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DEL AIRE DEFENDER

DEL AIRE NEIGHBORHOOD
 WATCH ASSOCIATION

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From the DANWA President:

Greetings Friends and Neighbors.

With the City putting out a monthly newsletter, we should be able to keep up with some of the events going on around and with Del City. One of the "Good News" items brought out in the July 2025 addition was the bulk trash change. If you are still a little confused, this might help. If your regular trash day (when the city empties your poly cart) is on Monday, you live in Ward 1, thus your bulk trash week will be the first full week of the month. AND If your regular trash day is on Wednesday, you live in Ward 3, thus your bulk trash week is the 3rd full week of the month. If you still have questions, may I suggest that you visit the web site: cityofdelcitylgov/bulk-trash or call 405-671-2873, (Sanitation Dept.).

Some of you may have noticed that the swimming pool is open and should remain so through the end of August. While part of the problem of the pool not opening back on Memorial Day was mechanical issues, another issue was the lack of staffing, ie. life guards. We can thank our own Jim & Sandy Hightower for helping steer the City to the solution. From August 10th until August 31st, the pool will only be open on the weekend from 1 pm till 6 pm. For further information call the Community Center at 405-677-5741 ext. 5010 or 5012.

Since I no longer have school age children, living in my home, I have difficulty remembering when school starts. Per Gina Sandridge, the Mid-Del School Board Chairperson, school starts August 13. So remember to slow down in school zones or wherever children are present. Remember, it is against the law to pass a school bus from either direction when it is stopped, letting children on or off the bus. Let's be safe.

Quote from Thomas Merton

"Let us come alive to the splendor that is all around us and see the beauty in ordinary things"

May GOD bless and keep you and yours

See you August 11, 2025

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District 3: Jim Highfill—405-206-7457

District 4: David Ellison—405-641-2193

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Dates to remember:

DANWA General Meeting— Calvary Christian Church in the annex just north of the church, 3900 Epperly Dr. at 7:00 pm, second Monday of the month.

CERT General Training Meeting, at 7:00 pm, Del City Community Center, second Tuesday of the month.

(From your editor and several people who have written me with questions). Now that we have your attention, regarding **TRASH!!!** Follow me to page 3 > > >



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DANWA Area Crime Statistics

June 2025

!!!! HELP !!!!

We could use YOUR HELP!! We need “block captains” for the following areas:

S.E. 42nd from Sunnyslane to Wofford (13)

Sunnyslane Cir. and Sunnyslane Place (12)
off of 42nd

Wofford from 44th to 37th (46)

S.E. 40th from Epperly to Sunnyslane (35)

S.E. 41st from Epperly to Sunnyslane (24)

Contact Jim Highfill 405-206-7457

Elmview from Oakbrook to Sooner (26)

Newport From Vickie to Del View (34)

Contact Steve Gold 405-501-7080

All of Meench Dr. (28)

Contact David Ellison 405-641-2193

Block Captains help deliver the DANWA newsletters. Some blocks only have 20 homes to deliver to, some have more as shown in parentheses above. If you can help with any of these please contact any of the District Captains above. It takes me about 15 minutes to deliver 23 and I even get a little exercise.

Can you spare some time?

You don't have to be a member to volunteer to deliver the newsletters, it's good exercise.

Prowler = 0 (0) [0] {0}

Vandalism = 1 (2) [1] {6}

48xx Woodview Dr. 06/05/2025 09:09

Larceny = 3 (5) [3] {11}

48xx Kristie Dr. (Apartment) 06/02/2025 08:15

34xx Delta Pl. 06/11/2025 19:20

44xx SE 43rd St. 06/15/2025 11:19

Residential Burglary = 3 (0) [2] {4}

40xx Kim Dr. 06/04/2025 22:40

43xx SE 33rd St. 06/05/2025 17:06

48xx Elmview Dr. 06/06/2025 16:36

Robbery/Extortion = 0 (0) [0] {0}

Stolen Vehicle = 3 (2) [4] {8}

47xx Ridgeway Dr. (Apartment) 06/07/2025 10:05

48xx Kristie Dr. (Apartment) 06/15/2025 21:20

48xx Kristie Dr. (Apartment) 06/30/2025 06:30

Auto Burglary = 5 (2) [0] {16}

32xx Oakbrook Dr. 06/07/2025 13:31

48xx Montclair Rd. 06/08/2025 05:10

47xx Del Porte Rd. 06/09/2025 17:07

43xx Epperly Dr. 06/20/2025 11:03

40xx Lamar Dr. 06/30/2025 09:08

Burglary of Business = 0 (0) [0] {0}

X = Current Month

() = Prior month counts

[] = Same month prior year

{ } = Del City wide counts for same period

Hi folks, if there is any way you can see to helping a fellow out—notice the areas listed to the left of coverage needed to deliver the newsletters once a month. It's not a hard job to do, just a little walking which is good exercise. I'm pleading for my district captains,
PLEASE HELP.....



K O Storage

677-0795

**1 block East of Sunnyslane
4321 S.E. 33rd St.
Del City, Okla. 73115**

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Office space available**

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Code Enforcement Trash

All municipalities have what is called “Code enforcement”. It is a means of attempting to keep the city clean, presentable, respectful, healthy and livable and is integral to the daily operations, and essential to enhancing quality of life by helping to sustain safe, healthy living conditions for residents and businesses of the municipality.

With the city trying to help with YOUR trash efforts, it is incumbent on you to abide by the rules and codes. If for instance you miss the day your bulk trash is to be picked up, **don't** be a bad neighbor and set it out the next day for pick up **NEXT MONTH!** You will be eligible for a CITATION or possibly be charged because it was turned in to code enforcement and the city charges you to pick it up. You should go ahead and call the city and arrange for it to be picked up and **PAY FOR IT.**

GRASS is my next pet peeve— because you are too lazy to mow your grass you decide to leave it go for a week, maybe two weeks, or even three weeks and it has grown taller and taller and taller. You have options, one being hire someone to cut it or cut it yourself. Either way it will help your neighborhood look better and your neighbors won't be saying “I sure wish they would mow their lawn”. With that, don't mow it and let the clumps blow in the street to lay for wash away, that is a code violation as well. Either pick it up or blow it back in your yard. I personally blow mine back in my yard because the fertilizing I previously performed still has nutrients in it. Further, tall grass and weeds invite rodents and other pests in the area and it's your responsibility to help keep your neighborhood up and looking good and **SAFE** from unwanted guests.

It's your responsibility to call code (anonymously) or send an email—both listed on the front page. It is not Code Enforcements job to just drive around looking for violations, again it is YOUR responsibility to report trash that has been laying in the yard for over a week, for grass that is too tall... come on people, do your civic duty.

And finally, if you don't take care of your house and surroundings, maybe you should be in an apartment.....

And of course, the ones who need to read this won't



MEMBER APPLICATIONS

Just in case you haven't thought about how important the information you provide to us on the application is, stop and think about one thing..... We appreciate you being a member of DANWA but just sending a check or money order does not provide that all important phone number of how to get hold of you if the need arises. If you don't provide a phone number, the only way we can get hold of you is mail to your address. If you have water running out of your garage or you left the garage door open over night.....it takes a while for the mail to get to you.

If you have already sent your application and dues in for 2025, no need to send them again, this is only for those who might have forgotten or misplace their application and envelope. Thank you for being a member and for those who have sent over the \$12.00 "Thank You for your generosity".

Membership is \$12.00 per year from March 1st to February 28th or **\$1.00 per month.**
DANWA, P.O. Box 55558, Del City, OK 73155

Please fill out form and return entire application for proper entry in the data base. Any additional money collected in excess of those due will be considered a contribution unless otherwise noted. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: DANWA and mail to the address at the top of membership form.

Please Print Information:

Address: _____

Name: _____
Last First

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Name of Spouse or Other Adult in home: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Names of Children in home: _____

Does your property have a Storm (C)ellar: Yes / No or a (S)afe Room: Yes / No

Local Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Additional information or comments: _____