

Mayor's Newsletter

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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Last month our police chief, Kirk Riggs, reached out to me to let me know he will be retiring effective March 1, 2024. I will have a great deal more to say about Chief Riggs and his leadership in the months to come, but I can say with full confidence that the Jersey Village Police Department has benefited tremendously from his leadership. In the meantime, the process of finding his successor is already underway.

I had the privilege recently to attend a luncheon held at the Jersey Village Civic Center by Mothers Against Drunk Driving and their First Responders Support Team to honor and recognize first responders throughout the Greater Houston area. Two of our own, Fire Chief Mark Bitz and Communications Supervisor Rayne Herzog, were recognized as outstanding first responders during the awards portion of the program. Please join me in congratulating both of them! MADD does amazing work to support our first responders, and it was an honor to join them in recognizing the hard work of the many men and women who dedicate their lives to ensuring our safety.

As Thanksgiving draws near, I find myself reflecting on the spirit of gratitude that this season embodies. It is with a deep sense of appreciation that I extend my heartfelt thanks to each individual who contributes tirelessly to the well-being of our community. To our first responders, city staff, public officials, committee members, and the myriad of volunteers who generously donate their time and energy – your selfless dedication does not go unnoticed. Your collective efforts profoundly enrich our lives, and for this, I am truly thankful.

Happy Thanksgiving everyone!

Your neighbor,

Bobby Warren

Mayor