



Woodshire Word

Woodshire Civic Club's Neighborhood Newsletter

New Subdivision Signs

We Have a Name...

and now others visiting our neighborhood know it!

It feels great to see folks coming together to make a difference. Jonna Hitchcock spearheaded the design and acquisition of the contemporary signs with our new Woodshire logo. Christian Gubitza and Troy Troxell installed the metal signs and surrounding landscaping at the Latma and Leeshire entrances.

Thank you to these and other volunteers who are making our neighborhood a more inviting place. The



Latma & Glenshire/Fordshire

Woodshire neighborhood pride is swelling.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Consider participating in the civic club. We need volunteers of all kinds, board members, block captains, committee members & chairs. Share your talents and skills or develop new ones.

Here is an exhaustive list of ways to serve: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Deed Restriction Committee, Hospitality Committee, Security Committee, Yard of the Month Committee, Beautification Committee, TNR Program, and Block Captains.

Reach out to learn more. Contact info@woodshirecivicclub.org.

The new Woodshire Civic Club board will be elected at the March 8 general meeting.



UPCOMING STELLA LINK SWEEPS

Feb 11 March 11

Join Woodshire residents and those of surrounding communities pick up trash and debris along Stella Link, the second Saturday of each month from 9AM to 10AM. Trash bags are provided. Bring gloves and water if it is hot. Wear your WCC T-shirt if you have one. The group gathers initially at Stella Link & Latma.

Beautification

Esplanades

Tree planting has begun! Volunteers have been busy purchasing, planting, and watering a variety of city approved trees along the Stella Link esplanades.

So far sixteen trees have been planted which include seven Loblolly Pine, four Oak, three Bald Cypress, and two Sweetgum trees. We have clearance to plant up to eleven more.

If you would like a tree to be planted in honor of a loved one or your family, you may contribute \$100, receive a map indicating which tree is “yours,” and watch it grow for many years to come.

Sign straightening has begun! Already there is a noticeable difference. Leaning street signs are being straightened on the Stella Link esplanades and inside our neighborhood.

SL Sidewalk

The east side of the Stella Link sidewalk between Latma and South Braeswood was nearly impassable due to a build-up of weeds, soil, and debris. Thanks to some of our concerned residents and two days of labor, we can now easily traverse the sidewalk.

2023 Goals:

- Finalize tree planting on Stella Link esplanades
- Install Woodshire subdivision monument sign on one of our Stella Link esplanades
- Unify Stella Link & Latma entrance and detract from eyesore AT&T utility boxes with landscaping/screening
- Organize community service projects where Woodshire residents help each other with targeted beautification improvements in the neighborhood
- Help plant trees for neighbors who request assistance

To help with ongoing WCC beautification projects email info@woodshirecivicclub.org or donate to the Beautification Fund by clicking the “contribute button” on the Beautification Page of the WCC website.

Yard of the Month

Friendly Competition

What fun it was to vote for our favorite seasonally decorated homes in Oct., Nov., & Dec. Thanks for spreading the holiday cheer everyone!



October
4115 Levonshire

November
4043 Levonshire

December
4159 Levonshire

January
4129 Glenshire

New Year, New Goals

We can do it!

So close! Our 2022 goal of having over 50% of Woodshire homeowners pay dues went unmet, but we were very very close at 49.4%. Ugh! Our participation goals for 2023 are even higher. We need your help.

Civic Club dues are annual and reset January 1. For budgeting ease, please pay dues in January if possible.

The auto renew option has been removed to encourage payments be made during the first quarter of the year.

Congratulations to Leeshire as they had the largest number of contributors in the neighborhood by street with 67% participation. By block, the 4100 block of Leeshire led the way with 74% of homeowner participation.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of our civic club in 2022, whether it be in time or funds of any amount. It all makes a positive impact.

Which street will dominate this year? Will it be **Bassoon, Breakwood, Fordshire, Glenshire, Leeshire, Levonshire, Martinshire, Mischire, or Newshire & Lakeland**. Let the challenge begin.

How to “Due” it, you ask?

To pay Woodshire Civic Club dues:

Pay by Check

Made payable to Woodshire Civic Club. Hand deliver or mail to 4115 Leeshire Dr.

Pay by Zelle

Electronic payment available at most banking institutions using woodshirecc@gmail.com

Pay by PayPal

Send payment to woodshirecc@gmail.com

Pay by Credit Card

Scan the QR code or go to woodshirecivicclub.org and choose the PayPal credit card option

Scan QR Code to
Pay Dues



Choose amount:
\$200, \$300, or \$500

Supporter Signs

Out with the old in with the new

The positive peer pressure seemed to work for increasing dues paid last year and there is a push to do it again.

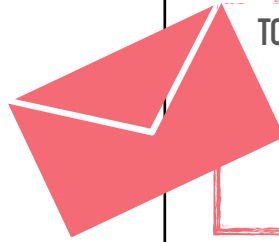
New Woodshire Civic Club “2023 Supporter” signs have been ordered, but not yet in hand. In the near future, a sign will be placed in your yard soon after dues have been recorded.

The “2022 Supporter” signs will be collected from yards this month. If you choose to keep yours, please remove it in advance.

Trash Talk

Heavy Trash Dates:

- January 16, TreeWaste
- February 20, Junk Waste
- March 20, Tree Waste



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BUILDING MATERIALS REUSE WAREHOUSE

The City of Houston opened a building materials Reuse Warehouse 2009. The Reuse Warehouse accepts donated construction materials from individuals, builders, supply companies, remodelers, and contractors. These materials are made freely available for use by any non-profit organization.

The Warehouse benefits the community by providing storage space for excess building materials that would otherwise be dumped in local landfills. The City of Houston stores the materials until they can be used by local organizations.

The Reuse Warehouse is completely free for both making donations and for non-profits taking material.

Hours of operation:

Tuesday-Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Closed: Saturday—Monday

Making a donation:

The Reuse Warehouse only accepts building materials that are in suitable condition for reuse and reserves the right to not accept any materials offered for donation. If possible, please call 281-814-3324 to describe what you will be bringing.

**UPCOMING
CIVIC CLUB MEETINGS**

January 18*

March 8

6:30 PM Wednesday

Linkwood Community Center

*Guest speaker from Houston Public Works

If you have a business that would benefit from our newsletter exposure, we invite you to place an ad for the next edition. Prices start at \$35 and help to offset printing costs.

WCC Merchandise

Show your neighborhood pride!

Go to the Woodshire Civic Club website and click on shop. Products include t-shirts, sweatshirts, baby shirts, water bottles, coffee mugs, tote bags, and notebooks.

