

HOLIDAY CLOSURES:

Independence Day
Tuesday, July 4

BILL PAYMENT

KIOSKS

Locations accepting credit cards, cash and checks:

HEB - 1609 N. Texas Ave.

HEB - 725 E. Villa Maria

BTU Drive-Through - 205 E. 28th St.
Open 24 hours

Bring your BTU account number, BTU bill, keycard or reminder letter.

OVER THE PHONE


Payments can be made 24 hours a day via the "e-payment" option by calling 979.821.5700. Account number and credit card required.


ONLINE BILL PAY


To register your account, view, and/or pay your bill online, visit:

btutilities.com

SOCIAL MEDIA

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btutilities.com

Office: 979.821.5700

Primary Address:
205 E. 28th St., Bryan, TX 77803

Mailing Address:
PO Box 8000, Bryan, TX 77805



HOT WEATHER TIPS AND TRICKS

Follow these tips and tricks to enjoy more of your summer, improve the comfort of your home, and lower your energy usage.



Block sun on south and west facing windows and walls.

- Plant trees or bushes with proper clearance from your home and utility lines to shade windows, keeping the sun from heating your home.
- Install window blinds, drapes or shades and keep them drawn during hot summer days.
- Install solar screens to the outside of windows to reflect up to 90 percent of the sun's heating rays. Solar screens are also eligible for BTU's SmartHOME Rebate Program. Eligible projects can receive 10 to 25 percent of the total project costs back.



Avoid adding unnecessary heat and humidity to your home.

- Run heat producing appliances like washing machines, dryers and dishwashers in the early morning or late evening hours to avoid heating your home during the warmest parts of the day.
- Take advantage of the summer heat by air drying laundry.
- Avoid cooking in the oven or on the stovetop. Instead, opt for grilling outside, using an air fryer or a slow cooker. These methods use less energy and produce less heat and humidity for your air conditioner to have to battle against.



Take care of your air conditioner.

- Regularly maintain your air conditioner by changing the air filters as recommended by the manufacturer.
- Schedule inspection and service by a professional at least twice per year, once before each of the major heating and cooling seasons.
- Invest in a programmable thermostat so you can set your preferred temperature to match your family's schedule and save money.

Get creative.

- Instead of staying at home and trying to stay cool, take the family to enjoy the pool, splash pad or the lake to cool off.
- Try going to a place that will already be air conditioned like the mall, the library or the movies.



FREE

Microchip and Rabies Vaccination Event



BRYAN ANIMAL CENTER

CITY OF BRYAN

BryanAnimalCenter.com

The next Bryan Animal Center's free microchip and rabies vaccination event is:

**Saturday, Aug. 12,
from 8 a.m. – noon,
at Neal Park!**

- First-come, first-served basis, even if pre-registered.
- Pre-registered pets will experience expedited service.
- Pets must be on a leash or in a crate during the event.
- Limit four pets per household.
- Proof of Bryan residency is required at the event (BTU bill or valid ID).



Pre-registration is required by Aug. 10. If you have any questions, call 979.209.5260.



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CONSERVATION TIPS

Energy Conservation Tip:

Check the seals on your refrigerator and freezer by sliding a dollar through the closed door. If you can move it easily or notice cracking, the seal may need to be replaced. Loose seals cause your unit to work harder and use more energy.



Water Conservation Tip:

Run full dishwasher loads. Full loads use the same amount of hot water and energy as smaller loads. You can run fewer loads and save energy.

