

Good things going on in the City

Aug. 2 –9, 2021

TTPD OFFICERS COMPLETE ABLE TRAINING



The Temple Terrace Police Department is proud to announce that 52 City law enforcement officers have completed Active Bystandership for Law Enforcement (ABLE) training. Last year, TTPD was honored to be one of the agencies accepted into the ABLE Project, Georgetown Law's national training and support initiative for U.S. law enforcement agencies committed to building a culture of peer intervention that prevents harm.

Four Temple Terrace Police instructors – two officers and two supervisors - obtained certification as ABLE trainers, and, over the past few months, were responsible for delivering the eight hours of evidence-based active bystandership training, The training was designed not only to prevent harm, but to change the culture of policing. Officers will receive a two hour refresher course each year.

Backed by prominent civil rights and law enforcement leaders, the evidence-based, field-tested ABLE Project was developed by Georgetown Law's Innovative Policing Program in collaboration with global law firm Sheppard Mullin LLP to provide practical active bystandership strategies and tactics to law enforcement officers to prevent misconduct, reduce officer mistakes and promote health and wellness.

The ABLE Project is guided by a Board of Advisors comprised of civil rights, social justice and law enforcement leaders. More info about the program can be found here: https://www.law.georgetown.edu/.../active-bystandership.../

MASK UP

In light of the recent surge of individuals contracting COVID-19, effective immediately, all staff and members of the public entering City buildings including City Hall, the Family Recreation Complex, Public Works, Omar K Lightfoot Center and the Public Library are required to have their temperatures checked and to wear a mask.



City facilities will be cleaned and sanitized regularly to further mitigate any spread of the virus. All are encouraged to wash hands frequently and avail themselves to hand sanitizer from dispensers placed throughout the buildings. Social distancing is encouraged. Individuals who are experiencing symptoms of the virus are requested to stay home.

Reporter David Espinosa Hall at WFLA helped us get the word out with a story that aired on News Channel 8 last Friday. See it here: https://www.wfla.com/news/hillsborough-county/temple-terrace-officials-enact-mask-requirement-temperature-checks-at-all-city-buildings/

LAST DAY OF TAX HOLIDAY

Today is the last day for the 2021 Back-to-School Sales Tax Holiday. Consumers can purchase qualifying back-to-school supplies as well as clothing, footwear and accessories exempt from tax. No kids? Treat yourself! For more info, go to floridarevenue.com/backtoschool

MOSQUITO FISH GIVE-AWAY

Hillsborough County's mosquito fish give away is back! Mosquito Management Services will give away free mosquito fish to residents to help reduce backyard mosquito breeding. The fish are an effective, natural way for residents to control the spread of mosquito-borne disease.

Fish will be available on Saturday, August 21 from 8am until noon in the Temple Terrace Public Library parking lot.



Things to know about the event:

- Due to COVID-19 social distancing protocols, the event will be drive-thru only.
- To receive fish, you need a photo ID showing you live in Hillsborough County.
- Your ID information will be scanned into the mosquito database. After that step is completed, you will move up to next station to receive your mosquito fish.
- Limited quantities mosquito fish available while supplies last.

More info at https://www.hillsboroughcounty.org/.../20210605-mosquito...

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

As we look forward to celebrating the City's Centennial, the Week in Review will be taking a look back at some of the historic landmarks in the City. You also can see these regularly on Throw Back Thursday on the City's Instagram account and on the City website (click on City Info – History Overview).





Built in 1923, this is one of the original houses of our city. The original occupant was Charles Dickson, the secretary and treasurer of Temple Terraces, Inc. At right is the current house, which is located on East Bullard Parkway.



BACK TO SCHOOL

Tomorrow is the first day of class for Hillsborough County. Wishing much success to the students and parents for the new school year. Whether you have a child in school or not, please review these rules of the road for navigating around bus stops Be safe, not sorry!

ATTACHMENTS:

• Employment Opportunities



City of Temple Terrace

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES July 27, 2021

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- 3.112 BUILDING INSPECTOR II
- 6.140 PERMIT TECHNICIAN
- 6.142 PERMIT COORDINATOR

FIRE DEPARTMENT

4.127 FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC • TWO POSITIONS

LEISURE SERVICES • PARKS & RECREATION

- 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I FITNESS PART TIME
- 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I GYMNASTICS PART TIME
- 5.245 HEAD LIFEGUARD

SEASONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- 5.221 LIFEGUARD
- 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM (ASP)
 - TWO POSITIONS

POLICE DEPARTMENT

- 4.226 POLICE OFFICER
- 4.240 POLICE COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER TWO POSITIONS
- 4.255 DIGITAL EVIDENCE TECHNICIAN

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT • OPERATIONS

- 7.120 MECHANIC II
- 7.125 MECHANIC I
- 7.178 MAINTENANCE ATTENDANT I GROUNDS

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT • UTILITIES

- 7.160-LTE UTILITY MAINTENANCE II SEWER
- 7.166-LTE UTILITY MAINTENANCE I WATER

The City of Temple Terrace is a drug-free workplace.

A pre-employment drug screen, criminal history background investigation, and a driver's license verification may be conducted.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER VETERAN'S PREFERENCE EMPLOYER