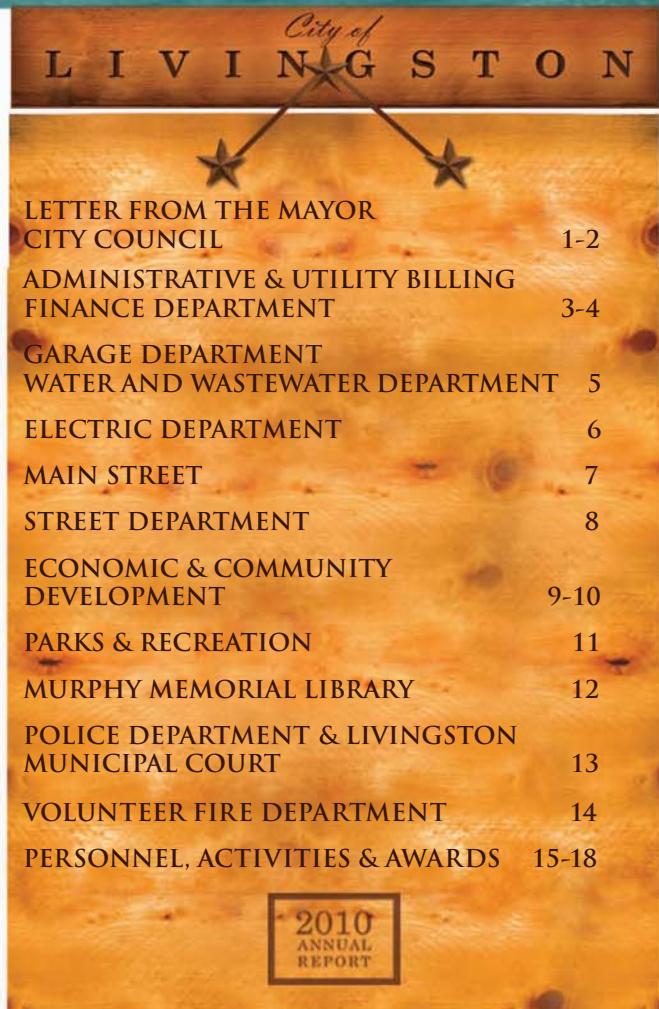




*City of* **L I V I N G S T O N E**

2010  
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REPORT

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## LETTER FROM THE MAYOR



*Dear Citizens of Livingston:*

The theme for our 2010 Annual Report to the People is "Livingston, A Great Place to Call Home" and we hope you agree!

Although there is much uncertainty concerning the economic condition of our country, our state and our local community, I am proud of the steps that City Council and the administrative staff took in 2010 to be good stewards of public funds while maintaining the strong and sound financial condition of our city. As you read the following pages, you will see the accomplishments of the past year, important improvements to our infrastructure and protective services, and the continued provision of opportunities for fun and entertainment that encourage visitors to our city and furnish recreation and enrichment for our residents.

Cities are the government closest to the people and, as such, we are responsible for providing the vital services that citizens need the most in their daily lives—police and fire protection, roads to drive on, and electric, water, sewer and sanitation services that we need to live, grow and prosper. We are also expected to provide the "quality of life" services such as parks, libraries, recreational facilities and special events that are so important in our lives. There is no level of government that is more accountable and responsive, on a daily basis, to its citizens than city government.

The employees of our city take pride in serving the public. Whether in emergencies or in day-to-day operations, they work hard to make Livingston a special place to live and to raise our families. We are also blessed by the many volunteers who continue to take pride in Livingston and give their time for the betterment of our community.

I am proud of how far we have come in 2010 and I invite you to join with us as we work to continue to make Livingston, "a great place to call home."

Sincerely,



Clarke Evans, Mayor



## CITY COUNCIL

### FACTS ABOUT YOUR MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Date of Incorporation	October 3, 1902
City Charter	General Law City
Form of Government	Council/Manager
Elected Officials	Mayor and Five Councilmembers
Term of Office	Two Years
Regular Meetings	Second Tuesday of Each Month at 5 p.m.
Special Meetings	Called by Mayor



Standing, left to right:  
Ray Hill  
Elgin Davis, Mayor Pro Tem  
Ray Luna

Seated, left to right:  
Bill S. Wiggins  
Mayor Clarke Evans  
Judy Cochran



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## ADMINISTRATIVE & UTILITY BILLING

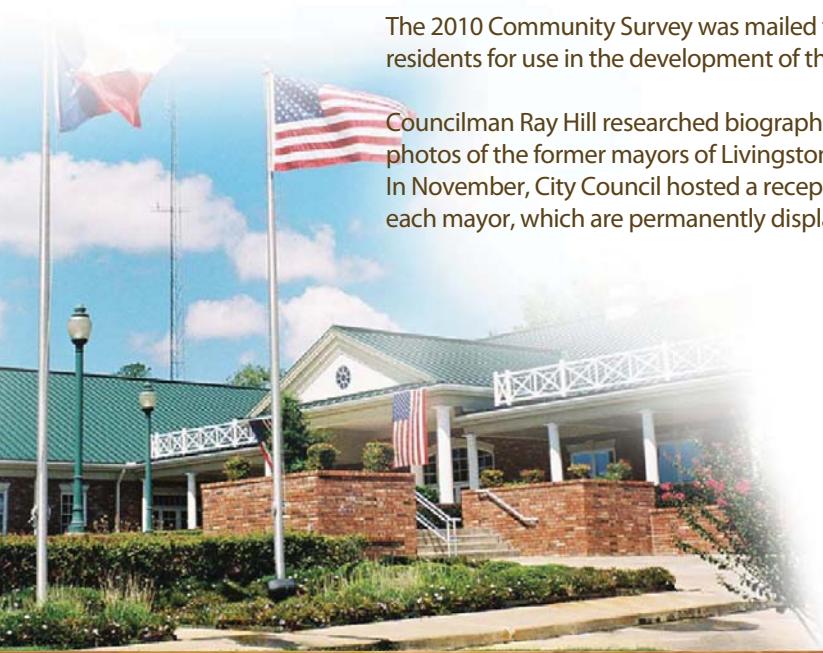
Ben R. Ogletree, Jr. was reappointed to the Sam Rayburn Municipal Power Agency Board of Directors for the 2010-2012 term.

Ray Hill was reappointed as the City's representative on the Deep East Texas Council of Government Board for the 2010-2011 term.

City Council authorized the application for a U.S. Department of Justice 2010 COPS Hiring Program grant to fund one additional police officer, and adopted an ordinance to prohibit the use of synthetic cannabinoids and related substances within the City.

The 2010 Community Survey was mailed to all City of Livingston residents for use in the development of the new five-year strategic plan.

Councilman Ray Hill researched biographical information and gathered photos of the former mayors of Livingston from 1914 to the present. In November, City Council hosted a reception to unveil the portraits of each mayor, which are permanently displayed at City Hall.



## FINANCE DEPARTMENT

The City was awarded the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting from the Government Finance Officers Association for its 2009 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. This is the 22<sup>nd</sup> consecutive year the City has earned this prestigious national award.

City Council approved the Trinity River Authority's authorization of issuance of Contract Revenue Bonds for financing to fund the upgrade of the existing 12" transmission line to a 20" line from the water treatment plant on FM 350 South which supplies the City's water, at a cost of approximately \$2,700,000.

In the fiscal year ending 9/30/10, sales tax revenue decreased by 11.2 percent, or \$380,324.87, from the previous year, which required the City to take action to reduce expenses for the 2009-2010 fiscal year by imposing a hiring freeze and delaying capital projects and equipment purchases.

As part of the 2010-2011 budget process, City Council increased electric rates by 1/2 cent per kWh for all customer classifications to meet increased cost for purchase of electric power from the Sam Rayburn Municipal Power Agency. Service fees were also increased for sanitation and water services for the first time since 2006.

**Certificate of  
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Texas**

For its Comprehensive Annual  
Financial Report  
for the Fiscal Year Ended  
September 30, 2009

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President  
Jeffrey R. Enos  
Executive Director

**REVENUES**

Property Tax	\$0
Sales Tax	\$3,012,227
Hotel Occupancy Tax	\$210,076
Gross Receipts Tax	\$143,586
Administrative Department	\$320,550
Sanitation Department	\$846,516
Fire Department	\$52,225
Police Department	\$233,651
Street Department	\$13,510
Parks and Recreation	\$103,084
Library	\$22,834
Trade Days	\$68,557
Electric Department	\$10,484,317
Water Department	\$2,326,924
Sewer Department	\$1,279,476
Grant Funds	\$284,559
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$19,402,092</b>

**EXPENDITURES**

Administrative Department	\$502,238
Sanitation Department	\$597,076
Fire Department	\$373,785
Police Department	\$1,524,171
Street Department	\$428,013
Parks and Recreation	\$466,913
Library	\$277,400
Trade Days	\$248,491
Garage Department	\$169,988
Electric Department	\$9,535,619
Water Department	\$1,922,088
Sewer Department	\$509,561
Capital Improvements	\$1,705,010
Debt Service	\$1,037,394
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$19,297,747</b>



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## GARAGE DEPARTMENT

Personnel installed emergency lighting, a radio and other various small equipment on a new service truck.

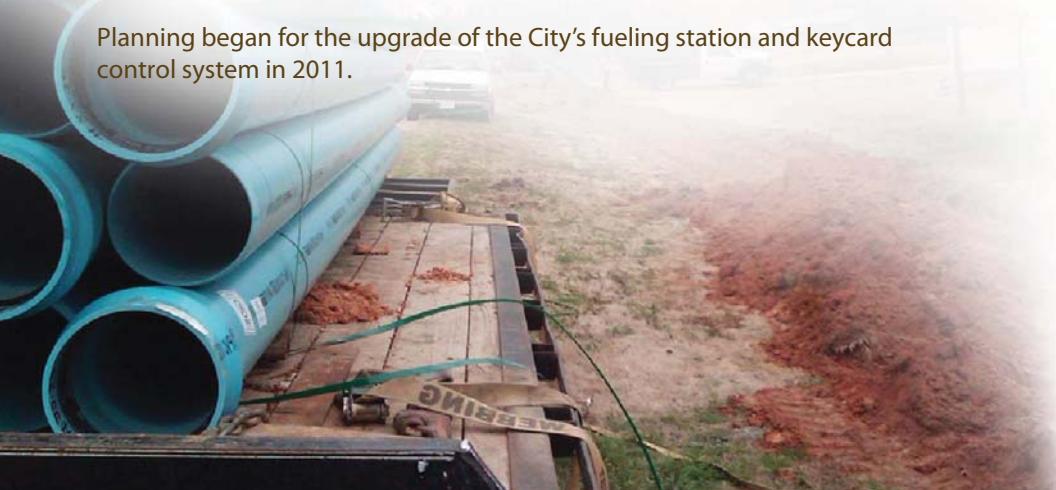
Installation of a video camera, emergency lighting, radar and other patrol equipment on the new Police Department patrol unit was completed.

The Garage Department fabricated and repaired specialty tools for all city departments as needed.

Routine maintenance was provided on the 12 generators supplying electricity to various city facilities during power outages.

The department maintained and repaired more than 135 pieces of equipment used by all city departments as well as maintained the fuel supply and fuel operations at Livingston Municipal Airport.

Planning began for the upgrade of the City's fueling station and keycard control system in 2011.



## WATER AND WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT

Major improvements in the City's water distribution system during 2010 include:

Renovating the Poleyard booster pump station in the summer of 2010 by replacing two 650 gpm pumps with two 1,000 gpm pumps and one 500 gpm pump with variable frequency drive controls;

Upgrading the West Street booster pump station by replacing two 450 gpm pumps with two 1,000 gpm pumps with variable frequency drive controls for increased pressure in the northeast area of the City;

Improving system operations by installing a supervisory control and data acquisition system (SCADA) which enables continual monitoring of the City's water distribution system, including pump operation, storage levels and generator status; and

Upgrading a 6" cast iron water line to an 8" PVC water line on State Highway 146 South.

Major accomplishments in the wastewater system during 2010 include:

Contracting with McKinney and McMillan for replacement of the decanter seals at the wastewater treatment plant on Marsh Drive, which was a major renovation project involving difficult construction activities to keep the sewer plant operational; and

Completing the City's obligations under the TCEQ Sanitary Sewer Evaluation Study again on schedule, including jet cleaning 202,000 feet of sewer lines, smoke testing 69,500 feet of line, inspecting an additional 14,000 feet by video, and rehabilitating manholes and lift stations. Storm water inflow into the sanitary sewer system continued to be decreased.

## ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT

City Council contracted with C. M. Joslin to trim trees and brush covering approximately 45,000 linear feet of rights-of-way along the City's electric distribution system for improved system reliability.

City Council renewed the lease of the Livingston and Ogletree electric substations to the Sam Rayburn Municipal Power Agency (SRMPA).

Numerous projects were undertaken by the electric crew during the year, including:

Building spans of underground line and setting and energizing a 2,500 kva padmount transformer to serve the new Polk County Jail and Law Enforcement Center;

Setting three 30-foot poles and installing three 1,000 watt floodlights for Central Baptist Church's Family Center;

Running new service wire to Melbo's Car Wash completing repairs following Hurricane Ike;

Building overhead primary and secondary lines to serve apartments on Brittany Lane;

Restoring a recloser on Fourth Street following repair;

Building four spans of primary line on Morrison Drive to improve accessibility in all weather; setting three service poles and relocating services to a business and two residences;

Changing out power poles and installing service and a transformer to serve the Dollar King Store at Southpoint Shopping Center;

Setting a 40-foot pole and transformer and installing new service at 218 Pan American Drive;

Setting a 40-foot pole and installing a 25 kva transformer and new service for contractors at Camp Cho-Yeh;

Installing new primary line and setting a 750 kva transformer to serve the new Polk County Judicial Center;

Framing and roofing a new shed to store equipment at the Electric Warehouse; and

Performing routine maintenance of both substations.

The electric crew worked with other city departments and local organizations on a variety of cooperative projects, including:

Setting a new pole, building underground service, setting a 300 kva padmount transformer and adding a new 40-foot pole to serve the City's Poleyard water pumping station;

Setting a new 40-foot pole and installing new service and floodlights at the Matthews Street Park jogging trail;

Assisting Livingston Main Street with installation of Christmas lighting on downtown buildings for the

2010 Hometown Christmas celebration and providing temporary electric service for vendors; extending Christmas lighting, installing 18 new Christmas pole decorations and 3,500 feet of line along East Church Street and on Pan American Drive;

Assisting in the Electrical Safety Training at the annual Livingston Volunteer Fire Department Fire School;

Assisting the Trinity River Authority with replacement of a gear box at the water treatment plant which supplies water to Livingston;

Assisting the Water and Wastewater Department in replacing a pump at the Walmart lift station;

Helping with electrical needs and setting up light towers for the Relay for Life Event at Pedigo Park; and

Relocating the service pole at the Girl Scouts' Daisy House in Matthews Street Park.



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## MAIN STREET

Livingston Main Street funded the replacement of the exterior building rooftop Christmas lighting in the downtown district, which had been damaged during Hurricanes Rita and Ike. Additional funds were available to expand the lighted areas for the holidays. And, with assistance from the City's Electric Department, Main Street was able to complete silhouette Christmas lighting of downtown buildings.

The Livingston Main Street Program made progress in 2010 despite the sluggish economy. Construction began on the Polk County Judicial Center, with its appearance strongly resembling the 2005 First Lady Rendering of this project. This rendering was done by the Texas Historical Commission as requested by Livingston Main Street in 2005. The new facility is expected to be completed by late summer of 2011. The Texas Historical Commission completed renderings of two more buildings in the Main Street District to be utilized in the coming year.

Livingston Main Street reimbursed building and business owners over \$13,000 in grants for improvements in the Main Street District. Over \$70,000 in reimbursement grants have been distributed in the District since 2005, helping to spur more than \$1.3 million of improvements.

Main Street funded new "Historic Downtown" street signs to identify the ten-block Main Street District. These were installed by the City's Street Department.

Main Street planned and organized the Red, White and Blue Fourth of July Parade and held the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Main Street Downtown Garage Sale in November.

In August, Main Street presented the Ogden Family Jubilee "Branson Style" show as a fundraiser for Main Street. This sell-out event provided family entertainment and was Main Street's premier fundraiser for 2010, drawing more than 1,000 people to join in the fun. Due to the success of the event, Main Street will be presenting the show each February and August.

Livingston Main Street joined with all city departments to host the Hometown Christmas event in December. This event attracted more than 10,000 attendees during the day. The good weather and a fantastic lighted parade made this year's Hometown Christmas spectacular.

Main Street Manager Bob Zeigler attended training in Waxahachie for downtown revitalization sponsored by the Texas Historical Commission.

## STREET DEPARTMENT

The City entered into a cooperative agreement with the Polk County Community Supervision and Corrections Department (Adult Probation) for assistance from adult probationers to collect litter along neighborhood city streets each month. The project has been extremely successful and has contributed to our efforts toward community beautification.

City Council accepted bids from three companies—SRS, Ashbritt and TFR—for removal, site management, reduction and disposal of storm-related debris, in accordance with Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requirements for disasters.

City Council granted bid authority for the 2009-2010 Community Development Block Grant Street Improvement Project and accepted the bid presented by Pinto Construction for improvements including a two-course surface treatment of asphalt and aggregate on 20,885 linear feet of city streets, including Davis, Green, Pine, Willis, Starghill, Greenfield, Beatty, Colita, Texas, State, School, and Champs Streets in the northwest area of the City.

City Council approved submission of an application for 2010-2011 Community Development Block Grant funds for improvements to Circle Drive in the Livingston Housing Authority.

The Texas Department of Transportation advised City Council of pending and future construction projects, including the rehabilitation of North Houston Avenue from Church Street north to North Washington Avenue, and reviewed the process recommended to make improvements to alleviate traffic congestion and reduce speed limits on South Houston Avenue and FM 350 South at US 190.

The Street Department continued ditch maintenance, drainage improvements, brush collection and disposal service.

Signs were maintained and improved throughout the City, including installing retro-reflective stop signs and new street signs in the Livingston Main Street District.

In 2010, 26,800 square yards of seal coat, 500 tons of hot mix, 400 tons of cold mix and 3,500 tons of rock were applied to various city streets.



## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

In February, City Council approved the preliminary plat for Livingston Business Plaza, a commercial development planned on the US 59 South Bypass.

City Council continued the City's membership in the Polk County Economic and Industrial Development Corporation for 2010.

City Council was updated on the local I-69 Corridor Segment Committee's consideration of transportation issues and adopted a resolution supporting the existing US 59 Corridor as the footprint for I-69 through Livingston.

City Council was advised of continued plans for development of the Livingston Town Center and considered the developer's renewed request for consent to create a municipal management district.

City Council reviewed various economic development incentives which are currently offered by the City, however, they declined to consent to the creation of a municipal management district after further researching this issue.

At the request of the First United Methodist Church, the City annexed a 17.561 acre tract of land and extended water and sewer utilities to serve the church site located on US 190 West.

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

City Council adopted the 2009 International Codes for enforcement within the City and amended the Flood Drainage Prevention Ordinance to comply with current FEMA specifications.

City Council enacted permit requirements for special events and parades to be held on public rights-of-way within the city.

The Community Development Department sponsored the annual Community Cleanup at Pedigo Park in April to allow residents of the City to dispose of old bicycles, stoves, refrigerators, furniture and similar items. Commercial discards, tires, batteries, pesticides, chemicals, insecticides and household garbage were not accepted at this event.

The Community Development Department conducted 811 inspections.



### BUILDING PERMIT RECAP - 2010

PERMIT TYPE	NUMBER	VALUATION	Fee Paid
Residential-New	4	\$167,779.00	\$1,112.73
Commercial-New	8	\$23,462,789.00	\$109,765.02
Residential & Commercial - Addition/Alteration	48	\$927,236.91	\$8,893.37
Demolition	7	\$127,800.00	\$350.00
Manufactured Homes	9		\$1,337.20
Plumbing	118		\$5,992.30
Electrical	107		\$14,795.10
Air Conditioning	29		\$6,662.60
Others	30		\$2,224.83
<b>Totals 2010</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>\$24,685,604.91</b>	<b>\$151,133.15</b>
<b>Totals 2009</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>\$77,869,160.05</b>	<b>\$391,401.07</b>

### LARGE PROJECTS - 2010

McDonald's	1601 W. Church
Polk County Judicial Center	101 W. Mill
First United Methodist Church (Education Center)	2801 US 190 West
Jack Jackson (office lease spaces)	1225 W. Church
Dollar King	608 Pan American
Sam Houston Electric Cooperative	1157 US 190 East
Dollar Tree Plaza: Dollar Tree, CATO's, Verizon Wireless, Hibbett Sports, Sally's Beauty Supply, Cute Nails and Rent-A-Center	1750 W. Church



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## PARKS AND RECREATION • TRADE DAYS • SPECIAL EVENTS

The Mayor proclaimed July 18 through July 24 as Rodeo Week in Livingston, honoring the Polk County Youth Rodeo Association's 50<sup>th</sup> year of operation.

Trade Days completed its 11<sup>th</sup> year of operation with an average of 151 vendors attending each monthly event. Advertising efforts attracted vendors from Livingston and as far away as Wisconsin, Utah, South Dakota, Montana, Arizona, Illinois, California, Minnesota and Iowa. Shoppers came from all areas of Texas as well as Minnesota, Arkansas, Missouri, Montana, North Carolina, Wisconsin, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Florida, South Dakota and Ohio. Trade Days special events included the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Outdoor Expo in March, the Texas Pioneer Bird Show in June, and the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Dog Show in December. Appreciation to our vendors included city sponsorship of Vendor Dinners in August and November.

The City's 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Easter Eggstravaganza drew large crowds of children hunting more than 20,000 Easter eggs stuffed with candy and prize tokens. Local businesses donated candy and more than 200 prizes, including bicycles, tricycles, swimming pools, sports equipment,

Easter baskets, stuffed animals, electronic toys and learning games.

The annual Kid's Fishing Frenzy fishing tournament was held in April, for children from toddlers to age 17 to promote an interest in fishing. The event was sponsored by the Texas Game Wardens Association which stocked Pedigo Park Pond with catfish, as well as Academy Sports & Outdoors (Lufkin), CH Marine, First National Bank, First State Bank, Polk County Peace Officers Association and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Eleven summer camps were offered by the City in 2010, with over 120 children participating.

The Parks and Recreation Department created a wide array of special Christmas lighting throughout the City. New Christmas lighting displays were constructed by city employees and installed at City Hall, Pedigo Park, Murphy Memorial Library and the pond at the US 59 Bypass and US 190.

The annual Hometown Christmas celebration attracted many visitors. The Jingle Bell Fun Run included 135 runners and walkers, many in holiday costume.

Vendors, a petting zoo and carriage rides were popular attractions surrounding City Hall and the event concluded with a lighted evening parade and visits with Santa at City Hall.

Pedigo Park was the site for several community events, including the Annual Polk County Relay for Life for the American Cancer Society, and The Battle of Long King Creek Civil War re-enactment, hosted by the Ike Turner Camp of the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

The City's Matthews Park Swimming Pool offered a summer full of activities including swimming lessons for over 350 children and its second annual beach party.

Several improvements were made to Matthews Park, including new concrete bridges built at the jogging trail, new siding installed on the buildings at the City Pool, and demolition of the abandoned maintenance facility/ cart barn on Matthews Street.

The City Council authorized a five-year extension of the lease of the nine-hole golf course to Paul Hendrix.

Without its volunteers, the Parks and Recreation Department would be unable to host the many events held throughout the year. A volunteer appreciation dinner was given in April to recognize the contributions volunteers make in our community.

## MURPHY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

In May, City Council appointed a citizen advisory committee to assess the space needs and design issues for Murphy Memorial Library's use of the Wadsworth Building facility on Tyler Street. Members of the Library Advisory Committee include Chairman Ray Hill, Bill Wiggins, Mary Hazel Landers, Jerry York, Paula Kimbro, Emily Wooten, James Baugh and Beverly Platt. Preliminary design plans presented to City Council in October include more than 15,000 square feet of space to accommodate children's and young adult areas, a computer room, children's activity center, genealogy area, sitting area for laptop users, conference and meeting rooms, and an area for the Friends of the Library organization.

A total of 35,387 customers entered the library; 63,250 items were checked out; 2,171 reference questions were asked and 7,002 hours of computer access was provided to 10,178 library members.

The library membership roster added 805 new registrants and 1,345 renewed their memberships.

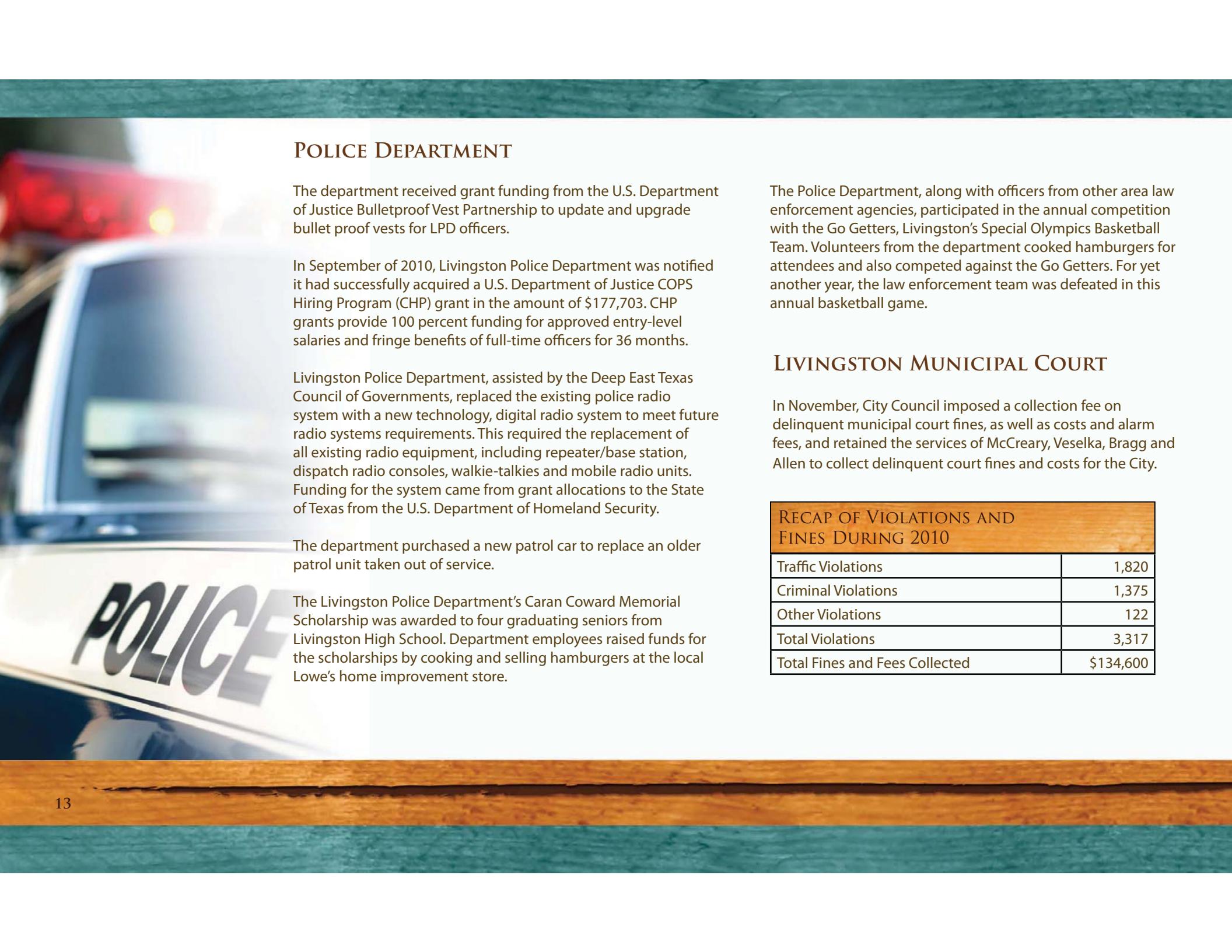
The library completed its biennial inventory of its collection and a total of 2,111 items were added to shelves.

The Friends of the Library provided a grant to purchase large print books. Additionally, the library received a Loan Star Libraries Grant from the Texas State Library to add three new computers for public access, as well as purchase new computer furniture to reconfigure work stations.

The library provided 153 programs for children, including Story Times for preschoolers and Toddler Times for infants and toddlers. Events were held both on-site and at off-site locations such as local schools and at daycare centers.



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## POLICE DEPARTMENT

The department received grant funding from the U.S. Department of Justice Bulletproof Vest Partnership to update and upgrade bullet proof vests for LPD officers.

In September of 2010, Livingston Police Department was notified it had successfully acquired a U.S. Department of Justice COPS Hiring Program (CHP) grant in the amount of \$177,703. CHP grants provide 100 percent funding for approved entry-level salaries and fringe benefits of full-time officers for 36 months.

Livingston Police Department, assisted by the Deep East Texas Council of Governments, replaced the existing police radio system with a new technology, digital radio system to meet future radio systems requirements. This required the replacement of all existing radio equipment, including repeater/base station, dispatch radio consoles, walkie-talkies and mobile radio units. Funding for the system came from grant allocations to the State of Texas from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.

The department purchased a new patrol car to replace an older patrol unit taken out of service.

The Livingston Police Department's Caran Coward Memorial Scholarship was awarded to four graduating seniors from Livingston High School. Department employees raised funds for the scholarships by cooking and selling hamburgers at the local Lowe's home improvement store.

The Police Department, along with officers from other area law enforcement agencies, participated in the annual competition with the Go Getters, Livingston's Special Olympics Basketball Team. Volunteers from the department cooked hamburgers for attendees and also competed against the Go Getters. For yet another year, the law enforcement team was defeated in this annual basketball game.

## LIVINGSTON MUNICIPAL COURT

In November, City Council imposed a collection fee on delinquent municipal court fines, as well as costs and alarm fees, and retained the services of McCreary, Veselka, Bragg and Allen to collect delinquent court fines and costs for the City.

### RECAP OF VIOLATIONS AND FINES DURING 2010

Traffic Violations	1,820
Criminal Violations	1,375
Other Violations	122
Total Violations	3,317
Total Fines and Fees Collected	\$134,600

## LIVINGSTON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Livingston Volunteer Fire Department provides Livingston and the surrounding area with fire prevention, fire protection, medical first responders, rescue operations and hazardous material responses.

The department covers 250 square miles of property in its initial response area and provides mutual aid to the other ten fire departments in Polk County.

During the past year, the department responded to 795 calls for service.

In February, the department received an Assistance to Firefighters Grant from FEMA (\$79,000) to replace 23 sets of protective clothing and a breathing air compressor that had been in use since 1984.

In March, the department held its annual fire training school, attended by over 400 students and instructors.

In October, the department received a Texas Forest Service grant in the amount of \$18,000 for a Skid Unit to place a third brush truck into service.

Throughout the year, the members of the department attended training at various locations to meet their continuing education requirements; the department also provided fire prevention and fire safety programs to schools, civic groups and service organizations throughout the county.



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## EMPLOYEE AWARDS

The City held its 18<sup>th</sup> annual Employee Appreciation and Awards Banquet on March 4, 2011, recognizing employees for their service and efforts during 2010. Departmental Safety awards were presented to the Fire, Garage, Water and Wastewater Departments for working without on-the-job injuries or at-fault vehicular accidents during 2010. Employees were also honored for service, volunteerism and attendance. Award recipients are noted based on the following code:

Safety Award □  
Volunteer Award ○  
Attendance Award ♦

5-Year Service Award ♦  
10-Year Service Award ♦♦  
25-Year Service Award ♦♦♦

## ADMINISTRATIVE & UTILITY BILLING



Marilyn Sutton,  
City Manager/Finance Manager ○



Left to right:  
Julie Miller ○  
Carla Dunning ○♦  
Andrea Williams ○  
Patricia Crawford,  
Utility Billing  
Supervisor ○

Standing, left to right:  
Linda Hammond,  
Human Resources Coordinator ○  
Debbie Clack, Accounts Payable ○  
Seated, left to right:  
Ellie Monteaux, City Secretary ♦♦  
Gaffney Phillips, City Attorney ○♦

## CITY COUNCIL



Former Mayor's Unveiling Ceremony



Employee Appreciation and Awards Banquet

## MURPHY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Priscilla Emrich,  
Library Director ♦♦♦



Summer Reading Program

## LIVINGSTON MUNICIPAL COURT

Left to right:  
Associate Judge Gene Bush  
Sarah Milner  
Judge Mack Coats



## POLICE DEPARTMENT



Dennis Clifton, Chief □



Melissa Blackburn,  
Animal Control Officer □



Telecommunications Staff,  
left to right:  
Seated: Brandie Paske  
Jeannie Odom  
Standing: Kaleb Barker ♦  
Nikki Allison



Administrative Staff,  
left to right:  
Michelle Lilley  
Barbara Thomas



Caran Coward Scholarship Presentation



Special Olympics Basketball – The Go Getters



Row one, left to right:  
Lt. Matt Parrish □  
Sgt. Ronnie Bogany □♦  
Sgt. Lewis Milner □♦  
Sgt. Scott Paske  
Sgt. Darrell Newman □



Row two, left to right:  
Det. Ken Bohnert ♦  
Det. Leon Middleton □♦,  
Rob Atkins □, Ashley Early  
Kevin Blackburn



Row three, left to right:  
Dallas Early □, Jason Thomas  
Chad Ward □♦, Kevin Ward □♦  
Adam Williford



Row four, left to right:  
Marty Drake □○,  
Chad Lilley □,  
Sgt. Mike Devilleneuve,  
Reserve  
Kaleb Barker, Reserve ♦

## PARKS AND RECREATION TRADE DAYS - SPECIAL EVENTS

Toni Fuller, Trade  
Days/Special Events  
Coordinator



Left to right:  
Juan Cuellar   
Humberto Garcia   
Alex Rodriguez   
Raymond Gilshenan   
Sal Ramirez   
Stacy Edwards   
Cody Marsh, Foreman



Christmas Decorations



Easter Celebration

Award recipients are noted based on  
the following code:

Safety Award   
Volunteer Award   
Attendance Award   
5-Year Service Award   
10-Year Service Award   
25-Year Service Award

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Left to right:  
Mark Taylor,  
Fire Marshal   
Josh Mohler



## COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Left to right:  
Ben Buchanan, Community  
Development Coordinator   
Cheryl Paul



Judicial Center

Jerry Marsh, Building Official

## MAIN STREET



Bob Zeigler, Main Street Manager



Ogden Jubilee



Hometown Christmas

## STREET DEPARTMENT



Hec Long,  
Public Works Director □❖❖



Left to right:  
George Kirkpatrick □♦  
Jose Ojeda □♦  
Jerry Cowen, Foreman □  
Paul Baker □❖❖  
Carlos Orosco ❖❖  
Jason Britton □

## WATER AND WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT



Bill Haecker,  
Water/Wastewater  
Compliance  
Coordinator □



Wastewater Crew,  
left to right:  
Dario Ruiz □❖❖  
Tim Smith, Foreman □♦  
Roger Adams □♦



Water Crew,  
left to right:  
Josh Fogleman □  
Bobby Wallace □♦  
Scott Johnson □♦  
Archie Jackson □  
Jason Cecil □  
Not pictured: Royce Newport □

## ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT



Dewayne Oates,  
Electric Superintendent □



Polk County Law Enforcement Center

## GARAGE DEPARTMENT



Left to right: Keith Foxworth, Garage Superintendent □  
Larry Lamb



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