



# City of Hitchcock

Newsletter April 2023

## SUMMER INTERN PROGRAM

The City of Hitchcock is currently accepting applications for all internship positions available. We are seeking enthusiastic, qualified applicants for paid summer internship opportunities. The City of Hitchcock strives to provide learning opportunities for students from a variety of academic disciplines and to provide opportunities designed to equip the student with practical, real-world experiences that will help them transition into a successful career.

Interns will spend time on working on relevant projects, learning about the field of the department, and making city connections. Interns will fulfill tasks set out by the department supervisors or their designees and will have the opportunity to become a team member.

All positions offer temporary employment from June 5, 2023, through July 28, 2023. All positions are non-exempt FLSA status. Pay will be up to \$10.00 per hour.

### APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS:

- Must live in the City of Hitchcock.
- Must have reliable transportation to and from work.
- Currently enrolled in school and passing all subjects.
- Must be between 16-19 years of age.
- Committed to work the days and hours prescribed.

Below is a list of internship opportunities available:

Department	Location	Job Description	Work Schedule	Salary
<b>Police Department</b>	Hitchcock Police Department 6815 2nd St.	1 position available	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. M-F	Up to \$10/hr.
<b>Community Development</b>	Hitchcock City Hall 7423 Hwy 6	1 position available	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. M-F	Up to \$10/hr.
<b>Garage Mechanic</b>	City Barn 8221 Schiro Rd	1 position available	7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. M-F	Up to \$10/hr.
<b>Street Department Maintenance</b>	City Barn 8221 Schiro Rd	2 positions available	7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. M-F	Up to \$10/hr.

All completed applications must be submitted to Hitchcock City Hall by mail, email, or hand delivered. They will be distributed to the correct departments accordingly.

Mailing address: City of Hitchcock Attn: Stacey Baker PO Box 48 Hitchcock, Texas 77563

Hand delivered: Hitchcock City Hall Attn: Stacey Baker 7423 Hwy 6 Hitchcock, Texas 77563

Email: [comspec@cityofhitchcock.org](mailto:comspec@cityofhitchcock.org) - Please identify the job in the subject line.

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### DATES TO REMEMBER

- 4/11/2023 Planning and Zoning Commission Special Meeting at 6:00pm
- 4/14 – 22, 2023 Galveston County Fair & Rodeo
- 4/17/2023 City Council Meeting at 6:00 p.m.
- 4/25/2023 Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting at 6:00pm
- 4/29/2023 Lone Star Gumbeaux Festival

STAY INFORMED BY FOLLOWING US ON FACEBOOK



# 1st Annual Gumbo Food Festival

**PRESENTED BY**  
**TEXAS FIRST BANK**

**APRIL 29, 2023**  
**10 AM - 6 PM**  
8002 MLK AVE, HITCHCOCK, TX 77563



## *Gumbo Cook-Off*

Come and sample some of the best gumbo from across Galveston County and the state while watching teams compete for the title of best gumbo. Grab a commemorative sample cup to crown people's choice! (Purchase required for sampling)



## *Live Music and Shows*

Enjoy live Cajun, classic rock and country music performed by "Bayou Roux" throughout the afternoon. Kelly Ellison of "Kelly Cooks Texas" will be performing a cooking demonstration during the event and selling her latest book.



## *Vendors & Kids Zone*

Shop local craft vendors, sample local restaurants, check out some food trucks, and take your children to the Kids Zone for a day of family entertainment.



(281) 222-4775  
events@cityofhitchcock.org  
www.lonestargumbeaux.com





# CHLORINE MAINTENANCE

**APRIL 10 - 24, 2023**

As part of annual, routine system maintenance, the Gulf Coast Water Authority (GCWA) will temporarily change its water disinfection process from a combination of chlorine and ammonia (chloramine) to chlorine only.

This annual routine maintenance practice allows GCWA and the communities it serves the opportunity to flush their water systems to prevent taste and odor problems that can occur during summer months.

Water users may notice some water discoloration, cloudiness or chlorine smell during the disinfection period. These conditions are harmless and temporary. The chlorine maintenance process has not been linked to any adverse health effects.



## SPECIAL NOTE



Owners of fish and reptiles should follow standard water treatments using products that remove both chlorine and chloramine from the water.

Dialysis centers will continue to treat the water to remove all chemical disinfectants, including chlorine and chloramine, before the water is used for dialysis. Home dialysis users should consult their machine manufacturers for instructions on how to properly treat their water before use.

## QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS

Contact your local municipality or water district. As part of the disinfection process, municipalities and water districts will flush their systems by opening fire hydrants, which should remedy any issues.

## COFFEE WITH THE CITY

**Join us each 3rd Thursday for free coffee and breakfast at our newest networking event.**

### **This Month:**

Our Public Works Director will be presenting city infrastructure projects and answering community questions.

Thursday  
**APRIL 20, 2023**  
9-10 AM

Strong Tower Ministries  
7801 Burns St,  
Hitchcock, TX 77563



## **SPRING CLEAN UP**

The annual Spring Clean Up was a success! On March 25, 2023, 56 vehicles and 12 trailers filled up 4 large roll off boxes which included 38 tires.



Welcome City Councilmember, District 3, Morris Tuck. Mr. Tuck was sworn in at the March 20, 2023 meeting. We appreciate your willingness to serve our community.



Welcome Debbie Nesbitt to the City of Hitchcock family! She is our new City Secretary. She is a resident of Hitchcock and was the former City Secretary of Jamaica Beach.

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AFTER HOUR WATER/ SEWER/WWTP			(409) 795-7595
NON EMERGENCY POLICE	NON EMERGENCY POLICE		(409) 986-5559
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