



CITY OF COLLEGE STATION

MOST FREQUENT CODE VIOLATIONS

Weeds and Grass: Weeds and grass should be not exceed 12" in height. Grass should be maintained on a regular basis.

Accumulation of Trash: Trash should be securely stored in the sanitation container that is provided until trash pickup day. Trash, bags of trash, litter or other waste should not be allowed to accumulate on or spread from one's property.

Junked Vehicles: Vehicles with expired license plates or inspection stickers, or those that are inoperable for a period of 45 days, meet the definition of a junk vehicle.

Parking in the Yard: Cars, pickups and motorcycles may not be parked in yard in any residential area, except on an approved surface. Approved surfaces include asphalt, concrete and gravel. Parking in the yard is a parking violation and the vehicle should be moved immediately.

Theft of Service: Any person or business cannot use a sanitation container that they do not pay for service on.

Definition of a family: No more than four unrelated persons may live together in a single family residence.

Scavenging: Any person, other than the owner, who is removing any material that has been placed for collection by the Sanitation Department, whether in a container or not, is doing so illegally.

Handbills/Flyers: Signs and flyers should not be placed on utility poles or street signs, or in the public right of way. These signs are prohibited and should be removed immediately.

Open Storage: Open storage of commodities and materials for sale, lease, inventory or private use shall not be permitted in residential areas. In other words, you can't store anything in your yard or patio unless it is intended for outdoor use (outdoor toys, patio furniture or fixtures) or firewood stored in the side or rear yard.

Containers in the Street: Containers must be removed from the street and stored next to the dwelling within 12 hours after the scheduled collection day.

Overflowing Containers: Sanitation containers put out for collection should be fully closed to ensure that litter does not spread. Area around the containers put out for collection should be free from debris. All clean up should be done within 48

Bulk Garbage Collection

Bulky item collection is provided once a week. Items should be neatly stacked within three feet of the curb by 8 AM on your collection day.

Some frequently asked questions are:

What, Where, & When

Too Much Garbage!

Can I set out my own Container?

I am Remodeling...

I have a new Refrigerator, can I set out my old one?

I was Missed!

Question not addressed? Contact us!



What Where & When

Q: What does Bulky Item Collection include & what is prohibited?

Bulky items include items that are too large to fit in your regular garbage container, such as furniture, household appliances, & large cardboard boxes.

Items that CANNOT be collected include:

- Dirt, sod, brush, concrete or rock
- Tires, oil filters, and CFC containing appliances (air conditioners & refrigerators)
- Flammable materials such as oil, gas, or paint
- Contractor generated debris from construction, remodeling or demolition
- Hazardous waste or materials prohibited at the landfill

Q: Where and how do I place Bulk items to be collected?

Items should be neatly stacked within three feet of the curb at the front of your residence. Separate from any other materials such as Brush or Recycling, do not stack in 1 pile. DO NOT PLACE ITEMS IN THE STREET!

Q: Where should I avoid placing Bulk items?

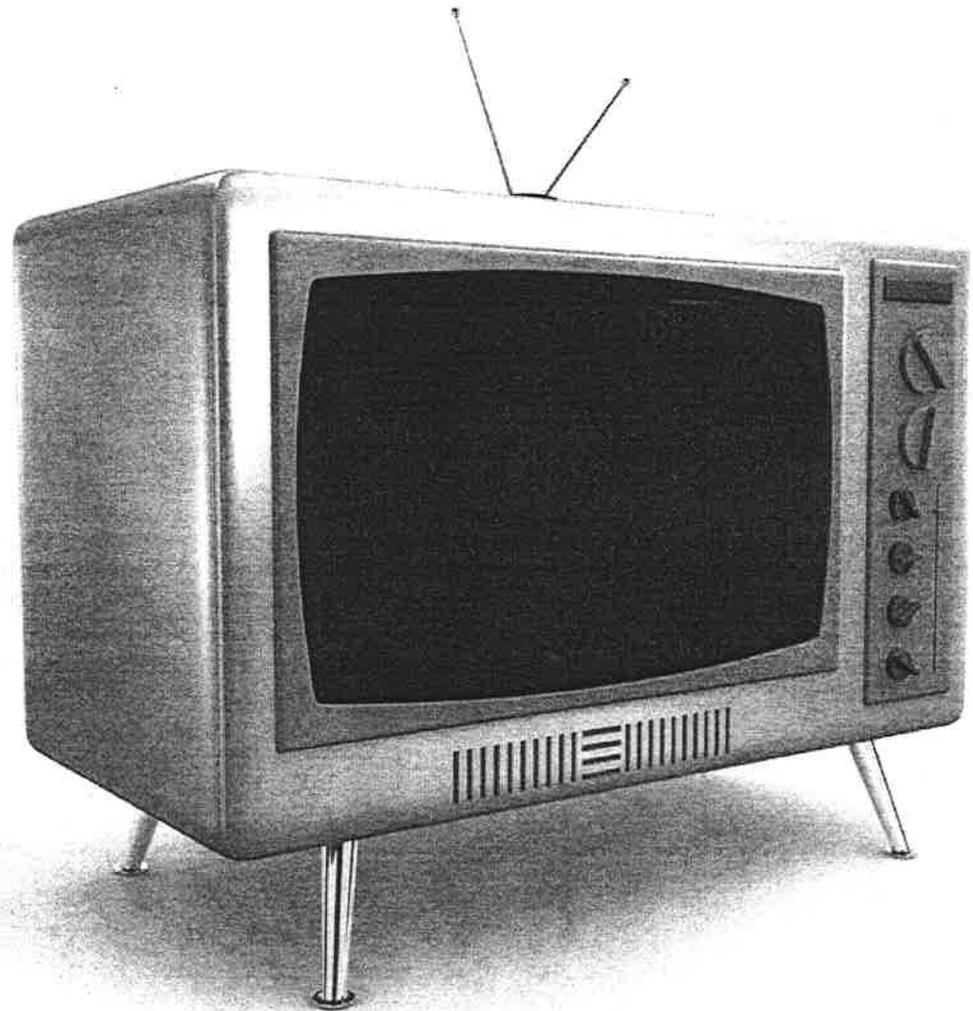
Do not place items:

- Closer than 4 ft from a mailbox, fire hydrant, car, or trees
- On top of sprinkler heads, water or gas meters, and underground cable or electrical boxes. Collection will cause sever damage.
- Under low tree limbs or overhead wires, as the collectors won't be able to reach it.

Q: When is my Bulk Collection Day?

Click [here](#) to find out or call Public Works at 764-3690.

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Too Much!

Q: This week I have some excess garbage that won't fit in my container. Can I set it out for Bulk Collection?

No. If you have additional garbage from a temporary event, (house party, spring cleaning, etc.), please refill your automated container and request extra garbage service by calling Public Works at 764-3690. We'll be glad to return and collect the extra waste at no additional charge as long as the situation is temporary. If you continue to have excess garbage on a regular basis please call Public Works at 764-3690 to order an additional container.

Q: Can I buy my own container to put smaller items out to be collected?

Due to safety concerns about back injuries to collection personnel, items must be bagged instead of being placed out in "rubbermaid" type containers. Bags should not weigh more than 50 pounds. Unauthorized containers set out will be tagged and not emptied.

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Remodeling New Appliances

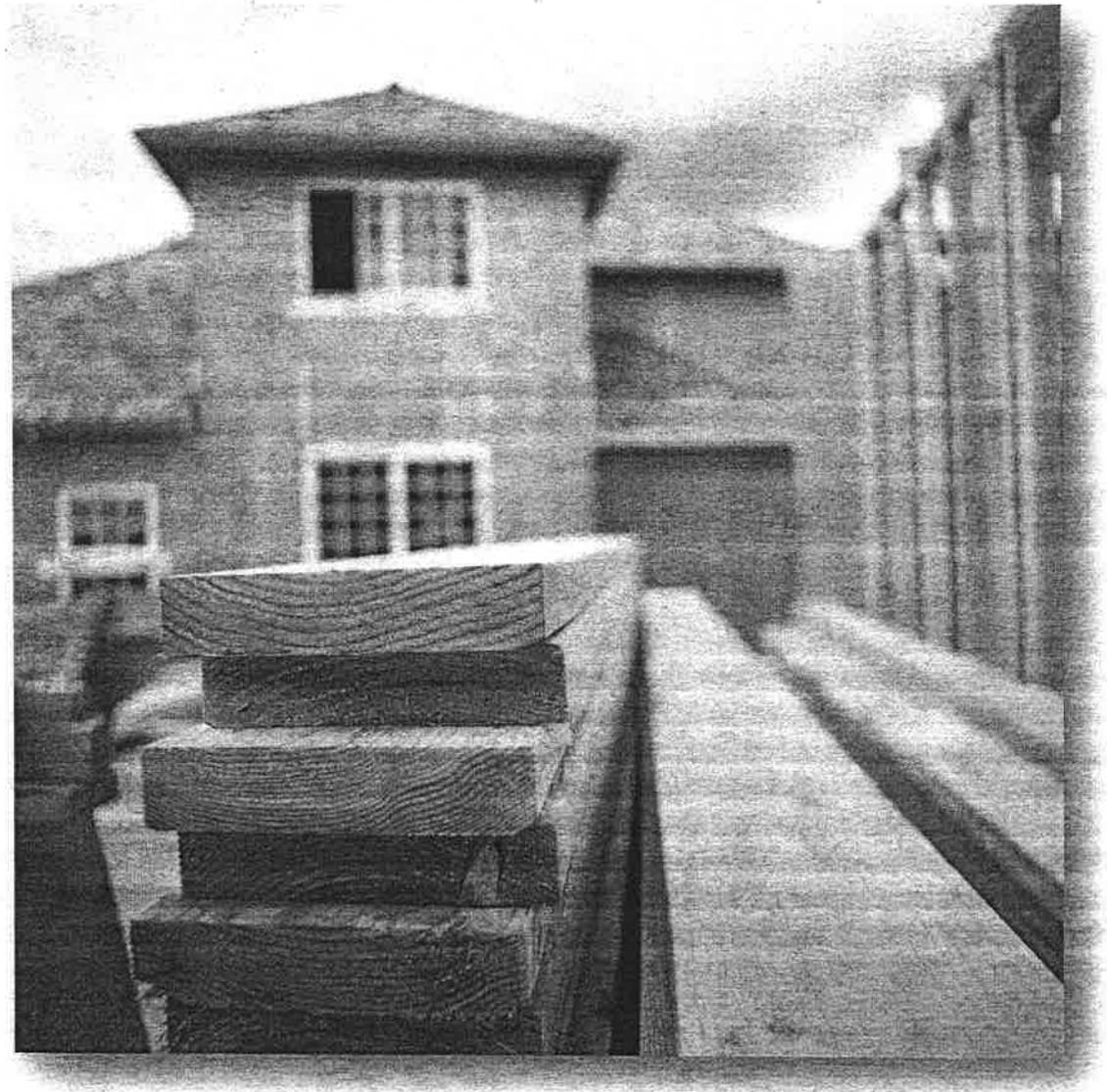
Q: If I have a contractor remodel my house/tear down a fence, can he place that waste out for collection at my house?

No, city ordinance prohibits this. Contractors are responsible for the proper disposal of all waste that is generated due to their services.

Q: I have a refrigerator for disposal, what can I do?

Due to federal law, we can only collect these types of appliances after they have been tagged with a certification that the Freon has been removed by a licensed technician. Call Public Works at 764-3690 for a list of certified technicians. Also, you can haul the appliance to the landfill and they will remove the Freon and recycle the appliance for a small fee.

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Missed Collection!

Q: My Bulk items were not collected!

First, check to see if the collection crew left a red service problem tag on your front door. The tag will notify you of any problems we encountered while attempting to pick up the items. Make any requested changes (moving the pile, car blocking the items, etc.) that are on the tag and call Public Works at 764-3690. We'll be glad to return and collect your bulky items. Also, be sure to have your pile stacked curbside by 8 AM on your collection day.

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NOTICE

Potential problems with your:

- AUTOMATED GARBAGE COLLECTION (AG)
 - BRUSH/BULKY ITEM COLLECTION (BB)
 - COMMERCIAL GARBAGE COLLECTION (CG)
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- 1. Excessive garbage. Bags next to container, may need add'l container.
 - 2. Cannot collect due to:
 - A. Overpacked container—Could result in spillage when collected.
 - B. Unauthorized Container—City Ordinance #1942
 - C. Unauthorized/Prohibited Materials—City Ordinance #1948. Prohibited Materials are not accepted at the Landfill. Please remove the _____ & call for return trip.
 - D. Collection could result in damage to vehicle. (Items protruding from top) Please remove the _____ & call for return trip.
 - 3. Container too far from curb. Must be 1-4 ft. from curb/roadway.
 - 4. Container is too close or blocked by:
 - A. Tree
 - B. Add'l Container—Must be at least 4ft apart
 - C. Mailbox
 - D. Vehicle L# _____
 - E. Other _____
 Please remove & call for return trip.
 - 5. BRUSH/BULK in street. Must be w/in 3ft of curb
 - 6. Bag(s) are too heavy. SOB. Max
 - 7. Bag(s) torn.
 - 8. Household garbage on BULK Day.
 - 9. More than max total units of bags or bundles (20 Max) on BULK day.
 - 10. Refuse not in container/bagged/bundled.
 - 11. Items not separated. Brush must be separate from other waste.
 - 12. Brush too long. 8ft. Max
 - 13. Sharp items not securely wrapped.
 - 14. Not enough overhead clearance:
 - A. Low tree limbs
 - B. Low wires
 - C. Other _____
 - 15. Enclosure: (Collection could result in damage to vehicle/item)
 - A. Has items stored in it next to the container. Please remove the _____ & call for return trip.
 - B. Gate needs prop rods.

Public Works Department—Sanitation Division
 979-764-3690
www.cstx.gov/sanitation
www.cstx.gov/recycle

Date: ____/____/____

Time: ____:____

Address: _____

Check: AG BB CG OP: _____

Comments: _____

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IN A CONTINUING EFFORT TOWARD KEEPING COLLEGE STATION AN ENJOYABLE PLACE TO LIVE, THE COLLEGE STATION POLICE DEPARTMENT IS COMMITTED TO STRICT NOISE AND ALCOHOL ENFORCEMENT.



PARTY AT YOUR PLACE?

KNOW YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES:

In residential areas of the City of College Station, if you host a planned or unplanned gathering of two or more people at a residence, be aware that you are legally responsible for ensuring that your guests do not violate the City's parking regulations nor create an unreasonable level of noise. You are also responsible for properly disposing of litter by 10 a.m. the morning following the day that the party started. Violation of this ordinance is punishable by a fine of up to \$500.



AGGIE UP

The Police Department also works with the Code Enforcement division to identify and enforce the following violations:

PARKING VIOLATIONS

- Parking in yards is prohibited
- Be sure you park legally on the street
- Do not block your neighbor's driveway

LITTERING

- Keep your neighborhood clean
- Pick up any cups, cans, bottles, etc. that your guests may leave

PLEASE BE RESPONSIBLE WHEN ENTERTAINING GUESTS AND RESPECT THE PRIVACY OF OTHERS. TOGETHER WE CAN HELP TO MAKE COLLEGE STATION A SAFE AND PEACEFUL PLACE TO LIVE.

KNOW THE LAW:

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

A loud party or noise violation falls under the Texas Penal Code Section 42.01 Disorderly Conduct (a)(5): a person commits an offense if he intentionally or knowingly makes unreasonable noise in a public place other than a sport shooting range, or in or near a private residence that he has no right to occupy. Disorderly Conduct is a Class C Misdemeanor and is punishable by a fine of up to \$500.

ACTION TAKEN... If officers determine that you are in violation of the Disorderly Conduct statute, you may be issued a citation. If necessary, arrests may be made.

If the police department responds to a second complaint and officers determine you to be in violation of the Disorderly Conduct statute, **each** resident may be arrested.

TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT YOUR NAME, AGE AND ADDRESS... OR YOU MAY BE ARRESTED FOR FAILURE TO IDENTIFY.



Property owners will be notified of all noise and alcohol violations occurring on their property, and civil prosecution of property owners can result from continued violations.

POSSIBLE FINES FOR THE PARTY-GOER

MINOR IN POSSESSION OF ALCOHOL OR MINOR CONSUMING ALCOHOL

- Up to \$500 fine
- Suspended Driver's License
- Community Service Hours
- Alcohol Awareness Classes

CONSUMING ALCOHOL AFTER HOURS

- Fine Amount \$430

PUBLIC INTOXICATION

- Fine Amount \$430

FAILURE TO IDENTIFY

- Arrested Class B Charge
- Up to \$3000 bond
- Up to six months in Jail

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

- Up to \$500 fine

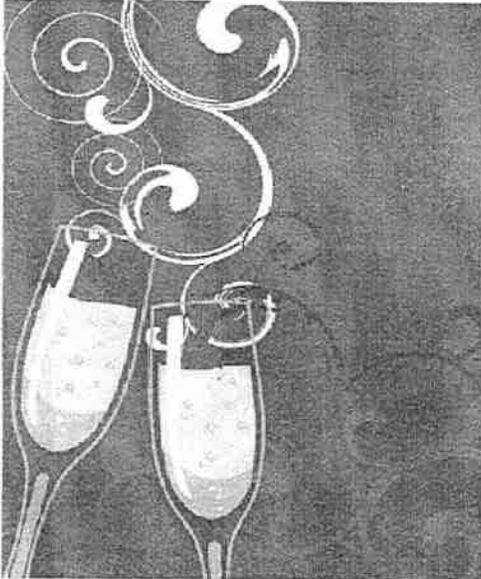
VIOLATION OF HOST RESPONSIBILITIES ORDINANCE

- Up to \$500 fine

PLEASE NOTE: FINE AMOUNTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE CONTACT MUNICIPAL COURT AT 979.764.3683 FOR CURRENT FINE AMOUNTS.

THINKING OF GOING TO A PARTY?

- It is illegal for anyone under the age of 21 to consume or possess alcohol
- If you are 21 or over, consume alcohol responsibly
- Make sure you know people at the party
- You are not required to consume alcohol
- Do not drink and drive
- Do not get in the car with anyone who has been drinking
- Go to the party with someone you know
- Leave the party with the same person
- Do not leave with a person you don't know
- Stay with people who care about you



IF YOU DRINK...

- Do so safely
- Drink on a full stomach
- Avoid drinks of an unknown mixture
- Avoid letting others handle your drink
- Do not leave your drink unattended
- Do not play drinking games
- Never continue drinking if you have thrown up

Having a
Party?



Celebrating in
College Station



CITY OF COLLEGE STATION

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COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS 77845

PHONE: 979.764.6277

WWW.CSTX.GOV/POLICE



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★ What Is Suspicious? ★

Basically, anything that seems even slightly "out of place" for the area or during the time of day in which it occurs may mean criminal activity.

Help the Police Help You ★★

No police department can function effectively without the concerned assistance of responsible citizens. They are depending on you to call and tell them whenever you observe suspicious persons or actions.

Some people fail to call the police simply because they are not aware of what seemingly innocent activities might be suspicious. Others may notice suspicious activity and be hesitant to call for fear of seeming a "nosy neighbor" or a "crank". Still others take it for granted that someone else has already called.

Call the police immediately about all suspicious activity - and do it yourself. Don't worry about "bothering" them because this is what the police are for. Don't worry about being embarrassed if your suspicions prove unfounded. Think instead about what could happen if you don't act.

Information Needed By Police ★★

- ⊛ What happened?
- ⊛ When?
- ⊛ Where?
- ⊛ Is anyone injured?
- ⊛ Vehicle license number.
- ⊛ Direction of flight
- ⊛ Description of persons (including clothing)
- ⊛ When describing suspects, notice age, race, sex, height, and weight. Compare your weight and height with suspect's. Pick out some unique characteristics which will help you identify the suspect in the future if need be.

Some Not So Obvious Things To Watch For And Unusual Situations You Should Report ★★

Not every stranger who comes into your neighborhood is a criminal by any means. There are many perfectly legitimate door-to-door salesmen, repairmen, and servicemen moving around our neighborhoods all the time. But criminals do take advantage of this by assuming the guise of the legitimate business representatives. After all, if a criminal looked like a criminal, no one would have any trouble spotting him.

- ⊛ Continuous "repair" operations at a nonbusiness location could mean stolen property being stripped, repainted, and otherwise altered.
- ⊛ Open or broken doors and windows at a closed business or residence whose owners are absent could mean a burglary in progress or already completed.
- ⊛ Unusual noises such as gunshots, screaming, sounds of combat, abnormally barking dogs, anything suggestive of foul play, danger, or illegal activity should be reported.

Some Obvious Things To Watch For And Report ★★

- ⊛ A stranger entering your neighbor's house when it is unoccupied may be a burglar.
- ⊛ A scream heard anywhere may mean robbery or a sexual assault.
- ⊛ Offers of merchandise at ridiculously low prices could mean stolen merchandise.
- ⊛ Anyone removing accessories, license plates, or gasoline from a car should be reported.
- ⊛ Anyone peering into parked cars may be looking for a car to steal or for valuables left displayed in the car.
- ⊛ Persons entering or leaving a business place after hours could mean burglars.
- ⊛ The sound of breaking glass or other loud noises could mean an accident, home burglary, or criminal mischief.
- ⊛ Persons loitering around schools, parks, secluded areas, or in the neighborhood could be sex offenders.
- ⊛ Persons around the neighborhood who do not live there could be burglars.

★ ★ WHAT IS SUSPICIOUS? ★ ★

People You Might See And What Their Actions Might Mean ★★

- ⊛ Someone is going door to door in your neighborhood. Watch for a while. If, after a few houses are visited, one or more persons tries a door to see if it is locked, or goes into a back or side yard, it could be a burglar. Such action is even more suspicious if one person remains in the front when this occurs, or if there is a car following a few houses away.
- ⊛ Someone waiting in front of a house or business becomes suspicious if the owners are absent, or if it is a business, the business is closed. This might be a lookout for a burglary in progress inside.
- ⊛ Anyone forcing entrance into or tampering with a residence, business, or vehicle is suspicious anytime, anywhere.
- ⊛ A person running, especially if carrying something of value, could be leaving the scene of a crime.
- ⊛ Carrying property could be suspicious too, if its at an unusual hour or in an unusual place, and if the property is not wrapped as if just purchased.
- ⊛ A person exhibiting unusual mental or physical symptoms may be injured, under the influence of drugs, or otherwise needing medical or psychiatric assistance.
- ⊛ Much human traffic to and from a certain residence is not suspicious unless it occurs on a daily or very regular basis, especially during late or unusual hours. It could possibly be the scene of vice activities or a "fence operation."



College Station Utilities

Reliable, Affordable, Community Owned

Recommended Watering Schedule

In an effort to help customers conserve limited drinking water supplies, the City of College Station has developed a recommended watering schedule based on the last digit in a customer's address. The schedule is voluntary (other than permanent restrictions listed below) unless the City of College Station is in a declared Stage 2 or Stage 3 drought.

	<i>Customer Class</i>	Commercial & Multi-family All Addresses	Residential Even Addresses	Residential Odd Addresses
	<i>Watering Day(s)</i>	Mon. and/or Fri.	Tues. and/or Sat.	Thurs. and/or Sun.

Water Up to 2 Days Per Week Before 10:00 AM or After 6:00 PM

How much water are you using? Follow these simple steps to find out:

- Step 1 Set 3 – 5 shallow flat-bottom cans around the yard.
- Step 2 Run sprinklers / irrigation zone for 10 - 15 minutes
- Step 3 Measure amount of water collected in cans and divide by number of cans.
- Step 4 Multiply the answer from step 3: by 6 if you ran sprinklers for 10 minutes; by 4 if you ran sprinklers for 15 minutes.
- Step 5 The answer from step 4 is your application rate in inches per hour.

Weekly watering amounts are available from the TAMU Irrigation Technology Center!

Go to <http://texaset.tamu.edu/date.php?stn=25&spread=7> and click on 'Home Watering'

PERMANENT WATER USE RESTRICTIONS

The following wasteful watering practices are prohibited year-round:

- * Using automatic or hose-end sprinklers between 10:00 am and 6:00 pm.
- * Operating an irrigation system with broken or mis-directed sprinkler heads
- * Allowing water to run off a property or pond in the street or parking lot
- * Failure to repair controllable leak(s)
- * Operating fountains or ponds without a recirculation device



<http://www.cstx.gov/water>
979-764-3660

Traps

Humane live traps for raccoons, opossums, cats, and dogs are available for short term loans from your CSPD Animal Control Officer.

Exotic Pets

Large pet snakes, rabbits, ferrets and other miscellaneous creatures have been handled by CSPD Animal Control. Please call if you have lost or found such a creature.

Livestock

Livestock is also impounded at the Brazos Animal Shelter.



& Cat

It's the law!

**Helpful Hints
for Dog & Cat Owners**

Fill this card in and keep it in a safe place:

Veterinarian's Name: _____

Phone No.: _____

Hours: _____

After Hours Emergencies: _____

Phone Numbers

CSPD 24-Hour Dispatch 764-3600

CSPD Animal Control 764-6261

Brazos Co. Animal Shelter 775-5755

Boarding Kennels

Name: _____

Phone: _____

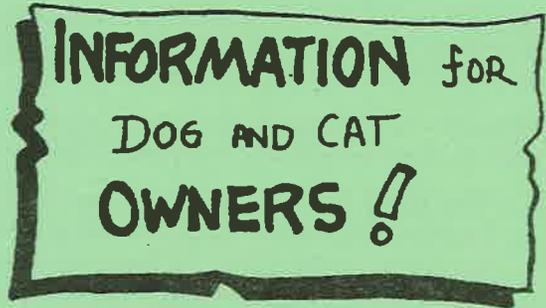
Hours: _____

Notes: _____



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