



CITY OF MERIDIAN

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POPULAR FAMILY EVENT RETURNS TO MERIDIAN: PUBLIC WORKS WEEK JUNE 1 - 6

MERIDIAN – The City of Meridian Public Works Department is hosting Meridian’s 7th Annual Public Works Week with a series of events planned for the week of June 1-6, 2015. These family-friendly events are intended to enhance the community’s understanding of the importance of public works infrastructure and operations and how both improve the quality of life for all Meridian citizens.

“We are excited to join with our consultants, contractors and business partners who sponsor the week’s events,” said Meridian Public Works Director Tom Barry. “Their generosity gives our community the chance to learn more about the services we provide with fun events and educational opportunities.”

The Public Works Week activities listed below are free and open to the public:

- **Monday, June 1, 4pm:** Open House and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at Meridian’s Wastewater Resource Recovery Facility - 3401 N. Ten Mile Road. The open house and ceremony will feature the facility’s new Administration Building, Laboratory, Maintenance Facility and remodeled Controls Building.
- **Tuesday, June 2, 6pm:** Mayor Tammy will read the formal proclamation declaring it Public Works Week at the City Council meeting.
- **Wednesday, June 3, 4pm-7pm:** Public Works Expo at Meridian City Hall - This family-friendly event is both fun and informative for people of all ages and will feature live demonstrations, kid-friendly interactive displays, large equipment exhibits, food, giveaways and more.
- **Thursday, June 4, 5:30pm – 8:30pm:** “Go with the Flow” Facility Tour (limited availability – call now to reserve your space: 898-5500).
- **Saturday, June 6, 8:30am:** The 7th Annual “Poop Scoot” 3K/5K Fun Run/Walk beginning at the 8th Street Park, next to the Meridian Water Division (2235 N.W. 8th Street, Meridian). Participants will attempt to beat a tennis ball traveling through the sewer collection system to the Wastewater Resource Recovery Facility. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. and a shuttle will be available after the race to return participants to their vehicles. The recommended entry fee is a donation of nonperishable food which will benefit the Meridian Food Bank.

For more information about any Public Works Week event, visit www.meridiancity.org or contact the Meridian Public Works Department at 898-5500.

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