



NEWS RELEASE

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Township cancels portions of Lighting of the Doves due to weather

THE WOODLANDS, TEXAS (November 18, 2022) – The Woodlands Township has been closely monitoring the forecast in consultation with local weather experts for the 40th Annual Lighting of the Doves on Saturday, November 19, 2022. Due to the likelihood of heavy precipitation, which poses safety and other concerns for volunteers, vendors and performers, activities have been cancelled with the exception of Santa's arrival, Lighting of the Doves and fireworks which are set to begin at 7 p.m.

Please be advised there will be no stage performances, snow play areas or slides, KidZone or other event activities. A limited number of vendors will be onsite prepared to open to the public at 6 p.m., but those attending should plan accordingly as minimal concessions will be available. At this time, Santa festivities will begin as originally planned from the Celebration Stage at 7 p.m. Santa is anticipated to arrive to Town Green Park at approximately 7:20 p.m. The countdown to the Lighting of the Doves and fireworks will begin shortly after at approximately 7:40 p.m.

In the event that weather conditions worsen and remaining activities are impacted, updates will be posted to the Township Parks and Recreation Facebook page at www.facebook.com/townshipparksandrec and on the Township website at www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov/lightingofthedoves.

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