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# LAGO VISTA VIEWS

June 2021

## Lohman Ford Road Repaving Project Underway

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The Texas winter storm greatly affected our state and citizens, shutting down power grids and leaving more than 8.7 billion Texans under boil water notices. Just over three months have passed, and cities are still working to repair critical infrastructure that was damaged in the freeze.

Many state and local roads were also unable to avoid the destructive affects of

the storm. Locally, Lohman Ford Road suffered damage due to a normal process called a freeze-thaw cycle. This cycle is something northern states struggle with on a constant basis. In fact, many Northerners humorously refer to spring and summer as “construction season” since roadway damage from harsh winter freezes with intermittent thaws is typical. For those of us living in warm Central Texas, this type of damage may seem shocking.

### What is a freeze-thaw cycle?

A freeze-thaw cycle occurs when temperatures fluctuate from above freezing (32F) to below freezing, and then back to up again to above freezing. When temperatures are above freezing, rainwater or snow melt will make its way into any small crack in the pavement. Water underneath the pavement is meant to drain away, but during winter it freezes in the base and subgrade materials. So, when temperatures drop below freezing, the water within the cracked pavement begins to freeze and expand, causing the crack to expand and grow as well. When warmer weather comes, the ice begins to melt, weakening the base layer and leaving voids where larger cracks were formed. Eventually, potholes appear.

City of Lago Vista Public Works Department is coordinating with a City Council-selected contractor to complete the Lohman Ford Street Rehab Project. The project, which had been planned before the storm, needed to be put out for new bids because the expected scope of work increased due to the storm damage. After review of all new bids, Bennet Paving, the contractor who successfully paved Boggy Ford, was awarded the project with a bid amount of \$937,875.97.

The Lohman Ford Rehab project consists of paving the entire approximate 87,576 square yards of Lohman Ford Road, removal and replacement of reflective traffic buttons, edge tapering, and creating rough traction areas around the curves for drivers' safety. Roadway striping will be performed after paving work has been completed.

Work is scheduled to begin in early June. All work is expected to be completed by July 4 weather permitting. Most of the work will be performed at night to keep traffic interruptions to a minimum. There will be temporary lane markers before the roadway is striped. If possible, drivers are encouraged to avoid Lohman Ford Road during the entire month of June for their and the workers' safety as well as to protect the new pavement until it is ready to accept heavy traffic.

For more information, please contact City of Lago Vista Director of Public Works/ City Engineer, Eric Belaj, at [publicworks@lago-vista.org](mailto:publicworks@lago-vista.org).

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### City Council Meetings

Thursday, 6/3 - 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday, 6/17 - 6:30 p.m.

Visit the [City Website](#) and  
[Facebook Page](#) for Virtual  
Council Meeting Access Links

Archived City Council  
Meetings Online on the  
[City's YouTube page](#)

### Lago Vista Golf Course

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4616 Rimrock Drive  
Lago Vista, TX 78645  
**512-267-1170**

Open 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

#### Kids Play Free

Junior golfers **under age of 18**  
**play FREE** with a paying adult.  
(One junior golfer per adult.  
Includes a cart.)

### Area Info and Events

Visit the official  
City of Lago Vista  
Facebook page  
[facebook.com/  
CityOfLagoVistaTexas](https://facebook.com/CityOfLagoVistaTexas)

North Lake Travis Chamber  
of Commerce  
[northlaketravischamber.org](http://northlaketravischamber.org)

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Live streaming at [lagoradio.org](http://lagoradio.org)

## Summer at the Lago Vista City Pool

### 2021 Season

May 29 - September 6, 2021

### Pool Hours:

Tuesday - Sundays  
1 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### Water Aerobics

June 1 - August 31, 2021  
Tuesday - Friday  
Noon - 1 p.m.

**Swim lessons and swim teams  
are organized by the YMCA.**

**For prices and more information  
about the pool or any other parks  
activities, please contact  
Parks and Recreation Coordinator,  
Katie Mikulak at **737.202.4375** or  
[kmikulak@lago-vista.org](mailto:kmikulak@lago-vista.org).**



## What is a City Charter and How Does it Affect You?

The Lago Vista City Charter Review Committee is hard at work updating our City Charter. A City Charter is the basic document that defines the organization, powers, functions, and essential procedures of the city government. It is comparable to the Constitution of the United States or a state's constitution. **The charter is, therefore, the most important legal document of any city! Public input is important to this process.** The City strongly encourages all Lago Vista citizens to take part in the conversation in any of these multiple ways:

- Attend a live meeting via [GoToMeeting](#). (Click the [Agendas & Minutes](#) button on the City website's homepage for meeting information and videoconference links.)
- Review meeting agendas, minutes, and supporting documents of the work being done.
- Submit a Citizen Comment.
- Watch any recorded meetings you may have missed by visiting the [City's YouTube page](#).

## June at the Lago Vista Public Library



### Children's Summer Reading Fun June 2 - July 28

Track your reading online with the Reader Zone  
app or website (reading code 3b264), or pick up a  
paper time log at the library.

Check our website, Facebook and Twitter  
for weekly virtual programs and prize details!  
[www.lagovista.lib.tx.us](http://www.lagovista.lib.tx.us)



### Virtual Programs in June:

Didgeridoo Down Under June 9 - 23

Magician John O'Bryant June 16 - July 15

The Singing Zooligist June 23 - August 31

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