



February 19, 2021

Fellow Citizens:

On this blessed "Day of Thawing," I most sincerely hope you are well, warm, and dry.

We are so incredibly fortunate here in Westworth Village. To my knowledge, as of now no citizen has lost electrical power, been without water, or experienced risk of water contamination.

As our world thaws, some of you may endure breaking pipes and water damage; our outstanding public works staff will do whatever it can to assist you, as it has been doing for our citizens over the last few days. From a city government perspective, the decade of infrastructure improvements undertaken by Mayors Yeager and Coleman -- new streets, water lines, and sewer lines -- was evident, as unlike our neighboring cities, we experienced no main line breaks or water disruption.

We tend to take it for granted, but our largely new infrastructure is the city's most important long-term asset.

I'm certain we agree it has been unsafe to have the garbage trucks driving through our residential streets, and thus the contractor is several days behind in collection. It will re-commence normal operations on Monday, so our residential collection will resume on Wednesday. To help the situation, tomorrow we will have two dumpsters delivered to city hall where residents may temporarily dump their trash. This is provided as a courtesy for regular garbage only; the site will be monitored by code enforcement, and anyone placing items other than normal household garbage into the dumpsters, or failing to place the garbage into the dumpsters, will be cited.

Again, we have been so very fortunate in Westworth Village compared to what our friends across Texas have endured, and it gives us yet another reason to be thankful we live in such a wonderful town.

On a personal note, I look forward to another two years as your mayor. As always, please call upon me anytime I can be of service to you.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kelly Jones".  
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