

Reminder: No More Glass Recycling

As a reminder, the city no longer accepts glass for recycling from the green curbside bins. The concession was made with the city's primary recyclables contractor to maintain the city-wide curbside recycling program.

Residents are urged to either drop glass off at the nearest Neighborhood Depository/Recycling Center (see below) or engage with a local contractor for glass pickup that will ensure the glass is recycled and kept out of a landfill.

What is tree waste?

What is junk waste?

Tree Waste is "clean" wood waste like tree limbs, branches, and stumps. Lumber, furniture, and treated wood will NOT be accepted.

Junk Waste is items such as furniture, appliances, and other bulky material.

Tree Waste is accepted during Junk Waste Months; however, to ensure your Tree Waste is recycled into mulch, hold your tree waste materials until the next Tree Waste designated month or take it to a Neighborhood **Depository/Recycling Center** during 10 AM – 7 PM, Wednesday through Sunday.

Nearest Depository/Recycling Centers

14400 Sommermeyer – Up 290, just off Hempstead Highway, between Gessner and Windfern
9003 N. Main – just north of W 43rd/Crosstimbers

Illegal Dumping

Illegal dumping remains a problem in our area. While illegal and unsightly, it can also be hazardous depending on the material being dumped. To report Illegal Dumping call 713-525-2728

Heavy Waste Collection 2016

You can legally put your tree waste or junk waste out starting at 6:00 PM the Friday before Tree- or Junk-Waste collection.

Tuesday, August 23 – Junk Waste
Tuesday, September 27 – Tree Waste
Tuesday, October 25 – Tree Waste
Tuesday, November 22 – Junk Waste
Tuesday, December 27 – Tree Waste

Recycling Collection 2016

Thursday, August 11 & 25
Thursday, September 8 & 22
Thursday, October 6 & 20
Thursday, November 3 & 17
Thursday, December 1, 15 & 29

The City of Houston requests that trash and recycling containers be placed at least 3 feet apart to allow adequate space for the collection trucks to safely grasp, raise and return the containers.



The Rollout! app offers all kinds of useful information and reminders about the various City Solid Waste schedules for trash, junk waste tree waste collection, and recycling. It will even send you push notifications to remind you to roll your bin to the curb for collection.

The Rollout! App is available for download in the iTunes and Android app stores and is free of charge.



2016 Summer Fest

August 6 – 5 PM at Mangum Manor Park

Summer fun for everyone! The **Kona Ice** truck will be there, splash fun for the kids, face painting, lemonade stand, kites, food, drinks, music and more! Bring a lawn chair!

2016 Mangum Manor Summer Fest

The new civic club board has hit the ground running and decided to try out a new summertime event for the neighborhood – **Summer Fest!**

Summer Fest is hoped to be an annual, summer-themed community event to be held in Mangum Manor Park featuring summer-themed activities such as splashing fun for the kids, snow cones, grilling food, a lemonade stand with fresh lemonade, kites to fly, face painting for the kids (and adults?), music and more. Weather forecast for Saturday is currently partly cloudy with a breeze.

Jessi Heiner is spearheading the organizing and wrangling for this event and your help would be appreciated. To sign-up to bring something, please go to the planning website at:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4bacab22a5fb6-mangum>

If you would like to sign up for anything at your own cost, that is always welcome. If any funds are needed to purchase items for your sign up, please coordinate with and ask for approval from the master event coordinator Jessi Heiner to make sure you get reimbursed by the Civic Club. All receipts will need to be saved and turned in to the Mangum Manor Civic Club treasurer.

September Civic Club Meeting

Sept 13 – 7 PM at Scarborough High School

Meet in the Library for our first civic club meeting for the 2016-17 year. Guest speaker is TBA, come see your neighbors, meet the new civic club board and hear what the civic club is up to this year.

Mangum Manor Civic Club Membership Form

Name(s): _____ Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

- Annual Dues \$ 15 Beautification \$ _____
 Social Events \$ _____ Deed Restrictions \$ _____

Make check payable to Mangum Manor Civic Club

Mail to: Mangum Manor Civic Club
 P.O. Box 924305
 Houston, TX 77292

Civic Club Information

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www.facebook.com/groups/mangummanor

Newsletters will be printed and delivered for the months of October, December, and April. The remaining months will be emailed and uploaded on our website and Facebook page. If you would like a hard copy of the electronic newsletters delivered to your door, please email us or call 713-364-3351

Citizen Patrol Program

It is never too late to volunteer for the Citizen Patrol Program. Trainings are held monthly throughout the entire year by the Houston Police Department. Several neighbors have joined but we need some more. If you would like info about how to make Mangum Manor more safe, please email Jessi Heiner at j.h@aggiemail.usu.edu

Newsletter Writers & Delivery

We are looking for writers interested in submitting a paragraph or two for each newsletter on topics agreed upon with the editors. We are also looking for help delivering newsletters. If you are interested in helping with either of these items, please email contact@mangummanor.org

Yard of the Month

Around the 1st of each month, new winners will receive their sign. Judging will resume beginning in September. Results will be in the following monthly newsletter. Good luck!

National Night Out 2016

The civic club will be hosting a National Night Out party in Mangum Manor Park for all residents on Tuesday, October 4 at 6 PM. The board is still finalizing the event, but expect a speaker or two, prize drawings and fun as well as refreshments. Stay tuned to the Facebook group or watch your email inbox for upcoming details.

Let's Talk Trash

Trash. It can be a touchy subject. We all despise it. It's gross. And it's not ours, so why should we pick it up, right? Wrong.

Here are eight reasons why it pays to keep our neighborhood trash free:

1. Crime. Clean streets deter crime.
2. Clean streets reduce clogs in our drains, water, and sewer systems.
3. Clean streets prevent debris from flowing into our bayous and ocean.
4. Clean streets reduce road kill. Pets and animals run into streets for smelly scents.
5. Clean streets reduce street flooding during heavy rains.
6. Clean streets reduce mosquito breeding grounds, think empty bottle caps.
7. Economics. Trash free neighborhoods maintain their property values.
8. Chemicals from the trash, such as plastic bottles, won't find their way into our water systems.

Trash in our neighborhood is problematic for both our community and our environment. The good news is that we can make a difference. It's not glamorous work, but it's impactful and noticeable. So, grab a plastic grocery bag, your gardening/work gloves and head out the door. Your efforts won't go unnoticed!

Thanks to Melanie D.

Civic Club 2016-2017 Officers

The 2016-17 Mangum Manor Civic Club Officer Elections were held at the May meeting with the following results:

President: Angel Smith

Vice President: Francisco Blasco

Secretary: Emily Griffith

Treasurer: Melissa Averett

Section I Reps: Brad Young, Ryk Heiner

Section II Reps: Rosa Solomon, Carol Teague

Section III Reps: Carolina Chavez

Congratulations and many thanks to our new board members as they have volunteered their time to help make our neighborhood a better place in the coming year. Thanks also to the members who served over the past year as well!

Attention Section III residents!

We are still looking for a volunteer to fill an open slot as Section III representative. If you are a resident of Section III (Mangum Manor area north of the bayou), please speak with one of the board members if you are interested in this position. Section reps help keep the board and the civic club in general aware of activities in their area, contribute to event planning and discussions and participate in contest judging (yard awards, holiday home decorating, etc.).

No experience, skills or feats of strength required, just a desire to help out in your community!

Volunteer Architecture Review Committee

Thinking of putting an addition on your home or even tearing down for new construction? The Volunteer Architecture Review Committee is a group of volunteers that can help provide insight into understanding our deed restrictions! Email them at architecture@mangummanor.org