

# Town Crier

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CITY OF KOSSE NEWSLETTER

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## Water System Progress

The water system is progressing, land acquisitions are in effect. The construction part of the project will be put out to bid in the upcoming month. The approved engineer that the city has been working with is Goodwin Lassiter. This particular grant is being over-seen by the Texas Water Development Board.

## Water Bill Auto-Draft

The water bill can be set up on auto-draft from your banking account. This will save you time and we do all the work for you. It is a simple process and the bill will be drafted at the same time of the month every month on the 10<sup>th</sup>. If this is something you are interested in, please give us a call and we can set it up for you. You may also pay your utility bill on the website below.

## Kosse Website

Please go to [www.kossetexas.com](http://www.kossetexas.com) and you will see all kinds of new events and happenings for this year's Homecoming. Mark on your calendars June 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>. This year "Johnny Lee & the Urban Cowboy Band." will be heading up the street dance. With opening bands, "Tim Allen's Bluestime Band" & "The Gordon Collier Band". The Kosse Homecomings have been happening for over 100 years, with many generations of relatives partaking in the activities or simply just being out amongst the happenings. Are you a partaker, or are you just out in the happenings? Either way is fine, but remember a community is what we make it. If you would like to volunteer, there are several groups right here in Kosse, that would love to have you!

Mark Your Calendars for the Event Below, benefitting the Kosse Community Center. A historical tid-bit... did you know in the 70's-80's dances were held at the center, and a regular purchase of corn meal is in the minutes, of course to make sliding and dancing on the concrete floor a little smoother.



**KOSSE DANCE NIGHT**

**\$10**  
Bring the Kids!  
Under 10 Free

**Sat. March 25th - 7:30pm**

Tex-Mex Food by KASA KOSSE | ICE CHESTS WELCOME  
Kosse Community Center - [KosseCC.org](http://KosseCC.org) - 832-773-8361

**BRETT HENDRICKSON BAND**

## Kosse Easter Egg Hunt

On April 15<sup>th</sup> at 10am in the Kosse City Park, we will have an Easter Egg Hunt. Donations of candy are being asked for. The Kosse Community Center & Chamber of Commerce are sponsoring the event. You may drop your candy donations off at the city office.

## Central Texas Food Bank

Calling all volunteers! The Central Texas Food Bank is calling upon all organizations and individuals to help the distribution of food out of the food truck. The first Friday of the month, mornings. If you are interested call Kara at 512-684-2133.

## Kosse City Elections

The election of two council members be held on May 6, 2017 at the Kosse Community Center 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The candidates are:

Ricky D. Wright  
Patricia Rae Roy  
Jacob Jones  
Jimmy Pate  
Carolyn Rutledge

Early Voting will be held at the City Office. The first day of early voting by personal appearance is Monday, April 24, 2017.

Last day of early voting is Tuesday, May 2, 2017.

Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Monday May 1, 2017 - 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday May 2, 2017 - 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

## Generous Donation to Police Department

The Methodist Ladies Study Group recently made a monetary donation for the purchase of a bullet proof vest for the Kosse Police Officers, their donation is greatly appreciated!

## Dollar Store Progress

Well ..... have you ever heard the saying "Nothing good happens overnight?" The Dollar Store is progressing each day but, due to some delays of different situations, the closing will take place soon, but hasn't occurred yet. But once things start happening, completion could be as quick as 3 months, so maybe.....by Homecoming?

## Up in Flames

With all the high winds, lately, limbs have fallen and been piled around town. It's looking great, but let us all remember to get those piles burning. The sooner the better, piles do nothing but harbor creatures, and look unsightly. The City does appreciate your cleanup efforts, thank you.