

QUARTERLY RAWS NEWSLETTER

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DROUGHT CONDITIONS

The current lake levels are at 30.1%. Stage 2 of the drought contingency plan comes into effect when lake levels fall below 30%. Restrictions for Stage 2 are as follows:

1 - Irrigation of landscaped areas shall be limited to once every other week (trash pickup day of the week). However, irrigation of landscaped areas IS permitted on any day if it is by means of a handheld hose, a faucet filled bucket or watering can of 5 gallons or less.

2 - Where applicable, watering of golf course fairways is prohibited. The watering of greens and tees are limited to once every other week (trash pickup day of the week).



DROUGHT CONDITIONS CONT.

Stage 2 also has the potential for a temporary rate increase structured as follows: after 3,000 gallons of usage, water rate may be 1.5 times the published rate per 1,000 gallons. To find this information and more, please review our drought contingency plan found here:

https://www.rawscorp.com/documents/89/River_Acres_Water_Supply_Corporation_-_Drought_Contingency_Plan_2021.pdf

Raws Alerts

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Regular Scheduled Board Meetings:

- 03.19.24
- 04.16.24
- 05.21.24

Office Closures:

- 03.29.24
- 05.27.24

Save the Date!

2024 Annual Members meeting is set for Thursday, April 25, 2024



PROTECT YOUR PETS FROM THE SUMMER HEAT!

The summer months can be uncomfortable—even dangerous—for pets and people. It's difficult enough simply to cope with rising temperatures, let alone thick humidity, but things really get tough in areas that are hit with the double blow of intense heat and storm-caused power outages, sometimes with tragic results. Here are some tips to keep in mind:

- Never leave your pets in a parked car
- Watch the humidity.
- Limit exercise on hot days.
- Do not rely on a fan.
- Provide ample shade and water.
- Cool your pet inside and out.
- Watch for signs of heat stroke.
- Prepare for power outages.

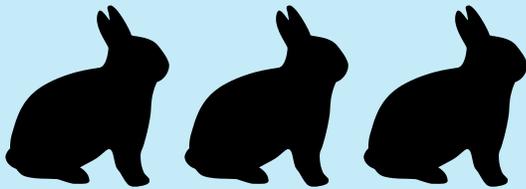
Source: <https://www.humanesociety.org/resources/keep-pets-safe-heat>

WELCOME NEW BOARD MEMEBR

At the February 20th, regularly scheduled board meeting, the Board of Directors appointed RAWs member Patrick Rueckert to the vacant position on the Board. Patrick was raised in Dallas before moving from Central Texas to the Calallen area in 2019. He is a Corporate Architect specializing in multinational ERP systems having worked for KPMG, Hewlett Packard, Oracle, and the US Navy. His interests include fishing, hunting, outdoor conservation, and amateur radio. Patrick volunteers as a board member of the Corpus Christi Kennel Club and is Vice President of the Alamo Area Shetland Sheepdog Club. He has Electrical Engineering and MBA degrees from the University of Texas at Austin.



HAPPY EASTER!



Sending you warm wishes and lots of love on this Easter holiday.



SMOKE ALARMS SAVE LIVES!

There are many causes of home fire related deaths including electrical fires, ignition of upholstered furniture, or unattended cooking. The common denominator underlying most of these tragedies is the lack of smoke alarms or smoke alarms that don't work. According to NFPA, three out of five home fire deaths occur in homes with no smoke alarms, or non-functional smoke alarms.



Here are some tips to ensure you are doing what you can when it comes to properly arming your home with smoke detectors:

- Install smoke alarms to help protect your home and family.
- Placement of smoke alarms is important.
- Maintain your smoke alarms to help ensure they are functioning properly.
- Choose the right smoke alarm for your needs.
- Have a plan prepared if the smoke alarm sounds.