

Missouri City Presents



LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM



October 3-6, 2018

Navigating *Governance*
today & tomorrow

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It is an honor and a pleasure to invite the community and honored guests to the Second Annual Leadership NOW Symposium on October 3-6, 2018, which also includes events sponsored by a number of our partners. As your official host for the Symposium, Missouri City is glad that we have been able to partner with numerous cities and non-profits for this great professional development offering. The City of Sugar Land is also proud to be hosting the National NFBPA's Texas Leadership Excellence Awards Gala on Friday, October 5, 2018.

I applaud our local steering committee for choosing the theme for this year's Leadership NOW Symposium, "Navigating Governance Today & Tomorrow." During our country's recent transition, it is imperative that local government leaders be effective in navigating a myriad of challenges today that will sustain communities for the future. Missouri City, in partnership with a number of agencies has lined up an excellent group of thought leaders and local government executives to share best practices, as well as, hosting a number of community events aimed at showcasing the many things that makes our region special. The Symposium will give you a chance to learn from their experiences and evaluate how their messages may resonate with your own organizations. At the same time, it's an opportunity to also ask what your personal role may be, and what leadership skills will be required to be successful.

To host the Leadership NOW Symposium and the NFBPA Texas Leadership Excellence Awards Gala here in the Houston region is a unique, warm and gratifying experience for me. As you may well know, the NFBPA has a history and reputation of fostering, educating, and promoting leaders to places and positions of success. I am proud that the City of Missouri City and other cities in the region have a close and supportive relationship with the NFBPA and that we share a commitment to diversity and inclusion. This year, the organization is recognizing three regional Mayors for their excellence in governance (Houston, Missouri City and Sugar Land), while also applauding the work of the newly elected Mayor of Charlotte and Senator Royce West.



Anthony Snipes

The Houston region is an area built on ideas, creativity and innovation, all set against a beautiful natural backdrop and a climate that supports development of businesses of all sizes. On behalf of our great city, welcome to the "Show Me City."

We look forward to seeing you in Missouri City!

CONFERENCE LOCATION ▶

TRANSPORTATION

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William P. Hobby International Airport, 7800 Airport Blvd., Houston, Tx 77061 is a commercial & general aviation airport located about seven miles SE of downtown Houston, just west of the Gulf Freeway (US Highway - Interstate 45). For ground transportation and other details, visit: <http://www.fly2houston.com/hou/overview/> or call 713.640.3000.

With more than 700 daily departures and 43 million domestic passengers passing through its gates in 2015, George Bush Intercontinental Airport, 2800 N. Terminal Rd., Houston TX 77032, is the largest airport in Houston. For ground transportation and other details, visit: <http://www.fly2houston.com/iah/overview>, or call: 281.230.3100.

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GOES THE WAY & SHOWS THE WAY**

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QUAIL VALLEY GOLF COURSE/ CITY CENTRE AT QUAIL VALLEY

2880 La Quinta Dr, Missouri City, TX 77459

Open to the public, Quail Valley hosts two of Houston's best golf courses, 2880 La Quinta Dr. The Course hosts the full-service Bluebonnet Grille restaurant and a quality Pro Shop. For tee times and more information, please call 281.403.5910.

LODGING

HOTELS

SUGAR LAND MARRIOTT TOWN SQUARE

16090 City Walk, Sugar Land, TX 77479
www.slmarrriott.com

Hotel Reservation link is available upon completion of registration at

www.regonline.com/2018nfbpaexcellenceawardsgala

Reservation deadline September 3, 2018, 5:00 p.m.

HAMPTON INN & SUITES

4909 Hwy 6, Missouri City, TX 77459
hamptoninn3.hilton.com

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS & SUITES

5007 Hwy 6, Missouri City, TX 77459
www.ihg.com/

ADDITIONAL CONFERENCE LOCATION

MISSOURI CITY COMMUNITY CENTER

1522 Texas Pkwy., Missouri City, TX 77489
www.missouricitytx.gov/



PRE-LEADERSHIP NOW FORUM

THE STATE OF HIV/AIDS IN OUR COMMUNITY (PUBLIC POLICY FORUM)

Wednesday, October 3, 2018, 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Barbara Jordan/Mickey Leland School of Public Affairs, 3100 Cleburne Street, Houston, TX

Texas Southern University, in partnership with the AIDS Healthcare Foundation (AHF) through the Black Leadership AIDS Crisis Coalition (BLACC) have joined together with several other Leadership NOW partners for a pre-public policy forum set to have a candid dialogue on the state of the HIV/AIDS epidemic in the Black American community and the necessary resources and tools available in building diverse coalitions to develop innovative strategies to achieving health equity goals in areas disproportionately affected by HIV/AIDS.

National, regional, and local leaders in the field will engage attendees in a community dialogue around cutting-edge advocacy campaigns, capacity building and social justice initiatives and developing a community action plan that will shift the paradigm of the HIV epidemic in the Black American community across the country. Come participate in a compelling dialogue on advancing health initiatives and making a difference in communities of color. This is a "free" community forum for all.



SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION

Thursday, October 4, 2018 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Missouri City, TX

MORNING PUBLIC POLICY FORUMS

TECHNOLOGY CHATS

Thursday, October 4, 2018 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Missouri City, TX

For the first time, four generations are sharing the same workplace: Traditionalists (pre 1945); Baby Boomers (pre 1965); Generation Xers (pre 1980); and Millennials or Generation Y (post 1980). With a changing workforce comes a change in workplace preferences, attitudes and expectations.

Technology and Innovation practices will be integral in the success of governmental agencies in the future. Join a number of companies who are finding ways to engage all four generations with innovation and technology tools that will make organizations more efficient and effective.

FISCAL CONDITIONS OF U.S. CITIES

Thursday, October 4, 2018 8:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Missouri City, Texas

City government's actions are always on display, ripe for evaluation and judgment. Cities are the heartbeat of communities and serve as the economic engine of America. The 2017 City Fiscal Conditions survey of city finance officers revealed the start of fiscal contraction in the municipal sector following several years of post-recession growth. Several major findings taken together signal a slowdown on the horizon, including waning confidence of city finance officers, slowing local revenue and spending trends and insufficient post-recession revenue recovery.

Join Sugar Land's City Manager Allen Bogard as he welcomes and facilitates a discussion with several invited Mayors from several US cities to have a frank and candid discussion regarding fiscal conditions of U.S. cities. Key areas to be addressed during the session include the following:

- 1) Better understanding the relationship between the city's fiscal health and the economic health of communities;
- 2) Discuss the state of infrastructure in their communities and other major issues on the horizon;
- and 3) Receive insights from visionary leaders on what they foresee in the coming years.

Allen Bogard



**CITY MANAGER, CITY OF SUGAR LAND, TX
MODERATOR**



21ST CENTURY POLICING: A PANEL DISCUSSION ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND COMMUNITY ACCOUNTABILITY

Thursday, October 4, 2018 10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Missouri City, Texas

Join us for a dynamic panel discussion and conversation that will tackle the legal, policy, and community implications surrounding policing. America has been inundated with public safety related issues for some time. The intersection of guns and public safety is among the many important issues stirring public debate today.

Leadership NOW attendees will join a panel of distinguished Texas Police Chiefs to discuss recent developments in 21st century policing, including public safety, community accountability, gun control legislation, and police certification (the process by which a state authority determines that an individual can exercise the duties and privileges of a law enforcement officer).

This is a session that attendees do not want to miss!

Chief Joel Fitzgerald



CITY OF
FORT WORTH, TX

Chief U. Renee Hall



CITY OF
DALLAS, TX

Chief J.L. Spires



CITY OF
PEARLAND, TX

LEADERSHIP NUGGETS TO-GO

SESSION 1: WHAT ARE YOU LEADING WITH? - LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES FOR ORGANIZATIONS

Thursday, October 4, 2018 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Magnolia Ballroom

Just as no two sets of fingerprints are alike - No two leaders are alike. Yes, all leaders have some similar characteristics but do you know what makes you unique? What are you leading with? Why would people want to follow you?

BYOB (Be Your Own Brand!) empowers leaders to work with and understand their unique attributes. By understanding your brand of leadership, you'll be able to build better, well-rounded teams, increase confidence, develop better leaders and improve the company culture which ultimately helps to impact the bottom-line.

Join our Leadership NOW presenter as they provide a wide variety of development opportunities for current and future leaders, such as critical thinking and decision making, emotional intelligence, and presentation skills. Since this is a Leadership Nugget session, be prepared to receive immediate tips for your toolbox to assist you individually and organizationally.

Sheila Coates



CEO, SPEAKER, AUTHOR & BRAND STRATEGIST
BYOB (BRING YOUR OWN BRAND)

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SESSION 2: CUSTOMER SERVICE: IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

Thursday, October 4, 2018 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Bluebonnet Ballroom

While a variety of elements go into creating and maintaining success, customer service always takes center-stage. What is at the heart of customer service? How can each interaction a customer (or potential customer) has with you affect the future of your business? Can quality customer service really be the difference between success and failure?

Join Jason Mangum to discuss proven ways for employees to manage various types of customer service challenges. Gain access to a world of customer service skills and techniques and learn how to apply them, resulting in customer loyalty. Develop strategies for overcoming customer service failures and develop a customer base that transforms from being satisfied customers to being your biggest fans.

Jason Mangum



PARKS & REC DIRECTOR, CITY OF MISSOURI CITY, TX

LEADERSHIP NOW LUNCHEON

INSPIRED WORDS BY MARC A. OTT: A CONVERSATION WITH ICMA'S EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Thursday, October 4, 2018 12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Magnolia Ballroom

Inspired Words by Marc Ott: A Conversation with ICMA's Executive Director

Join ICMA Executive Director Marc A. Ott as he engages the Leadership NOW attendees during a luncheon conversation about the future of professional local government management. During this session, Marc will explore the issues that challenge the way managers are taught to think about management, the components of the traditional "manager toolbox," and whether those tools are still relevant in this era of disruptive innovation and technology.

Marc A. Ott



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, ICMA

TECHNOLOGY SHOWCASE & BREAK

Thursday, October 4, 2018 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Azalea Room

Join innovative companies and get up-close and hands-on with the Technology Showcase. Leadership NOW attendees will have an opportunity to get up to speed on today's hottest products and trends and find the right solutions for organizations. Throughout the day, attendees will be able to learn about the issues facing all sectors of the industry while also learning how technology can be used to overcome those issues.



LEADERSHIP NUGGETS TO-GO

SESSION 3: INNOVATION AND THE CHANGING FACE OF GOVERNMENT

Thursday, October 4, 2018 2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley – Bluebonnet Ballroom

Discover the roles, responsibilities and duties of Innovation Directors in municipal government. Determine if your organization is ready to implement high-level organizational innovation delivery techniques. Learn how to prepare staff, elected officials and citizen groups for the implementation of innovation directors.

Also learn how changing organizational demographics within the workplace affect expectations of service delivery and levels of communication. In this session we'll discuss how to overcome generational misconceptions and employ effective techniques for communication with people of all ages, whether citizens or co-workers.

Join municipal expert Dr. Jason Cooley, who has a proven track record of finding new ways to discover, implement and manage innovation to streamline operations and improve productivity.

Dr. Jason Cooley



**STRATEGIC SERVICES MANAGER/
INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS MANAGER
CITY OF FRISCO, TX**

SESSION 4: THE SPEED OF TRUST: THE ONE THING THAT CHANGES EVERYTHING

Thursday, October 4, 2018 2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Magnolia Ballroom

Water is the vital substance that sustains all life on this planet. When it's there, everything flourishes and grows. When it's not there, everything withers and dies. The same is true for trust. Where there is no trust, relationships decay, projects fail, customers go to competitors, initiatives under-perform, and work grinds to a crawl. Like a ripple in a pond, trust begins with you.

Leaders who attend the highly interactive Leading at the Speed of Trust® 3.0 work session will increase their personal credibility and practice specific behaviors that increase trust. As a result, they will be able to better manage change and lead high-performing teams that are agile, collaborative, innovative, and engaged.

Leading at the Speed of Trust 3.0 will provide the mindset, skillset, and toolset that will measurably increase a participant's ability to deliver results in a way that inspires trust. The content can be delivered online via a virtual classroom or in a traditional classroom setting.

Chris "Kish" Kishiyama



**COMMANDER, SWAT (RET)
FRANKLIN COVEY - DIRECTOR PUBLIC SAFETY
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THE STATE OF YOUR HEALTH: WHAT CAN YOU DO?

Thursday, October 4, 2018 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Magnolia Ballroom

Heart disease and stroke are among the nation's leading causes of death and major causes of disability, projected to cost more than \$351 billion in 2003.

Statistics regarding HIV/AIDS are equally startling with an estimated 20.9 million people receiving HIV treatment in mid-2017. HIV/AIDS remains one of the world's most significant public health challenges, particularly in low- and middle-income countries. However, globally, only 53% of the 36.7 million people living with HIV in 2016 were receiving antiretroviral therapy (ART).

In the next two decades, these conditions can be expected to increase sharply as this country's "baby boom" generation ages. The current disease burden, recent trends, and growing disparities among certain populations reinforce this projection. Yet these conditions are largely preventable. As expressed in the Steps to a Healthier US initiative from Secretary of Health and Human Services Tommy G. Thompson, "the long-term solution for our nation's health care crisis requires embracing prevention as the first step.

To reverse the epidemic of heart disease and stroke through increasingly effective prevention, action is needed now." The same is true with HIV/AIDS. Join a diverse panel of Health professional to discuss ways that organizations and communities are dealing with these issues head-on.



SMART CITIES: HOW UTILITIES CAN HELP CITIES PREPARE FOR THE FUTURE

Thursday, October 4, 2018 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Magnolia Ballroom

As municipalities seek to grow and invest in infrastructure, there is pressure to modernize and incorporate new technologies, integrate sustainable and resilient resources in order to increase the city's attractiveness and productivity, respond appropriately to natural disasters, and improve the livability and workability of its citizens.

Utilities are in a unique position to help cities grow into smart cities by leveraging its existing modernized infrastructure. Presented by CenterPoint Energy, this session will be a dynamic and interactive discussion that explores smart city concepts to address the growing needs of cities as well as discuss near-term solutions that set the stage for future smart city endeavors.



Presented by:  **CenterPoint Energy**



GOLD STANDARD NETWORKING

"SHOW ME CITY" COMMUNITY RECEPTION

Thursday, October 4, 2018 5:00 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Magnolia Ballroom

Join over 300 community and national leaders as the City of Missouri, in partnership with the AIDS Healthcare Foundation welcomes them to a "Taste of our Community". Enjoy an evening of excellence as the "Show Me City" and its Leadership NOW partners welcome guests to end the day with gold standard networking and smooth jazz sounds of saxophonist Theresa Grayson. Conferees and guests will also have any opportunity to learn more about the grassroots community efforts of AHF and BLACC.

Theresa Grayson
Saxophonist



LEADERSHIP NOW EXCLUSIVE MOVIE & EDUCATIONAL FORUM

Thursday, October 4, 2018 8:00 p.m. City Centre at Quail Valley - Magnolia Ballroom

MAYNARD: THE MAN. THE POLITICIAN. THE GAME CHANGER

Join one of our Leadership NOW partners (NFBPA) and the Positive Purpose Movement as they bring you the movie & educational forum of Maynard Jackson, Jr, who was the first black Mayor of a major southern city, Atlanta. In 1968 after the assassinations of MLK Jr. and Robert Kennedy, he announced his candidacy for the Georgia U.S. Senate against known segregationist, Herman Talmadge. His loss ultimately ignited a movement in the south that was started by Dr. King then picked up by Maynard. The "enforcer" of affirmative action and voter turnout, Maynard crafted successful diversity, inclusion & engagement templates still practiced today, and transformed the reputation of Atlanta from the "heart of the confederate south" to a cosmopolitan world-class city.



MAYNARD

THE MAN. THE POLITICIAN. THE GAME CHANGER.

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PARTNER WEEKEND EVENTS

(Free to Leadership NOW Registrants on a First-come, First-served Basis) *

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION DAY 2018

Friday, October 5, 2018 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. City of Missouri City – City Hall

The City of Missouri City is again sponsoring, Public Administration Day, which is focused on exposing young people to a variety of fields in Public Administration (Public Safety, Technology, Law, Engineering, Business, and Health and Human Services). The city believes this initiative will allow students to consider public service as a career option.

This year, we are hosting 100 students from Missouri City High Schools. Other events for the day will include: A Continental Breakfast for the students at City Hall, a luncheon with leaders from Houston Community College, Texas Southern University, and the University of Houston.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT TOUR *

Friday, October 5, 2018 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. City of Missouri City – City Hall
Lunch Included - **Various Locations**

Join Missouri City and Leadership NOW partners as they host insightful tours of Economic Development and Community Development award winning and new projects. Attendees will first visit Sienna Plantation, which is the Houston area's top-selling master-planned community, No. 2 in Texas and No. 15 in the nation — according to a recently released report by housing researcher Robert Charles Lesser & Co. (RCLCO). Sixteen builders offer homes priced from the \$250,000s to more than \$1 million in Sienna Plantation. Residents enjoy an active lifestyle with frequent events, water parks, 35 miles of trails, more than 100 acres of parks and much more. Seven Fort Bend ISD campuses are located on-site, including the soon-to-open middle school. Come and see first-hand, Johnson Development's strategies for success for Missouri City and Sugar Land.

Part Two of the tour will be to visit one of the hottest Business parks in the region, Lakeview Business Park in Missouri City, a prime real estate center that is home to national and international companies such as Rich Products Corporation and Niagara Bottling LLC. Upon arrival, guests will get a sweet treat during a visit to the Rich's plant where they will see first-hand how a smorgasbord of delicious cheesecakes are created on-site. You don't want to miss these fabulous trips; make sure you're onboard the bus!

SESSION 4: DIVIDED COMMUNITY PROJECT PRESENTS THE MIDLAND SIMULATION (ONLY FOR LEADERSHIP NOW PARTNERS & INVITED PARTICIPANTS)

Friday, October 5, 2018 9:00 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. City of Missouri City – Community Center
(Lunch and Snacks Included)

Leadership NOW Partners welcome Bill Froehlich, Langdon Fellow in Dispute Resolution from the Moritz College of Law at The Ohio State University and his team to present "The Midland Simulation". Through his role as Deputy Director of the Divided Community Project, which grew out of an April 2015 meeting of leaders and mediators from throughout the United States with experience dealing with civil unrest in communities, they are helping communities transform divisive issues into broad-based, forward-thinking community action.

The project utilizes a proactive approach to addressing community division: communities are first asked to focus on the roots of deep community divisions, and then project members take a multi-disciplinary approach to generating ideas to help those communities create plans before divisive incidents erupt.

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SESSION 4: DIVIDED COMMUNITY PROJECT PRESENTS THE MIDLAND SIMULATION (ONLY FOR LEADERSHIP NOW PARTNERS & INVITED PARTICIPANTS) CONT.

Aiming to examine the impact of social media on dispute resolution intervention and prevention dynamics, the organization developed its third report focused on the intersection of community division and social media, titled "Divided Communities and Social Media: Strategies for Community Leaders." This is a simulation that you don't want to miss!



WILLIAM FROEHLICH
LANGDON FELLOW IN DISPUTE RESOLUTION
MICHAEL E. MORITZ COLLEGE OF LAW
THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

TEXAS LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE GALA

Friday, October 5, 2018 Reception: 6:00 p.m. Dinner: 7:00 p.m. Sugar Land Marriott Town Center

NFBPA and its partners are proud to celebrate and host its Texas Leadership Awards Gala on Friday, October 5, 2018 in Sugar Land, TX. For over a decade, NFBPA has recognized leaders from throughout the country for their dedication and hard work to enhance public service. This year, the organization will return to Texas to recognize several distinguished Texas public servants and one national awardee. Each year a limited number of individuals receive the award to spotlight their achievements and to say "Thank You for your exemplary leadership qualities, inspiring others to strive for excellence and demonstrating the core values aligned with the NFBPA mission and goals".

Previous award recipients have included members of Congress, Governors, Secretaries of State, State Senators, County Executives, and other national leaders. Honorable Julian Castro, now US Secretary of Housing & Urban Development received the Trailblazer Award while Mayor of the City of San Antonio, TX.

Last year at the organization's July Annual Leadership Gala, the Trailblazer award was given to the Honorable Terri A. Sewell, Congresswoman, 7th Congressional District, Alabama. Other leadership award recipients were given to The Honorable Boyd Rutherford, Lt. Governor, State of Maryland, The Honorable Muriel Bowser, Mayor, District of Columbia and Gregory Dyson, Senior Vice President and Chief Operations and Marketing Officer, ICMA-RC. In previous years other awardees have included Congressman John Lewis, Governor Deval L. Patrick, U S Senator Tim Kaine and Mayor Kasim Reed, to name a few.

Because Texas is known for great public sector leaders, this year's recipients are largely from the Lone State.



MAYOR VI ALEXANDER LYLES
CITY OF CHARLOTTE, NC
(INVITED)



MAYOR ALLEN OWEN
CITY OF MISSOURI CITY



MAYOR SYLVESTER TURNER
CITY OF HOUSTON



SENATOR ROYCE WEST
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YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

LET'S TALK AND SPEAK UP: A CANDID AND OPEN DISCUSSION ABOUT HIV/AIDS

Saturday, October 6, 2018 9:00 a.m. Main Event Entertainment Center,
Fountains On the Lake - Stafford, TX

2018 BOWL FOR A CAUSE

Join Missouri City, AIDS Healthcare Foundation, BLACC, NFBPA and participants from the Missouri City Mayor's Commission, area Boys and Girls Clubs, the My Brother's Keeper's program, local churches, and other local youth programs as they talk and speak up, while also bowling for key community causes.

Benefitting the following agencies: AIDS Healthcare Foundation; Alzheimer's Association; American Cancer Society; American Heart Association; Boys and Girls Club of America; Center for Leadership Development; and the Ruth Fox Scholarship Fund

YOUTH FORUM

LET'S TALK AND SPEAK UP: OVERCOMING THE SPIRAL OF HIV/AIDS

WHAT: The young people will meet at the Forum to share their experiences, ideas and strategies for responding to HIV/AIDS, and to reinforce their crucial role to overcoming the spiral of HIV/AIDS.

Their participation in this creative dialogue will provide an opportunity to assess how realistic existing HIV programs are and to make the case that their involvement is a necessary pre-condition for any response to be relevant and effective.

BACKGROUND: Young people are at the center of the HIV/AIDS pandemic: they are both the hardest hit by the disease and also the key to overcoming it. In many countries, 60% of new infections are among young people in the 16 to 24 age-group. Young girls are especially affected, accounting for more than two out of three new infections among the 15 to 19 year olds. Alarming, the so-called "window of hope" is getting smaller and smaller: surveys conducted in many countries with high HIV prevalence rates show that young boys and girls are already sexually active by age 15.

While young people see themselves very much as agents of change, they are the most disadvantaged in terms of access to resources, information and decision-making.

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COMMUNITY NIGHT OUT

Saturday, October 6, 2018 4:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. City Hall Complex

The "Show Me City" is proud to host its Third Annual Community Night Out on Saturday, October 6 from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. at the City Hall Complex, 1522 Texas Parkway.

Resident and visitors are invited to dance their way into a fall evening of fun and fellowship at the free special event that will feature live performances by national performing artists Zapp, Tucka, Cupid, Kyle Turner (Jazz), Mark Dini (Jazz), and Paula Atherton (Jazz), and more.

Festivities will also include food trucks, bounce houses, a rock climbing wall, face painting, public safety apparatus, event booths, a health fair, and more. You don't want to miss it!

JAZZ SHOWCASE – 4:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.



KYLE TURNER



MARK DINI



PAULA ATHERTON

MAIN STAGE SHOWCASE – 6:30 P.M. – 10:00 P.M.



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WHAT'S HAPPENING IN SUGAR LAND, TX?

J BALVIN

Event details: Multi-platinum, award-winning Colombian superstar and one of the hottest acts in Latin music. J Balvin, is inviting fans to vibe with him this fall at Smart Financial Centre on October 4!

Event location: Smart Financial Centre at Sugar Land

Event address: 18111 Lexington Blvd.
Sugar Land, TX 77479
(281) 207-6278



GIVING SPIRITS CONCERT SERIES

Event details: Come out to enjoy live music from Zip Dagger Soul Infinity in the Plaza and learn more about the local non-profit, Fort Bend Community Prevention Coalition. This fun variety band led by award-winning multi-instrumentalist Zip Dagger and they cover familiar and eclectic Funk, Motown, Soul, Rock and Pop, featuring classic and current hits.

Event location: Sugar Land Town Square

Event address: 2711 Plaza Drive
Sugar Land, TX 77479



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN PEARLAND, TX?

LIVE MUSIC AT CENTRAL TEXAS STYLE BBQ

Central Texas Style BBQ is a family-owned restaurant located in Pearland since 1969. Serving up smoked BBQ meats, traditional and Cuban inspired sides plus indulgent desserts, Central Texas Style BBQ is a popular spot for the local community. Enjoy live music on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 6 to 9 p.m.



KING'S BIERGARTEN FEATURES LIVE MUSIC

King's Biergarten in Pearland offers authentic German/Austrian cuisine in a casual, inviting setting. The relaxed atmosphere is family friendly and includes live music on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights.

Friday: 6 to 10 p.m.

Saturday: 5 to 10 p.m.

Sunday: 4 to 8 p.m.

For more information about the featured performers, go to: kingsbiergarten.com/live-music



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN BELLAIRE, TX?

BELLAIRE PARTY AT THE PAVILION!

Join the City of Bellaire at their Bellaire Town Square for their monthly Party at the Pavilion featuring the Cajun sounds of Bayou Roux! October 5, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.



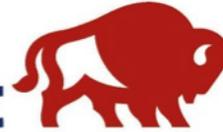
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