety of internet providers in League City that offer cable, fiber, and DSL ions with speeds from 3 Mbps to 25 Mbps, a

connections with speeds from 3 Mbps to 25 Mbps, as well as broadband internet. Providers include—but are not limited to—Xfinity, EarthLink, Frontier, Viasat, and HughesNet.

Electricity

Retail Electric Providers (REPs) compete to sell electricity, and there are dozens to choose from. Utility companies maintain the power lines and handle outages. There are two utility companies that serve League City—Texas-New Mexico Power (TNMP) and CenterPoint Energy.

For Power Outages

Texas-New Mexico Power Call 888-866-7456 or visit tnmp.com



CenterPoint Energy
Call 800-332-7143 or visit
centerpointenergy.com



Other Government Services

Municipal Court
Cases filed in League City Municipal Court include—but are not limited to—traffic and parking violations, class "C" misdemeanors, and violations of City ordinances. Citations can be paid in person using cash, money order, or credit card. Payments can also be made online using a credit card. For more information visit leaguecity.com/court or call 281-554-1060.

Mail Delivery

The United States Post Office handles all mail delivery in League City. Questions can be answered by visiting the League City branch located at 240 W. Galveston Street or by calling 281-554-9219.

Voter Registration

In order to vote in a League City election, you must be registered to vote in either Galveston or Harris County, depending on your address. Visit galvestonvotes.org and harrisvotes.com for more information.

Department of Motor Vehicles

The Galveston North County Annex, located at 174 Calder Drive in League City, provides a full array of DMV services such as identification cards, driver's license tests, Texas titling, plates, and auto registration. For more information call 409-766-2284 or visit www.galvestoncountytx.gov.

Tax Office

The Galveston County Tax Office has a branch in League City at the North County Annex located at 174 Calder Drive. In addition to property tax payments, citizens can apply for a marriage license, passport, and register to vote. For more information call 409-766-2284 or visit www. galvestoncountytx.gov.

Mosquito Control

Mosquito spraying is done by Galveston County. To request a spraying, email mosquito.control@co.galveston.tx.us or call 1-800-842-5622.

Save The Date

Enjoy a full calendar of events in every season, from paddle racing and fireworks to holiday celebrations and more!



Spring

Fishing Extravaganza Walk for Wellness Egg Scramble Pet Fest

Music Festival and BBQ cookoff



Summer

July 3 Fireworks Extravaganza July 4 Citizen Appreciation Day National Trails Day Celebration Clear Creek Paddle Race Movie Nights at the Pool





Fall

Harvest Festival
Fire Station Haunted House
Community Health Fair
Taste of the Bay





Winter

Holiday Tree Lighting and Open House Holiday in the Park and Grand Night Parade Breakfast with the Sugar Plum Fairy Breakfast with Santa Boat Lane Parade







MEMORIAL HERMANN CONVENIENT CARE CENTER IN LEAGUE CITY

2555 South Gulf Freeway, League City, TX 77573 P 832.932.9850

- 24-HR Emergency Center
- Primary Care
- Imaging Center
- Breast Care Center
- Physical Therapy
- Multispecialty Clinic, including Gastroenterology and Orthopedic specialists



MEMORIAL HERMANN MEDICAL GROUP (MHMG)

2555 Gulf Fwy. South, Ste. 600, League City, TX 77573 P 281.334.6699

MHMG provides primary care for thousands of League City families and offers in-person and Virtual Office Visits. To schedule a same-day or next-day appointment, call 832.658.MHMG (6464).

- Annual Exams
- Health Screenings
- Sick Visits
- · Management of



Chronic Conditions

MEMORIAL HERMANN URGENT CARE

Clear Lake

19419 Gulf Fwy. Ste. 3, Dept. 100, Webster, TX 77598 P 281.316.0885

Friendswood

1505 E. Winding Way Dr., Ste. 112, Friendswood, TX 77546 P 281.993.3860

Open 9 a.m.-9 p.m., 7 days a week, for care that is urgent, but not life-threatening like common illnesses and minor injuries.

Appointments not required and online check-in available. memorialhermann.org/locations/urgent-care-clear-lake





MEMORIAL HERMANN SOUTHEAST HOSPITAL

11800 Astoria Blvd, Houston, TX 77089 P 281.929.6100

Memorial Hermann Southeast Hospital brings the expertise of the Memorial Hermann Health System to families in southeast Houston and League City.

Signature services include:

- Level III Trauma Center
- Cancer Center
- · Heart & Vascular Care
- Joint Center
- Women's and Children's Services
- Neurosciences
- Rehabilitation Unit
- Esophageal Disease Center



VIRTUAL CARE

For minor illnesses, enjoy the same level of care as an in-person appointment from the comfort of your home with eVisits and Video Visits.

- eVisit Answer questions and get a treatment plan from a healthcare provider within 30 minutes. All for just \$25 per visit.
- Video Visits Schedule a video appointment and receive a diagnosis and treatment plan for \$49.

Download our Everyday Well app or visit EverydayWell.com

Learn more about all the **Memorial Hermann locations** convenient to League City by visiting memorialhermann.org/leaguecity

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