



**NEWS RELEASE**

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## **Fireworks are prohibited in The Woodlands neighborhoods**

THE WOODLANDS, TEXAS (June 14, 2017) – The Woodlands Township Fire Department reminds all residents that The Woodlands Covenants strictly prohibit the sale or use of home fireworks and sparklers of any kind in The Woodlands Township neighborhoods. The Woodlands Township is situated in a beautiful forest, and one errant spark could severely damage the community.

In an effort to deter home fireworks activity and educate those in violation of the covenants, The Woodlands Fire Department will respond to fireworks complaints when not on an emergency call.

To report the sale or use of home fireworks, please call The Woodlands Fire Department non-emergency line at 281-362-3900 and inform the dispatcher of the activity and location. In the event of a fire or medical emergency, please call 911.

To help celebrate Independence Day, there will be five locations in The Woodlands to view fireworks on the Fourth of July, including Town Green Park, Waterway Square Park, Northshore Park, Hughes Landing and Rob Fleming Park.

For complete information on all the Fourth of July events in The Woodlands, please visit [www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov/fourthofjuly](http://www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov/fourthofjuly).