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**2018 Great Texas Warrant Round-Up**

The City of Alvin is among more than 250 law enforcement jurisdictions across Texas participating in the “2018 Great Texas Warrant Round-Up”. Law Enforcement Agencies statewide will join other regional participants in this statewide annual event, which officially began on Friday, February 9, 2018, to locate individuals with outstanding warrants.

Alvin Municipal Court staff encourages defendants to take advantage of the options available to settle outstanding warrants immediately. Under Texas Law, individuals that appear before a court and make a good faith effort to resolve their outstanding Class C Warrants are afforded safe harbor and not subject to arrest. Additionally, if a judgment is rendered against an individual who is unable to pay the judgment, the individual may request a judge to assess their ability to pay and offer alternative means to satisfy the judgment.

Individuals with warrants are encouraged to contact the Municipal Court at 281-388-4250 to resolve cases voluntarily, before they are compelled to appear by arrest. The arrest period officially begins on February 24, 2018.