

# MY BRADY

Newsletter



BRADY  
THE CITY OF  
TEXAS



**Residents must keep their property clean and free of junk and debris.**

**For more information you may contact Joshua Soto at 325-597-2152 x 1008, e-mail [jsoto@bradytx.us](mailto:jsoto@bradytx.us), or come by City Hall at 201 E. Main St.**



SCAN HERE FOR A FULL LISTING OF ORDINANCES

**In observance of  
President's Day  
City offices will be closed  
Monday, February 17th**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday, February 18th</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday, February 19th</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>No Change</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>No Change</b>

*Please have poly carts out the night before. Commercial routes tentative to change.*

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**Apply Now**

Applications Open Jan 15 - Feb 28, 2025

**TGA Now Accepting Scholarship Applicants**

Scholarships to be Awarded:

- 8 Academic (\$5000 each)
- 2 Technical (\$5000 each)
- 4 Post-Secondary Education (\$2500 each)



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More Information

Must be:  
Texas resident completing high school or a GED;  
must be a legal dependent of a current employee  
of a TGA member company in good standing  
Entering their first year in undergraduate  
college/university, age 22 and under.  
TGA will award eight \$5000 academic  
scholarships in 2025 to first-year undergraduate  
students who carry a full-time class load for both  
semesters of the academic year.

**Texas Gas Association  
3616 Far West Blvd., Suite #117 - PMB 365  
Austin, Texas 78731  
Phone: 512-328-8632  
E-mail [mailetxasgas.com](mailto:mailetxasgas.com)**

## Up Coming City Holidays:

**April 18th  
Good Friday**

**May 26th  
Memorial Day**

*Holidays normally alter trash  
pick up schedules*

For emergency after-hours services  
please call, McCulloch County Sheriff's  
Office at 325-597-0639  
City of Brady utilities staff will be  
dispatched as needed

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has set maximum "allowable levels" for certain contaminants in drinking water. These levels are referred to as MCL (Maximum Contaminant Levels). When the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) notifies the City that our drinking water supply shows that the allowable levels for certain contaminants have been exceeded, we are required to notify our citizens. This is a mandatory/required quarterly notification regarding contaminant levels of Radium, Gross Alpha (excluding Radon and Uranium) in our drinking water for the time frames indicated below.

## **Mandatory language for Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) Violation, COMBINED RADIUM -226 & RADIUM -228**

TCEQ has notified the CITY OF BRADY that the drinking water being supplied to customers had exceeded the MCL for COMBINED RADIUM (-226 & -228). EPA has established the MCL for COMBINED RADIUM (-226 & -228) at 5 pico curies per liter (pCi/L), based on a running annual average (RRA), and has determined that it is a health concern at levels above the MCL. Analysis of drinking water in your community for COMBINED RADIUM (-226 & -228) indicates a level during quarter two of 2024 of 48 pCi/L for EP004, 10 pCi/L for EP005 and 10 pCi/L for EP007.

**This is not an emergency.** However, some people who drink water containing Radium -226 and/or -228 in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

**You do not need to use an alternative water supply.** However, if you have health concerns, you may want to talk to your doctor to get more information about how this may affect you.

We are working to correct the problem: The City of Brady has engaged professional engineering services in which probable technical solutions have been derived to reduce radionuclides in the drinking water. The City of Brady expects to return to compliance on or about the year 2025.

## **Mandatory language for Maximum Contaminant Level Violation MCL, AVERAGE GROSS ALPHA, EXCL. RADON & URANIUM**

TCEQ has notified the CITY OF BRADY that the drinking water being supplied to customers had exceeded the MCL for Gross Alpha (excluding Radon and Uranium). EPA has established the MCL for Gross Alpha (excluding Radon and Uranium) at 15 pico curies per liter (pCi/L) based on a running annual average (RAA), and has determined that it is a health concern at levels above the MCL. Analysis of drinking water in your community for Gross Alpha (excluding radon and uranium) indicates a level during quarter two of 2024 of 21 pCi/L for EP003, 46 pCi/L for EP004, 17 pCi/L for EP005, and 17 pCi/L for EP007.

**This is not an emergency.** Certain minerals are radioactive and may emit a form of radiation known as alpha radiation. Some people who drink water containing alpha emitters in excess of the MCL over many years may have increased risk of getting cancer.

**You do not need an alternate water supply.** However, if you have health concerns, you may want to talk to your doctor to get more information about how this may affect you.

We are working to correct the problem: The City of Brady has engaged professional engineering services in which probable technical solutions have been derived to reduce radionuclides in the drinking water. The City of Brady expects to return to compliance on or about the year 2025.

If you have any questions regarding these violations, you may contact Gary Jacobson at the City of Brady at 325-597-2244.

Please share all of this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

## **Public Meetings City Council**

Meetings are held the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 6:00pm at the City of Brady Municipal Court Building located at 207 South Elm Street

Each meeting includes an opportunity for the public to address the City Council with any issue which may be set for discussion at a future Council meeting.

## **Contact Us**

Give us a call for more information about our services.  
8:30am to 5:00pm

Customer Service  
(325) 597-2152  
x 202 or 203

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