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## Shoreacres Shorts

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### City e-Mail Newsletters & Special Bulletins

The City is pleased to offer another means of sharing information with the community. Anyone can now sign-up for Shoreacres newsletters and bulletins via the Internet. Subscribers can pick and choose between bi-weekly newsletters, more frequent news briefs, emergency bulletins, meeting notices, and special notices for lost & found pets. Selected mailings can be changed at anytime.

The city established a temporary e-mail list in 2005 during Hurricane Rita to keep residents informed about the status of the city and the storm impact. During Hurricane Ike in 2008 the city relied on the website to disseminate information. This hurricane season residents can avail themselves of both.

Subscribe at [www.CityofShoreacres.us](http://www.CityofShoreacres.us).

### Hurricane Ike Stress & Anger Workshops

Last year Hurricane Ike took a big toll on our property and lives. We can easily recognize and deal with the physical damage, but the emotional damage may be much more difficult to repair.

The Houston Galveston Institute (HGI) would like to help. In cooperation with the City of Shoreacres HGI is holding a series of two-hour Hurricane Ike stress and anger workshops at City Hall.

6:30pm to 8:30pm - Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Come learn what you can do to help your family and yourself overcome the lingering affects of this traumatic event.

### Council Adopts Limited Fence Moratorium

At their second meeting in June the City council adopted a moratorium on the issuance of permits for new fences between houses and the street. During the 90-day moratorium period the Council has requested the Planning & Zoning Commission consider changes to the current fence regulations and prepare a report and recommendation. Recent discussion of possible changes has included limiting fences in front of houses and increasing the maximum fence height.

Another topic under discussion is relaxing the requirement for fully enclosed garages and parking under elevated houses.

Check for meeting notices posted at City Hall or on the website.



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