

Boards & Committees

- Airport Zoning Board
- Disability Council
- Community Development
- Housing Authority Advisory Board
- Planning & Zoning Board
- Promotions Board
- Public Library Board
- Senior Volunteer Programs Council

If you are interested in serving on any City of Alamogordo Board/Committee, please fill out an application at the City Clerk's office or call 439-4205 for more information. Volunteers are always needed and appreciated.

Convenience Center—New Hours

As of March 13, 2016, the Convenience Center located at 224 La Velle Road, changed its regular operating hours to the following:

Monday—Thursday
9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

Friday, Saturday & Sunday
9:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.

For more information, contact the Convenience Center at 439-4109.



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2016 Official Canvass of Election Returns

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ELECTIONS RESULTS 2016
OFFICIAL CANVASS

The Alamogordo City Clerk has released the Official Canvass of Election Returns for the March 1, 2016 Election. The Official Election Results are as follows:

<p>Mayor at Large Mike Rosales—88 Richard A. Boss—1005 Robert G. Hahn—395 James T. Baker—110 Jeffrey Ault—164 Michael David Elliott—234</p> <p>District 1 Jason R. Baldwin—283 Dawn E. Lewis—180</p> <p>District 3 Maria Alicia Rios—45 Robert G. Rentschler—149 Matthew J. Deer—14 Susan L. Payne—237</p>	<p>District 5 Alfonso "Al" Hernandez—107</p> <p>District 6 Erica M. Martin—223 Eugene C. Hudson—140</p> <p>City Charter Amendment #1 For—1484 Against—411</p> <p>City Charter Amendment #2 For—1397 Against—501</p> <p>City Charter Amendment #3 For—1581 Against—339</p>	<p>City Charter Amendment #4 For—1180 Against—609</p> <p>City Charter Amendment #5 For—1054 Against—867</p> <p>Total votes cast - 2033 (13.30%)</p>
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Gardening Tip

from Becky at Lowe's Signature Market



Now that all the trimming, pruning, raking, and clearing has been done, it is time to start all over. Saying that seems to make gardening sound like a lot of work and no play, but so is cooking and washing dishes. And that's done almost three times a day, about 365 days a year. I prefer the gardening.

There are three important chores that need to be accomplished within our limited early 'spring' season. First, watering needs to be increased; buds are breaking dormancy. Secondly, appropriate fertilizing should be applied, where necessary. And thirdly, watch for aphids on tender, lush growth. Roses and peaches are favorite aphid delicacies.

If you plan on spraying fruit trees for insect control, be sure to spray only after 75% or more of the flower petals have fallen. Bees and other beneficial insects are busy feeding and pollinating, and should be allowed time to safely fulfill their job. We need them more than they need us. Two ways to keep them around besides limiting toxins, is to provide water and set out beneficial attracting plants. Many of the herbs fall into this category, as well as sunflowers, marigolds, daisies, and sweet alyssum.

The cool weather vegetables have arrived, as well as some of the warm weather ones. Be careful planting both of them. I have had better production on my warm weather transplants—tomatoes and pepper—if I start them earlier, but I have had to cover and uncover them all the way through late April, due to weather. Small container gardens seem to be best for earlier planting, and it's easier to protect a limited amount of plants rather than an acre of chilies or tomatoes.

I always check our weather forecasts. Our long range forecast from March through May strongly favors above normal precipitation. This means that I will have a good sowing of tumbleweeds from that huge tumbleweed that has been rolling across my yard all winter. I left the gate open so it could escape; two more moved in.

Leadership

City Commission / City Manager

Richard Boss, Mayor at Large (575-443-1674)
Jason Baldwin, District 1 (575-921-1093)
Nadia Sikes, District 2 (575-491-7910)
Susan Payne, District 3 (575-491-0211)
Jenny Turnbull, District 4 (575-434-5544)
Al Hernandez, District 5 (575-921-3632)
Erica Martin, District 6 (575-430-0025)
George Straface, Interim City Manager
(575-439-4203)

Commission Meetings

Commission Meetings will be held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers at City Hall. Upcoming meeting dates are March 22, 2016 and April 12, 2016. For full meeting schedule and deadline dates visit: <http://ci.alamogordo.nm.us>

Recycling Center Locations



The recycle bins removed from City of Alamogordo facilities - the City yard on N. Florida Avenue and the Willie Estrada Civic Center at 800 E. First Street - are anticipated to be ready for replacement by Otero County at the end of March, 2016.

In the meantime, there are 2 convenient County recycle stations currently set up in town. One is located in the White Sands Mall parking lot at the south end of JCPenney and the other in the Wal-Mart Shopping Center parking lot at the north end near Margo's.

March 2016

City of Alamogordo

CITY PROFILE

2016 Municipal Election Results



The votes have been counted and verified. If you participated in the March 1, 2016 Municipal Election, THANK YOU for casting your vote.

The official results of the election are as follows:

RICHARD BOSS—Mayor At-Large

JASON BALDWIN—District 1

SUSAN PAYNE—District 3

AL HERNANDEZ—District 5

ERICA MARTIN—District 6

All City Charter Amendments passed.

The City's leaders are listed in this City Profile with contact information included. If you have any questions regarding the election, please contact Alamogordo's City Clerk, Nancy Jacobs at 575-439-4205.

The newly elected Commission were sworn in at the March 8th City Commission Meeting at City Hall.

(See official poll numbers in this City Profile)

MainStreet



The New Mexico MainStreet consulting architect visited Alamogordo to advise and direct facade improvements to the 800 block of New York resulting from a PNM grant.

Presentations on MainStreet America @Alamogordo for the month of February have been made to the Breakfast Lions and Evening Sertoma groups. Requests for presentations may be addressed to drterrymarquardt@gmail.com.

Applications for the position of Executive Director for MainStreet America @Alamogordo are now being accepted. Information may be obtained from the alamogordomainstreet.com website.

The fundraising committee, chaired by Barry Thorp, continues to develop plans for a signature fundraising event in August. Investments in Alamogordo MainStreet may be made at alamogordomainstreet.com by selecting the PayPal button. Investments of any amount are welcome and gladly accepted.

Interested volunteers in the Alamogordo MainStreet effort may contact drterrymarquardt@gmail.com.

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Business Licenses

Increased economic development is a goal we all share and the City would like to recognize new businesses in Alamogordo. The following businesses were issued a license in February.

- A & J Construction (Landscaping/Lawncare) (575) 491-5570
- Alamogordo Ear Nose & Throat (Cosmetology) (575) 437-4533
- Champion Health & Wellness (Medical Service) (575) 488-2250
- Cindy S. Barnes (Cosmetology) (575) 491-8685
- Classic Man Barbershop (Cosmetology/Barber) (575) 495-8869
- Designs by Globug (Jewelry Sales/Service) (575) 437-8108
- Frances Hensley (Massage Therapy) (575) 437-2593
- God's Grace Thrift Store (Thrift Shop) (575) 921-2333
- Legacy Burgers LLC/Burger K (Restaurant) (858) 642-0064
- Mow Trim Plus LLC (Landscaping/Lawncare) (575) 491-0577
- Orlando Chase Munoz (Cosmetology/Barber) (575) 921-9196
- Property Detail + Repair (Handyman) (310) 972-9194
- Randal Martin Therapy (Therapy) (505) 407-6982
- Secret Vending LLC (Vending) (575) 430-5522
- Summit Brokerage Services (Financial Services) (575) 434-8829
- 1st Choice Design Group (Internet) (575) 437-2001