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CITY OFFICES TO CLOSE FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY

Fourth of July Parade Begins at 10 a.m. – Fireworks at 9:15 p.m.

TEMPLE TERRACE, FL. – (6/23/16) – Temple Terrace City Hall and other government offices will be closed Monday, July 4, 2016 in observance of *Independence Day*.

There will be no residential trash collection or curbside recycling that day. Trash will be picked up on the customer's next regularly scheduled day. Commercial garbage collection will not be affected by the holiday. The after-hours, holiday and emergency number for Public Works is (813) 506-6590.

The Temple Terrace Public Library and Omar K. Lightfoot Recreation Center also will be closed. The Family Recreation Complex will be open July 4 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, call (813) 506-6600.

Don't forget to come out and enjoy our annual Fourth of July Parade & Fireworks, hosted by the Greater Temple Terrace Chamber of Commerce. The popular event draws thousands of visitors and residents to our shady, tree-lined streets.

The parade will take place on Monday, July 4, starting at 10 a.m. It will begin at the corner of Whiteway Drive and Gillette Avenue. Parade units will head south on Gillette, west on Druid Hills, then south on Ridgedale Road to the Ridgedale Sports Complex near Temple Terrace Elementary School.

Evening festivities will begin at 6 p.m. on the first fairway of the Temple Terrace golf course. There will be a variety of food vendors, live music and other entertainment. Many thanks to the Bulluck Law Group, this year's presidential title sponsor.

Fireworks will light up the sky at 9:15 p.m. and can be viewed from the first fairway of the golf course. Lawn chairs and blankets are OK, but please do not bring personal fireworks of any kind to the golf course! Free parking is available in the downtown redevelopment area (corner of Bullard Parkway and 56th Street) and on residential streets except where "No Parking" signs are posted.

For more information, contact the chamber at (813) 989-7004.