

DR. THERESA DANIEL DALLAS COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 1 NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2023



ADDRESSING MESQUITE DAY

Commissioner Daniel, her staff and volunteers participated in the City of Mesquite's 19th Annual Addressing Mesquite Day on Saturday, October 7th. The day began at 7:30 am with a kickoff ceremony at the Mesquite Water Tower that included breakfast and a short program to start the day. Greetings were given from Mayor Daniel Aleman, Jr and others, and volunteers were encouraged to go out and make a difference for the residents of Mesquite. Addressing Mesquite is a one day event in partnership with the City of Mesquite and the Mesquite Ministerial Alliance that focuses on home repairs and landscape work for senior citizens, veterans, disable residents, and single parents throughout Mesquite.



Middle Left: D C Commissioner Dr. Theresa Daniel along with elected officials from the City of Mesquite listen to Mayor Daniel Aleman, Jr at the Addressing Mesquite kickoff. Bottom left: City of Mesquite Councilmembers, DC Commissioner Dr. Theresa Daniel, staff and volunteers with the homeowner Ms. Darleen Allen at the completion of the day. Top Right: Volunteers pruning a tree. Bottom Right: (left) Commissioner Daniel Staff pruning and clearing the backyard of Ms. Allen during Addressing Mesquite Day. (Right) The after photo .

Board & Commission Member Spotlight

Dallas County Hospital District Board of Managers Board Member Dr. Elizabeth Palacios



Dr. Elizabeth Palacios believes that the mission of the Board of Managers are aligned with the overall goal of the Parkland Health System which is to “Advance Wellness, Relieve Suffering, and Develop and Educate.” She takes this mission to heart being in the sixth year of her term that expires in 2026. She was first appointed to the board in 2017. With over 30 years of medical experience Dr. Palacios reports that the ICARE (Integrity, Compassion and Collaboration, Accountability, Respect, Equity) values that Parkland has adopted provide the framework for how the Board of Managers govern. The scope of the Board of Managers impacts the operations of the hospital by providing oversight of the hospital in patient quality and care. They are also charged with hiring and providing oversight to the CEO, as well as being members of the committees that make the hospital function operationally. As the chair of the Patient Safety and Quality of Care Committee, Dr. Palacios works closely with the Chief Quality Officer, Dr. Mike Lane to continue to improve and lessen the severity of patient care issues within Parkland. She states the process and methodologies that are in place are working tremendously and they have seen a significant reduction in the severity of complaints. A lasting impression that Dr. Palacios would like to leave once her term is expired is to have built a more medically strong board that stays committed to providing quality care and service to patients. The Parkland Board of Managers meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month. To learn more about Dr. Palacios and the Parkland Board of Managers, please visit their website at www.parkhealth.org.

Suicide Awareness Day Event



The Greater Dallas Suicide Prevention Coalition hosted its annual Suicide Awareness Day Event on September 29th at the Senior Source. This event hosted speakers and organizations that provide crisis and mental health services and also featured survivors and family members affected by those who commit suicide. In paying homage to those whose life ended by suicide, over 500 pairs of shoes were collected to honor their memory. The event also serves as an act of community service as the shoes were donated to the Well Community. Various civic, community, and governmental organizations are members of the Greater Dallas Suicide Prevention Coalition including Dallas County. If you or someone you know is suffering in crisis and need immediate help, please call the Crisis line at 9-8-8.



Top Left: Shoes leading into the room where the Suicide Prevention Event was held. Top Right: Dr. Deborah Purge, Manager of Seagoville Youth and Family Center for Dallas ISD sporting her crisis emergency shirt with the 9-8-8 crisis phone number. Bottom Left: Shoe Holders - DC Commissioner Daniel, event organizer Margie Wright, Executive Director of Suicide and Crisis Center North Texas and Dr. Tracey Brown, Executive Director of Mental Health Services for Dallas ISD along with members of her staff. Bottom Middle: Commissioner Daniel speaking with survivor Christopher Stephenson. Bottom Right: Commissioner Daniel reading the Suicide Awareness resolution.



Around District 1 and Dallas County



Top Left: Dallas County Commissioner's Court honoring National Manufacturing Day with elected officials and directors from various offices within the Cities of Mesquite and Garland.



Top Middle: Commissioner Daniel giving an interview to CBS Chanel 11 regarding the urban farm at Road & Bridge Distr. 1



Middle Left: Commissioner Daniel speaking with staff and residents during the D. C. Open Space Master Plan Meeting



Middle: Commissioner Daniel greets the attendees of the Garland Retired Teachers Meeting at Road and Bridge Dist. 1



Below Middle Left: Commissioner Daniel reading a resolution for Jury Appreciation Services Week with a delegation from the Dallas County Judiciary.



Below Middle: Commissioner Daniel along with her staff pose in front of Big Tex at the State Fair of Texas



Below Right: Commissioner Daniel speaking at the AFL & CIO Annual Labor Day Celebration



Bottom Left: Commissioner Daniel and her staff along with members from the Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Program at their exhibit at the State Fair of Texas.

Bottom Middle: LPGA Golfer Judy Rankin with Mavericks announcer Chuck Cooperstein at the Volunteers of America annual Women in Play luncheon benefitting the Resolana program at the Dallas County Jail.



Bottom Right: Commissioner Daniel presenting a resolution for the International Clean Air Day with Chris Klaus Senior Program Manager of Air Quality for Council of Governments.



District 1 Events!

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND
**Commissioner Dr. Theresa Daniel's
 ROAD & BRIDGE 1
 COMMUNITY RESOURCE FAIR**

Join us for an evening of information and resources provided by local organizations and businesses!

There will be **FREE ADMISSION**, activities for all ages, giveaways and entertainment.

Parkland will be there to schedule Appointments for Free Mammograms



ESTA INVITADO A ASISTIR
**COMISIONADA DRA. THERESA DANIEL'S
 ROAD AND BRIDGE 1
 FERIA DE RECURSOS COMUNITARIOS**

Únase a nosotros para una noche de información y recursos proporcionados por organizaciones y empresas locales.

¡Este es un evento familiar con actividades para todas las edades con regalos y entretenimiento! La entrada es **GRATUITA** y abierta al público.

Parkland estará programando citas para mamografías GRATIS



GOING GREEN



Dallas County is going GREEN with Electric County Vehicles.

Come check them out!

FREE FLU SHOTS!



Dallas County HHS is giving out Free Flu Shots

VOLVERSE VERDE



¡El condado de Dallas se esta volviendo ecológico con los vehículos eléctricos del condado!

¡Ven a verlos!

Vacunas gratuitas contra la gripe



El HHS del condado de Dallas está repartiendo Vacunas gratuitas contra la gripe

THURSDAY, OCT 26, 2023 6:00PM-8:00PM

715 ROWLETT RD, GARLAND, TX 75043



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JUEVES, 26, de octubre de 2023 6:00PM-8:00PM

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2023 VOTING INFORMATION

Mon., Oct. 23, 2023	First day of Early Voting
Fri., Oct. 27, 2023	Last day to receive application for Ballot by Mail in the office
Fri., Oct. 27, 2023	Last day to receive Federal Post Card Application
Fri. Nov. 3, 2023	Last day to early vote
Tues. Nov. 7, 2023	Last day to receive ballot by mail. Must be received by 7:00 pm
Tues. Nov. 7, 2023	Election Day

For Proposition Info, please visit:
<https://www.sos.texas.gov/elections/forms/2023-explanatory-statements-14.final.pdf>



DALLAS COUNTY Sheriff's Office

We Are Hiring ! On The Spot Interviews And Trunk Or Treat!

Commissioner Daniel's Office
 715 Rowlett Rd., Garland 75043
 October 28th
 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Position / Salary:
 Detention Service Officers - Salary range \$23.42 - \$32.55/hr depending on experience
 Communication Technician - Starting at \$23.20 an hour
 Courtesy Patrol - \$16.94 - \$20.83 an hour
 Clerical positions - \$15.00 - \$18.22 an hour

www.dallascounty.org/sheriff
 (214)741-1094



Dallas County Sheriff
 Marian Brown



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