



# Precinct 3 Quarterly Newsletter

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER RITCH WHEELER

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## A MESSAGE FROM COMMISSIONER RITCH WHEELER

As we move through the year, I am grateful for the continued opportunity to serve Precinct 3. This quarter has been filled with meaningful progress, community engagement and exciting developments. Thank you for staying involved and helping make our community stronger together. 🙏

## ROAD PROJECT UPDATES

While we continue to advance a wide range of projects across Precinct 3, we are especially proud to highlight the progress made through the voter-approved road bond. These improvements are a direct result of your support, and we are grateful for the opportunity to deliver meaningful upgrades that enhance mobility and safety throughout our community.

- 24 Asphalt Road Stabilization and Pavement Replacement Projects
- Approximately 27.2 lane miles of new asphalt pavement road surface
- 11 Asphalt Shoulder Replacement Projects
  - 26+ miles of roadway now include new asphalt shoulders in both directions, improving safety for drivers
- 9 Intersection Improvement Projects
- 27 Concrete Road Rehabilitation Projects
- 1 Median Adjustment Project (Lake Woodlands Drive) 🙏



## ENGAGING WITH THE COMMUNITY

Commissioner Wheeler was proud to join community leaders and residents at numerous events across Precinct 3.

He was honored to participate in the ribbon cutting ceremony at the Kevin Brady Library to celebrate the opening of the Innovation Spaces, highlighting exciting new opportunities for learning, creativity and community collaboration. Additionally, he and several staff from the precinct and Spring Creek Greenway Nature Center joined Bayou Land Conservancy for the Annual Chili Cook-Off, where our very own Troy Gibson, Senior Superintendent, took home first- place honors. 🙏



The quarter also included Commissioner Wheeler speaking to The Woodlands and Magnolia chapters of the Young Men's Service League, where he shared insights on integrity and leadership. He presented on the election process to Scout Troop 893 and hosted an educational tour of Precinct 3 Recycling Center and Sign Department, where he and precinct staff welcomed 45 students, parents and teachers from Splendor ISD. 🙏



## SPRING BREAK WEEK: BIG FUN, BIG TURNOUT

The Spring Creek Greenway Nature Center had 1,457 guests in attendance during Spring Break Week. To put that number into perspective, they average about 1,500- 2,500 guests every month.

From fishing and guided hikes to interactive wildlife presentations, families enjoyed a full week of hands-on learning and outdoor fun. A special thank you to the community partners and guest presenters who made it all possible. Way to go, Nature Center staff, for going above and beyond to make this week special and fun for the residents. For more information, visit [scgnaturecenter.org](http://scgnaturecenter.org).



## SPRING 2026 TOWN HALL RECAP



This year's Town Hall on Thursday, March 26, 2026, focused on transparency, community priorities and the progress being made across Precinct 3. Residents had the opportunity to engage with multiple county departments and community partners, all in one place, to ask questions and learn more about local services.

A key highlight was the feedback from our precinct-wide survey. The top priorities identified by residents included:

- Traffic congestion relief
- Continued investment in road infrastructure
- Fiscal responsibility in budgeting

In response, we shared updates on current and upcoming road projects designed to improve mobility and safety throughout the precinct. To date, dozens of projects have been completed, with continued progress funded through the road bond program.

We also provided a breakdown of how tax dollars are allocated and discussed the early stages of the county budgeting process, reinforcing our commitment to accountability and transparency.

Our Town Halls are rooted in our commitment to **Accessibility, Collaboration and Transparency (ACT)**, ensuring every resident has a voice in shaping the future of Precinct 3.

We appreciate your continued involvement and encourage you to stay engaged by attending future meetings, completing surveys and following along with updates from our office. 📧



## THE WHEELER REPORT - @TheWheelerReport

This quarter on The Wheeler Report, we had the opportunity to sit down with several outstanding community leaders and elected officials, including former District Attorney Brett Ligon, Montgomery County Sheriff Wesley Doolittle and Memorial Hermann CEO Justin Kendrick.

### What makes The Wheeler Report different?

These conversations go beyond titles and roles, giving you a chance to get to know the people serving our community on a more personal level. We are grateful for their time, leadership and continued commitment to Precinct 3. Please subscribe at [www.youtube.com/@TheWheelerReport](http://www.youtube.com/@TheWheelerReport) 📺



Each month, Montgomery County Employee Committee recognizes an employee who has gone above and beyond at work and whose attitude and professionalism inspires others. Precinct 3 is so proud of our Director of Administration, Jade Olivier, for receiving this award in February. We are blessed to have you, Jade! 📧



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