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## Prosper administrative offices to observe Labor Day *Trash and recycling pickup shifts one day for the week*

PROSPER (August 28, 2015) Administrative offices, Municipal Court and the Community Library will all close on Monday, Sept. 7 to commemorate the Labor Day celebration, says Town Secretary Robyn Battle.

“Labor Day is a time to recognize the work accomplished by the American labor force,” she said. “And, that certainly includes the people who police our streets, fight our fires, plan and maintain our parks, keep our streets in good working order, and oversee the Town’s quality of life.”

The holiday will also affect trash and recycling collection. Progressive Waste Solutions, the Town’s contractor for refuse pickup, will implement in the holiday shift, even though there is no normal collection on Mondays in Prosper.

“Prosper residents who normally have trash and recycling collection service on Tuesdays will be serviced on Wednesday of that week,” she said. “Similarly, those with normal Friday pickup service will have their trash and recycling collected on Saturday.”

The schedule resumes to its normal days during the week of Sept. 14.

While administrative offices will close on Labor Day, emergency personnel, including police, fire, EMS and 9-1-1 dispatch will all operate on a normal Monday schedule.

“Our first responders, including the operators at 9-1-1, will be on full schedule,” added Battle. “For them, it’s a normal work day. And, while they do not seek any form of recognition, a kind word to those of them who are out and about would certainly be appropriate. Of course, calls to 9-1-1 should be restricted to true emergencies. “

Office hours return to normal on Tuesday, Sept. 8.

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**ABOUT THE TOWN OF PROSPER** – The Town of Prosper is a fast-growing suburb with small town charm, located 30 miles north of Dallas at the crossroads of U.S. 380, Preston Road and the Dallas North Tollway in Collin and Denton Counties. Prosper sits on 27 square miles and is home to more than 15,000 people. A home-rule municipality, governed by a council-manager form of government, the town has full-time fire and police departments, including its own dispatch service. As the Town grows to its projected build-out population of 70,000 residents, Prosper’s vision is to remain a “Place Where Everyone Matters.”