

THE UTILITY CONNECTION

News and information for Prosper's Utility Customers

For more information call Utility Billing at 972-346-2640

December 2015

Holiday Office Closures

Town offices will be closed for the Christmas holidays, New Year's Day and the celebration of the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Administrative offices will close on Christmas Eve, Thursday, Dec. 24, and Christmas Day, Friday, Dec. 25, reopening on Monday, Dec. 28.

In addition, the administrative offices will close on Friday, Jan. 1 as well as to celebrate the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on Monday, Jan. 18.

We hope you and yours have a safe and restful holiday season.



Winter Averaging has begun

The water you use between now and Feb. 15 is measured to calculate your sewer charges for next year.

Fix any leaks, minimize your outdoor irrigation and don't waste water!

Attention Senior utility customers

Residents who are 65 years of age and older, and who are the utility account holder of their residence should immediately come in to the Utility Billing Department at Town Hall, 121 Broadway St. and sign up for the discount on their water service and storm drainage fees.

This is not a new program. In fact, many eligible residents have already signed up and are taking advantage of the program's savings. Our intent is to get word to those customers who may be eligible and are not aware that they qualify for the program.

Holiday Waste Collection Schedule

Collection	Normal Schedule Canceled	Revised Schedule
Weekly	Friday, Dec. 25, 2015	Saturday, Dec. 26, 2015
*Monthly Bulk East of Preston Rd. Only	Saturday, Dec. 26, 2015	Saturday, Dec. 19, 2015 East of Preston Road Only
Weekly	Friday, Jan. 1, 2016	Saturday, Jan. 2, 2016
*Monthly Bulk West of Preston Rd. Only	Saturday, Jan. 2, 2016	Saturday, Jan. 2, 2016 No change
Weekly	Tuesday, Jan. 19, 2016	Tuesday, Jan. 19, 2016 No change

* Don't forget to call Progressive at 469-452-8000 to schedule your bulk pick-up.

Fathers Reading Every Day (FRED)

Make a difference in the lives of your children by reading to them!

Become a FRED!

To find out how you can participate in FRED, contact the Prosper Community Library by calling 972-342-9697. The program starts on Dec. 5 at the Christmas Festival and runs through Saturday, Jan. 16. FRED is a six-week program that's designed as a way for fathers to become involved in their child's education.

Spring Clean-up Event coming

Prosper's annual Spring Clean-up Event will be held in March in the downtown area. Among the services offered free of charge to Prosper residents are document and paper shredding, electronics recycling, bulk trash collection, cardboard recycling and vouchers for the disposal of hazardous household waste. Watch the next issue of this newsletter for the date and time.

Christmas Tree drop-off point set

The Town is once again providing a central drop-off point for Christmas trees beginning Monday, Dec. 28 and lasting through Friday, Jan. 15. The unattended drop-off center is located in the parking area on south side of First St. immediately west of the Central Fire Station and will be open 24 hours a day. As always, trees must be cleared of any lights, ornaments, decorations, tinsel, garland and any other non-organic material.