

Wharton, TX

Power Hopper

Helpful Move-In Information

Utilities, city services, schools and more for new homeowners and renters



Electricity for your new place

Shop multiple electricity providers for your new place at **powerhopper.energy**

Compare plans for your service address, then start enrollment online.



Scan for Wharton electricity info

Emergency: police, fire or medical dial 9-1-1

Power outages (delivery utility)

CenterPoint Energy: ☎ **713-207-2222**
report a power outage

CenterPoint runs the poles and wires. Call about outages and downed lines; it does not sell plans.

🌐 centerpointenergy.com/en-us/outage

City hall and utility billing (water, sewer, trash)

City of Wharton: City Hall (main line) ☎ **979-532-2491**

🌐 cityofwharton.com

Utility billing (start, transfer or stop water service) ☎ **979-532-2491**

Set up water, sewer and trash service in your name.

🌐 cityofwharton.com/page/directory

Natural gas

CenterPoint Energy: gas leak emergency (24/7) ☎ **888-876-5786**

If you smell gas, leave first, then call 911 and CenterPoint.

🌐 centerpointenergy.com

Vehicle registration (county tax office)

Wharton County Tax Assessor-Collector (vehicle registration and title) ☎ **979-532-3312**

New Texas residents have 30 days to register a vehicle.

🌐 co.wharton.tx.us

Voter registration (county elections)

Wharton County voter registrar (Elections Administrator) ☎ **979-532-0193**

Register to vote or update your address.

🌐 votetexas.gov/register-to-vote

Driver license (Texas DPS)

Texas DPS Driver License Office: El Campo-Pierce ☎ **512-424-2600**

19692 US Hwy 59, El Campo. Appointments required. Phone is the statewide DPS driver license line. New residents have 90 days to get a Texas license.

🌐 dps.texas.gov

 Public schools**Wharton ISD** **979-532-6201**

Serves most of Wharton. Check your address with the district.

 whartonisd.net

Boling ISD **979-657-2770**

Serves part of Wharton. Check your address with the district.

 bolingisd.net

 Hospitals**El Campo Memorial Hospital** **979-543-6251**

Emergency room. 303 Sandy Corner Rd, El Campo (about 13 mi).

 midcoasthealthsystem.org/ecmh

Rice Medical Center **979-234-5571**

Emergency room. 600 South Austin Road, Eagle Lake (about 24 mi).

 ricemedicalcenter.net

 Public library**Wharton County Library** **979-532-8080**

1920 N Fulton St., Wharton.