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Council Member Steve Le's Newsletter



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To the Residents of District F:

I am now two months into my term, and I am continuing to work hard for every resident of District F. In the past month, my team and I have attended multiple community events and meetings including the Alief New Year Celebration Parade and other Lunar New Year celebrations in the District and around the City. We have listened to your concerns and are working towards finding and carrying out solutions to these problems.

In the past month, I have continued my promise to make our District safer. Previously, I had met with the Westside Patrol Station to collaborate on ways to decrease crime in the Westside Patrol area. I followed that meeting by speaking with the Midwest Patrol Station to work on ways to decrease crime in their area, and I allocated part of my Council District Service Fund towards overtime for patrolling in the Midwest area.

Coming up on Monday, March 7 is the annual District F CIP Townhall Meeting. This Capital Improvement Plan meeting will give all residents an opportunity to express their concerns on major projects that they feel should be included in future CIP plans. Please come out and make your voice heard. I look forward to meeting with and listening to all the residents in attendance. If you have any questions about the meeting, please contact our office by phone: (832)-393-3002 or email: districtf@houstontx.gov.

Thank you again for all the support, and I am going to continue to make our district a safer and more vibrant place to live.

Sincerely,



Steve Le, MD
City Council Member, District F

Capital Improvement Plan Town Hall:

Council Member Le will be hosting District F's Annual Capital Improvement Plan Town Hall Meeting. Mayor Sylvester Turner will be in attendance to make remarks about the important issues in the District. The public is invited to attend and provide any feedback for any possible Capital Improvement Projects that they would like to see in their neighborhood.

Please mark your calendar for the meeting:

Monday, March 7
Alief Community Center
11903 Bellaire Blvd.
Houston, TX 77072

Council District Service Funds Allocated to Police Overtime and to Illegal Dumping Investigators



As part of Council Member Le's initiative to decrease crime in the area, he has agreed to allocate \$50,000 of his Council District Service Funds towards police overtime for the Midwest Patrol Station, which is headed by Captain James Dale.

Council Member Le is also allocating \$30,000 towards HPD Environmental Investigations Unit for overtime to assist with illegal dumping response time. If you see any illegal dump sites, please report it utilizing the [City of Houston 3-1-1 system](#). Upon reporting the issue to

3-1-1, you will receive a service request number; you can then call the District F office at 832-393-3002, so the District F team can track and follow up on the case.

City Hall Farmers Market Opens for Spring Season

Council Member Le had the opportunity on February 24 to join Mayor Turner and a few of his colleagues to open the City Hall Farmers Market for the Spring Season.



The Farmers Market is open every Wednesday from now until the end of June from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Herman Square in front of City Hall at 901 Bagby. The Market features local vendors including local fresh produce grown by local farmers, cheeses, breads, roasted coffees, and a variety of prepared meals, as well as food trucks.

To find out more information about the Farmers Market, you may visit [here](#).

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Kickoff for 2016 Season



The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is the biggest rodeo in the United States. On Saturday, February 27, Council Member Le had the opportunity to join a few of his colleagues and the Mayor in participating in the Rodeo Parade and Breakfast to kickoff the Rodeo Season in Houston.

The Rodeo features concerts, a carnival and great food. The Rodeo runs through March 20. To find the schedule of events and other events going on, you can visit [here](#).