

Mayor Segarra Steps Down

After three terms, Jose Segarra officially resigned as Mayor in March to pursue another office. Before leaving, he delivered his State of the City address on March 15. He highlighted a Comprehensive Plan that outlines a vision for the city over the next decade, revitalization of north Killeen and downtown (New apartment complex/monthly downtown events), \$28 million allocated from the American Rescue Plan funds and CARES Act funding provided rental/mortgage/utility assistance to 1,800+ families, and more. Visit KilleenTexas.gov to watch it.



New Mayor Sworn In

Debbie Nash-King became the first African-American woman to serve as mayor of Killeen as she was sworn in on March 25. Nash-King, who had served as mayor ProTem, succeeds Jose Segarra who resigned from the seat to seek another position on the Council.



Happenings



The Killeen Fire Department has been very active this year, as crews not only assisted Fort Hood in fighting wildfires there, but also were called to duty in Eastland County to assist with the Eastland Fire Complex, one of the largest wildfires the state has ever seen. After our four-man team finished its two weeks there, they took time to answer questions from the media.

Our Animal Service Department has opportunities for all. If you aren't ready to adopt your next pet, consider fostering one that just needs a temporary home. Also, our team is always looking to add volunteers to help out at the shelter.

FOSTER
Love a pet. Save a life.

Killeen Animal Services needs you!

I love snuggles
Can I crash at your place?

Call the shelter today
254-526-4455

Visit the Shelter
3118 Commerce Dr

To sign up visit
www.killeentexas.gov/Animals

Thank you for voting in our recent election, results can be found on our website, KilleenTexas.gov.

We've had a lot happening recently, including our annual Easter Egg Hunt, our Daddy-Daughter Dance, Family Fun Day, MoTown Downtown, Love Your Park Day and more.

Here's some upcoming key dates to keep handy:

- May 15:** City of Killeen's 140th Birthday
 - May 19-21:** Rodeo Killeen
 - May 28:** Latin Night (downtown)
 - May 30:** Memorial Day (City offices closed)
 - June 20:** Juneteenth (City offices closed)
 - July 2:** Killeen Downtown Independence Day Celebration
 - July 4:** Independence Day (City offices closed)
- Also we have Movies In The Park, June 10, June 24, July 8 and July 22

Our Long Branch Pool and Family Aquatics Center will open Memorial Day Weekend. **Admission rates for both are:**

- Children 3 and Under – Free
- Youth 4-16 - \$6.00
- Adult 17-54 - \$7.00
- Senior (55+) - \$5.00

We ask that seniors identify themselves as such at the admission window to obtain the senior rate.

Payment Processing Changes

The City of Killeen made a minor change to our payment processing system in April. Citizens may notice a slight difference when making a payment online or on their monthly bank statements.

We encourage customers with automatic payments set up to check that their account information is up to date and accurate.