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**[Forest Hill, TX-March 13, 2007] The City of Forest Hill has announced that it will hold a Town Hall meeting Monday, March 19<sup>th</sup> to allow residents to ask questions related to mineral rights leases.**

**"We've had several requests from our citizens to offer a forum such as this and we've responded," said City Manager David Miller. "It's a hot topic and one that many in our community have questions about. We here at City Hall want to help however we can," he added. The Town Hall meeting will be held at 7:00PM at the Community Center located at 6800 Forest Hill Drive.**

**While the city cannot provide legal advice, it can help the citizens better understand the lease process by offering this kind of meeting. "We want to help our residents as much as we can within the limits of the law. A local attorney will be available at our Town Hall meeting to provide free advice," stated Miller.**

**"I've been to several events and talked to residents who are just so unsure about what to sign," said Mayor Pro Tem Daphne Brookins. "We're days away from launching an entirely new image campaign for our city and this is a great first step in doing that as well as helping out our community," she added.**

**The City of Forest Hill was established in 1946. It is home to more than 13,000 residents and over 300 businesses. It is located in southeast Tarrant County.**

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