



College Place in Review

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Quick Fact:

City Water Usage

May 2017
22,367,000

May 2016
37,948,000

YTD 2017
94,486,000

Total 2016
395,952,000

Your City Representatives

Mayor

Harvey Crowder

Council Members

Jerry Bobbitt
Michael Cleveland
Marge Nyhagen
Loren Peterson
Melodie Selby
Heather Schermann
Larry Dickerson

City Administrator

Mike Rizzitiello



PLAN FOR A SAFE INDEPENDENCE DAY



Summer is almost here, school will soon be out, and Independence Day is just around the corner! Let's make July 4th as SAFE as it is FUN. Fourth of July means Food, Family and Fireworks.

It is legal to sell and purchase consumer fireworks within the city of College Place from 9am to 11pm on each day from the first of July through the fourth of July and from 5pm to 11pm on the thirty-first of December of each year. The minimum age to purchase fireworks is 16 years old.

Consumer fireworks may be used or discharged each day between the hours of 9 am and 11 pm on the first of July to the third of July, and on July fourth between the hours of 9 am and midnight, and between the hours of 9 am and 11pm on July fifth and from 6 pm on December 31st until 1am on January 1st of the new year.

It is unlawful to discharge fireworks on the property of another without the permission of the property owner.

It is unlawful to discharge fireworks in a public park without permission from the Fire Chief. It is unlawful to discharge fireworks on city property that is not a park, including Public Streets, without permission of the city council.

A few Safety Guidelines to remember about Fireworks

Before You Light Fireworks - Be Prepared. Purchase only legal fireworks, available at approved stands. Place Pets indoors, they may become frightened. Keep a bucket of water nearby in which to place all used fireworks. Have a water hose or fire extinguisher nearby to put out stray sparks. Know your address, location, basic first aid, and remember to call 911 if you need emergency assistance.

When Lighting Fireworks - Be Safe. Have a designated adult supervise the lighting of all fireworks. Use eye protection, wear safety goggles. Light one at a time, move away quickly, and keep at a safe distance until the display is finished. Use only outdoors, away from anything that can burn. To prevent injuries, never throw fireworks and never hold fireworks in your hand.

After You Finish – Be Responsible. Clean up all debris when finished. Duds can be dangerous. If a device does not light or fire, an adult should wait at least five minutes and approach it carefully and place it in a bucket of water to soak.

More information on The City of College Place's Fireworks Code can be found in the *College Place Municipal Code* Section 8.08.

http://library.municode.com/HTML/14763/level2/TIT8HESA_CH8.08FI.html

Have a Fun and Safe July 4th!

Calendar of Events

July 9th at Dusk – Fireworks at the Old Rogers School Site (4th & Bade)

July 11th at 7 PM – City Council Meeting at City Hall

July 18th at 7 PM – Planning Commission at City Hall

July 25th at 7 PM – City Council Meeting at City Hall

July 26th at 5 PM – Economic Development, Tourism, and Events Commission at City Hall

July 27th from 4 PM to 7 PM – Farmer's & Artisans Market at City Hall

College Place Public Schools at a Glance



The last five years has been filled with hard work, growth, transitions, challenges, and rewards with our hearts in the right place to always try to do the right thing for kids. The School Board, administration, staff and students are so grateful to our community for the incredible support you have given us. We are working very hard at every level to ensure that we are using our school funding and facilities to provide the best possible education to impact the lives of our students.

Our District is growing and the growth of a community is a typical response to the building of new schools. While we anticipated an increase in the number of students we serve with the addition of the high school, we didn't realize our enrollment would almost double in such a short amount of time (722 students in February 2012 when the bond passed compared to 1289 students in February 2017). With the increase in students comes an increase in necessary resources to meet their needs. The District receives its revenues for these expenditures from 3 places: federal, state, and local levies. The District's local levy has and will remain the same from 2014-2018 (5 years). The District's current 4-year levy expires at the end of 2018; therefore the District will be asking the voters to approve a replacement levy in February of 2018, which will take effect in 2019. Currently the levy covers health and safety, student learning and enrichment programs, instructional support, technology, athletics, activities and maintenance.

We are actively planning for the 2017-2018 school year. We are looking forward to June 9th, 2018 and the graduation of our first class from College Place High School. This will be a milestone year for us in terms of curriculum, student and staff growth, and so much more. Please make sure you follow what is happening and we encourage you to come, visit and participate in our efforts – together we are accomplishing great things!

Stay Connected with CPPS!

Don't miss out on any news, events, academics, or sports information at College Place Public Schools. There are many ways for you to stay informed and get involved!

- Visit CPPS.org to stay on top of all school and District events, news and more.
- Download the College Place Public Schools App at iTunes or Google Play.
- Listen to weekly Podcasts from CPPS and Superintendent Tim Payne
- Download the **R School Today Activity Scheduler Sports App** at the App Store or Google Play
- Schedule a Community Tour at CPPS by emailing info@cpps.org