

Important District Contact Information

Garbage & Recycling

Best Trash North
(P) 346/248-5222 (E) info@rrrtx.net

Garbage Committee

Crystal Kirby: ckirby@trailofthelakesmud.com
Virginia Elkins: velkins@trailofthelakesmud.com

District Security

Harris County Constable Precinct No. 4
Emergency: 911
Non-Emergency/24 Hour Dispatch:
281/376-3472

District Security Committee

Kim Pendleton:
kpendleton@trailofthelakesmud.com
Troy King: tking@trailofthelakesmud.com

Water & Sewer/Paying Your Water Bill

Si Environmental LLC
(P) 832/490-1500 (W) sienviro.com

Tax Bill Questions

Bob Leared Interests, Inc. - 713/932-9011

District Emergency Notification System

Text the word **TOTL** to **474747** to register
To unsubscribe text **STOP TOTL** to **474747**

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ADAMS BARNER PLLC LOCATED AT AMERICA TOWER, 2929 ALLEN PARKWAY, SUITE 3450,
HOUSTON, TEXAS 77019 AND BY VIDEOCONFERENCE. VISIT
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TOTL NEWS

Fall 2024

General District Information

Trail of the Lakes Municipal Utility District (the "District") is a Texas local governmental entity that provides water and sanitary sewer service to Atascocita Forest, The Forest, The Park at Atascocita Forest, Clayton's Park and Clayton's Park East subdivisions. The District was created on April 26, 1974, by the Texas Water Rights Commission. The District is located 17 miles northeast of downtown Houston and 3.5 miles southeast of Humble, Texas. The District is governed by a five-member Board of Directors who regularly meet the last Monday of each month at 12:00 p.m. at the offices of Radcliffe Adams Barner PLLC, 2929 Allen Parkway, Suite 3450, Houston, Texas 77019. Visit the District's website at trailofthelakesmud.com for additional meeting information.

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DISTRICT RECREATIONAL AMENITIES

Rules and Regulations

The District welcomes its residents to visit and enjoy all the District's trails, parks, and other recreational amenities. Here are just a few of the rules and regulations for use of all District recreational amenities ("Park Rules"):

HOURS OF OPERATION: Daylight hours, 7 days a week.

NO EXCESSIVELY LOUD MUSIC: No excessively loud music at any time at the Recreational Amenities, nor any other use of the District's Facilities that might unduly affect or disturb the residences that neighbor such facilities.

NO HUNTING/NO FISHING: No person shall hunt any animal or shoot, fire or discharge any pistol, shotgun, rifle, other firearm or archery arrow in, on, along or across any of the Recreational Amenities. Hunting and fishing are not allowed at any time on District property, including Recreational Amenities.

NO HARASSMENT: No person shall tease, annoy, molest, catch or throw any stone, object or missile of any kind at, or strike with any stick, object or weapon, any person, animal; fowl or fish; in the Recreational Amenities.

NO FIREARMS: No person shall possess or carry a firearm within the Recreational Amenities unless the person is licensed to possess and carry a handgun under Government Code, Chapter 411, Subchapter H, and is in possession of and/or carrying the handgun in compliance with all applicable laws.

NO ATVS OR MOTORIZED VEHICLES: No person shall drive or propel any vehicle over or through the Recreational Amenities.



Scan the QR code below for the complete Park Rules.

DISTRICT PARK PROJECTS

The pre-design process for future District recreational projects is underway. Visit the District's website at trailofthelakesmud.com/parks-and-trails to learn more about the District's recreational amenities.

TRASH TALK: Semi-Annual E-Waste and Paper Shredding Event

The District has scheduled its semi-annual free electronic waste recycling and paper shredding event! Electronic recyclable items include: personal computers, keyboards, mice, speakers, cords and cables, game consoles, laptops, hard drives, car batteries, fax machines, printers, cell phones, rechargeable batteries, projectors, telephones, toner cartridges, PDAs, and more. The District is also offering free document shredding. **Please be sure your documents for shredding are completely separate from all other materials.** Please visit the District's website at trailofthelakesmud.com/garbage for a full list of acceptable items and for information about recycling materials and general garbage collection.

Saturday, October 19, 2024
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Humble Middle School (Parking Lot)*
11207 Will Clayton Parkway at Woodland Hills Drive

*Humble ISD is merely renting the premises to the District and in no way endorses or advances the District's views, opinions, or beliefs.

For more information about the District, or matters covered in this newsletter, please visit the District's website at trailofthelakesmud.com.



SAFETY TIPS

The 2024-2025 school year is in session. Here are some safety tips for keeping our young District residents safe.

- Pedestrians generally have the right-of-way at intersections.
- Drivers should avoid blocking crosswalks when stopped at red lights.
- Drivers must stop and yield the right-of-way to a pedestrian in a school zone when the warning-flashers are blinking.
- Take extra care to look out for children in school zones, residential areas, playgrounds and parks.
- It is illegal to talk on cell phones in a school zone.
- Do NOT text and drive, it is illegal!
- It is illegal to pass a school bus with red flashing lights loading and unloading children. Fines for doing so are \$500 to \$1,250 for the first offense.
- Lock your doors when getting in and out of your car.
- Observe all school zone speed limits.

For more information regarding the Harris County Constable, Precinct No. 4, you may visit its website at constablepct4.com or call 281/376-3472.

If you should have any other questions or concerns regarding District security matters, please contact **Director Pendleton** at kpendleton@trailofthelakesmud.com or **Director King** at tking@trailofthelakesmud.com.

STORM DEBRIS AND DRAIN BLOCKAGE

To reduce flooding and ensure that storm water continues to drain uninhibited, especially after a large storm such as Hurricane Beryl, the District's storm water drainage facilities must remain unblocked. The most impactful things you can do to help are as follows:

- **REPORT DEBRIS AND DAMAGED FENCES** to the Harris County Commissioner, Precinct 3 ("Precinct 3") debris hotline at 713-274-3880. You can also call Precinct 3's dispatch at 713-274-3100 if the debris hotline is busy.
- Manually clear storm inlets from visible debris.
- Do not place, pile or store any collected storm debris near storm water drainage facilities such as storm drains, manholes or culverts.
- If possible, do not park cars on the street near or across from storm debris piles. This ensures that any trucks and equipment used by Precinct 3 for cleanup will be able to access the debris.



National Night Out ("NNO") is Tuesday, October 1. As of this newsletter's printing deadline, the District is currently only aware of one NNO event being held in the District by the Atascocita Forest Community Association, but other subdivisions may host events as well. Please visit your homeowners association's website for more information.