Shoreacres Water Department LO1 Shoreacres Blvd. Shoreacres TX 77571-7262



# Shoreacres Shorts

## May 2007

### 2007 Hurricane Season & Vehicle Passes

The 2007 hurricane season officially begins on the first day of June and ends on the last day of November. Experts predict another very active season with an extended forecast that includes seventeen named storms, nine hurricanes, and a 47% chance that at least one major storm will strike the Gulf Coast of the United States.



In preparation the City has circulated Resident Vehicle Passes with the May utility bills. These paper passes are for use whenever traffic into Shoreacres is controlled during an emergency (storm, chemical release, etc.). Additional passes are available at City Hall during normal office hours.

## **Recycling Program**

Our recycling program gives each of us a way to conserve landfill space by reducing the volume of waste that is buried in the ground. It also helps us ease the burden on our natural resources by recycling old materials such as paper into new products. In a typical community each family generates about 60 pounds of recoverable newspaper, cardboard, glass, plastic, tin and aluminum every month.

The City of Shoreacres provides blue plastic recycling bins for resident use. If you need a bin please contact City Hall at 281.471.2244.



#### Thursday is Recycling Day

On your recycling day place your filled bin on the curb by 7am. Rain or shine, Allied Waste will pick up the recyclable materials listed below. It's that easy!

<u>Newspaper</u>. Newspaper only. No magazines, junk mail, phone books, or other paper.

<u>Plastics.</u> Clear and cloudy plastic soft drink bottles and milk jugs (please rinse, drain completely and remove caps). No plastic wrap or other bottle types.

<u>Cans</u>. Aluminum & bi-metal (tin) cans only (please rinse, drain completely and flatten). No foil, pie tins, aerosol cans of any type, or scrap metal.