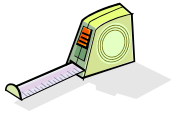


Westlake Building Safety Week

“Where You Live, Work and Play.”



When is it? May 5-11, 2008

What will be available? Brochures about flood cleanup, mold prevention, green building and preparing for natural disasters will be available at Westlake City Hall. Educational coloring books will be available for the children.

How did this come about? Building Safety Week was first observed in 1980. It is sponsored by the International Code Council Foundation, an organization dedicated to changing the devastating effects of natural disasters and other building tragedies. The International Code Council develops the codes used to construct residential and commercial buildings, including homes and schools.

“During this worldwide celebration, we will be reinforcing our commitment to the use, enforcement and understanding of building safety and fire prevention codes to protect lives and property,” said Westlake Mayor Dennis M. Clough.

“By inspecting buildings during and after construction, we help to ensure that buildings in Westlake are safe places in which to live, work, play and learn,” said Westlake’s Director of Inspections Donald Grayem.