



# Press Release



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## **New Procedures for City Hall/Memorial Auditorium Public Access**

Wichita Falls, Texas – The City of Wichita Falls began working early this year on a keycard access system for City Hall/Memorial Auditorium and the installation process has now been completed. The new keycard access system will result in a change in procedure for public access to City Hall/Memorial Auditorium. Beginning tomorrow, Wednesday, July 1, the public can only access City Hall/Memorial Auditorium through the 7<sup>th</sup> Street entrance doors. Public access hours will be Monday through Friday, 7:30am to 5:00pm. The first floor East, West and 6<sup>th</sup> Street entrance doors will now only be accessible with an authorized keycard. There will be an exception for the 6<sup>th</sup> Street entrance as it will be unlocked, and available for public access, for any public meetings held in the City Council Chambers.

Please note, the keycard access system is a pre-planned, budgeted item from the 2019/2020 budget and the change in procedure is unrelated to COVID-19.

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