

City of Denison

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City of Denison's Two-Week Amnesty Program Clears Over 100 Warrants

Denison, Texas – October 3rd through October 14th, the city's Municipal Court ran an amnesty program for those with outstanding warrants. During that two-week period, the city collected 625 non-perishable items and cleared 128 warrants.

"The Amnesty Program helps those with outstanding warrants reduce their fees in an effort to help resolve their outstanding matters with the court and it gives back to the community at the same time by providing some help to a local food bank," said City Clerk/Assistant to the City Manager, Christine Wallentine, "We are thrilled to see the success of this program each time we host it!"

The amnesty program focuses on those with an active warrant in our city. It allowed citizens to bring in 10 canned food or other non-perishable items and receive \$50 off their total fines, or 20 canned food or other non-perishable items to receive \$100 off their total fines, with the total credit capping out at \$100.

The non-perishable goods will be donated to St. Luke's Pantry at 11:30am on Wednesday, October 26th, to help those in need. A special thanks to those who participated.

If you have any questions, please contact the Municipal Court at (903) 465-2720, Ext. 5004.

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About Denison Founded in 1872, the City of Denison is located 40 minutes North of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex in Grayson County. The city comprises a population of approximately 25,000. The city offers an exemplary school district, a vibrant historic district, a robust housing market, excellent quality of life amenities, and an expanding business climate. Denison is moving forward and kicking back. For more information, visit us at www.cityofdenison.com.