

# CITY OF ROBINSON TEXAS

CITY OF ROBINSON PUBLIC INFORMATION REPORT

APRIL 2016



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City Council Meeting  
May 3, 6 p.m.

Chipper/Shredder Day  
May 7, 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.  
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**Contact:**

City of Robinson, TX  
111 W Lyndale  
Robinson, TX 76706

Phone: 254-662-1415  
Fax: 254-662-1035

**City Court**

254.662.1415 ext. 6001

**City Utilities**

254.662.1415 ext. 6002

**After hours & Weekends**

254.662.0525

## Could Your Home Be Located Quickly If It Was On Fire?

If your home was on fire, would our local Volunteer Fire Department be able to locate it quickly? Recently it took 911 responders approximately 13 minutes to locate a house that was reported on fire. Due to the location of the home it was not visible from the street and an address could not be spotted. Without an address displayed it makes it very hard for 911 units to locate homes in a timely manner.

This doesn't have to be you! To decrease the chance of this happening it's important to make sure that your home address is appropriately displayed from the street you reside on. The Robinson Volunteer Fire Department has blue, reflective address signs for \$15 each. Not only are you helping the greater good of your home, but \$7.50 will go back to the Fire Department to help with operating cost.

These signs can be ordered through the Robinson Volunteer Fire Department by calling 254.662.3801. You may have to leave a message, but someone will call you back shortly.

Your house number will be displayed on the front and back and you can choose if you would like it to be printed vertically or horizontally. The signs measure six by sixteen inches, and can be displayed on mailboxes, or a post in your yard. These are easy to see at night and can help the Fire Department and other 911 units locate your home in a timely manner during an emergency.

### Example Below



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**National Weather Service Notification**

The Heart of Texas Council of Governments (HOTReady), along with local counties and cities are proud to offer an emergency notification system to the public, which gives local emergency management, public safety, and governmental jurisdictions a chance to inform the public in case of an emergency incident or public threat. This phone and email system is designed to provide emergency messages to you, the public, quickly and effectively should a need arise. To get a list of disasters you might receive information about visit [www.HOTReady.com](http://www.HOTReady.com).

HOTReady is constantly upgrading their database of landline telephone numbers registered in the Heart of Texas region. Since many individuals do not have a landline phone, we are most interested in obtaining cell phone numbers, email addresses, and Voice over Internet Protocol (VOIP) phone numbers.

If you have an address in the Heart of Texas region (Bosque, Falls, Freestone, Hill, Limestone, and McLennan counties), please register your information.

**Sign up or gather more information at [www.HOTReady.com](http://www.HOTReady.com)**

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# Help us welcome Corey Williams



The City of Robinson would like to introduce one of the most recent addition to the City, Corey Williams. Williams is by no means new to the City. He has been working as a temp in the Street Department for the last several months, and was hired as full time staff on March 21, 2016. Prior to coming to Robinson, he was a Truck Driver for places like Schneider, and other local companies. Williams is from the Penelope area, and is a high school graduate from Penelope High School.

Williams was very eager for the position here at Robinson because of the type of work that is involved. "By working in the street department there are so many things I get to help with, and it gives me an opportunity to gain experience, states Williams. Just from my months here as temporary staff I have completed tasks such as hauling flex base, fixing the roads, ditches, and pot holes."

Williams goes on to say, "The people that work for the City are good people and great co-workers. Everyone works as a team and gets along well with each other, it's a very supportive environment."

His future goals here at the City are to learn as much as possible and gain as much experience as possible.

## Community News



*Posting of an informational notice is in no way an endorsement by the City or its officials of any particular event, cause, organization, or measure. Because of space limitations and issues of fairness, notifications of events, rallies or appearances of particular candidates for political office are not acceptable content. In addition, notices soliciting donations are not allowed.*

### Public Notice is hereby given:

In accordance with the terms and provisions of the Texas Election Code, Title 17, ten qualified voters of the City of Robinson, Texas have submitted a written application for a "Petition for Local Option Election" to legalize the sale of mixed beverages in restaurants that hold a food and beverage certificate only.

The application has been approved and petition sheets will be issued soon. Volunteers will be going house to house and setting up in approved local businesses to gather signatures from REGISTERED VOTERS ONLY, during the next 60 days. 1,060 signatures are required to request a Local Option Election in November, which will allow voters to decide YES or NO on this option. For additional information please contact Donna Hartstack at h# 254-881-5771.

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Signup today by scanning the QR code or by visiting <http://www.robinsontexas.org/178/Citizen-Newsletter>



## Robinson Microchip Clinic

\$10 Microchips @ Brookshire's

100 Peplow, Robinson TX 76706

Robinson utility bill required for free microchips.

Saturday, April 16, 2016

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM



First 10 Microchips are FREE

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