

IN THE MIDST OF THE TEXAS HILL COUNTRY

2023 ICE STORM RECAP

APRIL 12, 2023

Timeline of Events

Ice Storm Begins	Declared Loc. Disaster / Contacted W.C. • Feb 1	Staff/Council /Vol Assessed Damage	Met w/Tree Vendors • Feb 3	Neighbor Day (Chipper) • Feb 4	Assistance Email / ROW Clearing Began • Feb 7	Curbside Brush Pickup Began • Feb 13	Council/Vol Cleanup • Feb 10
City Staff/Vol Cleanup	ROW Clearing Ceased • Mar 10	Curbside Brush Pickup Ceased • Mar 14	Brush Assessment by Staff • Mar 19	City Staff Cleanup • Mar 20	Brush Assessment by Staff • Mar 23	Final Brush Pickup Waste Connections • Mar 24	Final Brush Pickup Road Crew • Mar 28
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Recommendations

- Develop a City of Woodcreek Emergency Operations Plan
- Redesign City's web page with a City of Woodcreek app
- Establish Neighbor to Neighbor (N2N) Network
- Establish emergency coordination between Double J Golf Ranch Club and Camp Young Judaea
- Establish Volunteer Emergency Responders (VER)
- Develop a 72 Hour Preparedness Kits for City Hall
- Purchase a generator for City Hall This will provide a "Command Post" in the event of loss of electricity
- Purchase a City Vehicle 4x4 P/U

FUN FACTS

- Waste Connections worked 29 days with Grappler Trucks on the City's Streets
- Averaged 8 loads a day
- 232 dumpsters filled and taken to Hays Country Transfer Station
- 6,700 cubic yards removed by Waste Connections
 - One cubic yard is the size of one washing machine
- Estimated cost \$210,000

