



Precinct 3 Quarterly Newsletter

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER RITCH WHEELER

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A MESSAGE FROM COMMISSIONER RITCH WHEELER

Serving the residents of Precinct 3 is both an honor and a responsibility. Every project we undertake is guided by a commitment to improving infrastructure, supporting public safety, protecting our natural resources, and strengthening the quality of life for our community. Thank you for your continued trust and support as we work together to keep Precinct 3 moving forward. 🌱

MOVING PRECINCT 3 FORWARD - PROJECT UPDATES

While many are enjoying the summertime fun, Precinct 3 has not pumped the brakes on road bond projects. Significant progress has been made over the past couple of months in areas that will benefit residents throughout Precinct 3.

Highlights include:

- Launching a major traffic signal infrastructure improvement project – starting the installation of new Miovision technology at every intersection. It provides real-time data and innovations in adaptive traffic management that will improve traffic flow and safety, while providing valuable information that will drive future transportation initiatives.
- Starting the Rayford Road-Discovery Creek signal and turn-lane project. Expected to be completed before the end of July, the project involves construction of left-turn lanes on Rayford at Discovery and signaling the intersection for vehicle and pedestrian traffic.

- Nearing completion of design plans for the Robinson Road widening, while acquiring necessary right of way and planning for utility relocations. The project will widen Robinson Road to four lanes from east of Hanna Road to Willow Creek Park.
- Reconstructing the intersection of Grogan's Mill Road and North Millbend Drive. All pavement work should be completed in July, with new signal equipment and traffic technology arriving by September. The project will improve functionality and safety at the intersection.
- Completing left-turn-lane extension on eastbound Sawdust Road at Interstate 45 to help improve through traffic at the intersection.
- Repaving of several residential roads east of Interstate 45, both north and south of Rayford Road (ongoing). 🌱

BUILDING A BETTER PRECINCT 3

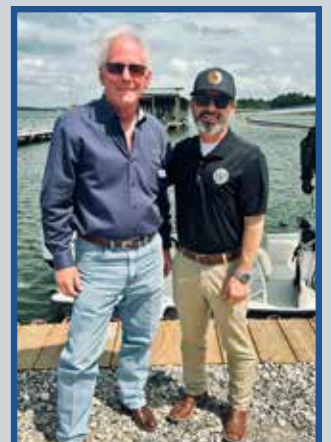


Highlights include:

- Celebrated the grand opening of the newest upgrade to the Precinct 3 Recycling Center, Household Hazardous Waste area that will expedite drop off time for residents.
- Hosted another successful Free Recycle Week,

providing convenient opportunities for responsible disposal and recycling. We saw over 2,200 Montgomery County residents in four days.

- Partnered with the San Jacinto River Authority (SJRA) for their spring deployment of Christmas trees that were collected at the Precinct 3 Recycling Center in January. Commissioner Wheeler alongside SJRA staff deployed the trees into Lake Conroe, helping create fish habitats and improve the lake's ecosystem. 🌱



CONNECTING WITH OUR COMMUNITY

Spring and early summer provided meaningful opportunities for Commissioner Ritch Wheeler to connect with residents, community partners and first responders throughout Montgomery County. He attended the State of Conroe ISD Breakfast, joined Interfaith of The Woodlands for its Spring Senior Lunch, volunteered at the Montgomery County Food Bank, participated in the Kevin Brady Library Touch-A-Truck event and was honored to speak alongside The Woodlands Township Chairman Brad Bailey during the Fleet Week wreath-laying ceremony at the Medal of Honor Memorial in Town Green Park.

Commissioner Wheeler, along with Commissioner Walker, also spent a morning at Henry's Home Horse & Human Sanctuary, where Denis and his wife, Darlene, have created a remarkable place where veterans can find healing, hope and restoration.

Committed to supporting public safety, Commissioner Wheeler joined fellow elected officials for Fire Operations Training Day at the Montgomery County Emergency Training Center. The facility features live-burn structures and advanced simulation tools that prepare firefighters for real-world emergency situations, providing a firsthand look at the rigorous training and dedication required to keep our community safe. 🚒



SUPPORTING PUBLIC SAFETY

Public safety remains one of Precinct 3's highest priorities. During the spring, Commissioner Wheeler served as emcee for the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office Annual Awards Banquet, attended the National Police Week Memorial Service honoring fallen officers, and participated in Fire Operations Training Day hosted by The Woodlands Fire Department. 🚒



Commissioner Wheeler continues to keep residents informed through podcasts and community interviews. Recent conversations included The Wheeler Report featuring Casey Sobczak, Founder and CEO of 6th Sense Fishing. 🎧
youtube.com/@TheWheelerReport

COMING UP IN PRECINCT 3

**SAVE
THE DATE**

Upcoming Workshop

Election Day Etiquette: Respecting The Voter's Experience

August 18, 2026

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Kevin Brady Community Center

Upcoming Town Hall

**SAVE
THE DATE**

Road Projects and Budget

September 15, 2026

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Kevin Brady Community Center



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