



SPRING IS IN THE AIR

'Happy Spring' from City of Grove and Grove Municipal Services Authority
Employees and Officials

COUNCIL APPROVES LETTER OF INTENT TO SELL THE GROVE CIVIC CENTER

The Letter of Intent and entering into a Sales Agreement are contingent upon the ability of the City of Grove to construct a replacement facility. Listed below is the basic information regarding construction of a new facility that must be determined:

- ✓ Identify location and negotiate price;
- ✓ Identify availability of utilities and capacity;
- ✓ Develop a floor plan to include an exhibition center, convention center area, commercial kitchen and a public safe room;
- ✓ Develop a site plan to include parking, driveway entrances, traffic signal;
- ✓ Obtain cost estimates for land, building and all amenities;
- ✓ Identify funding sources for construction and ongoing maintenance;
- ✓ Additional information will be gathered as needed to ensure the Council & Community has all the information necessary to make an informed decision on the need and ability to construct a new facility.

The City of Grove will continue to schedule events at the existing facility through December 2018, and possibly further out depending on timeframe and schedule of construction.

\$\$\$ SALES TAX REVENUE UP \$\$\$

Sales Tax Revenue received for the month of December 2016 is ↑ 1.6% from December 2015 and ↑ 3.5% YTD over 2015.

Lodging Tax Revenue received for the month of December 2016 is ↑ 61.5% from December 2015 and ↑ 18.5% over 2015.



CITY WIDE SPRING CLEAN-UP APRIL 17-22

See enclosed **Spring Clean-up Press Release** for guidelines, services provided and dates of service. If you have questions please call City Hall 918-786-6107.



20th Annual Gala

**Saturday, April 1, 2017 at 6 p.m.
Grove Civic Center**

Don't miss this fundraising event.

The charity dinner and auction will feature jam packed live and silent auctions.