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The end of daylight saving time means the City's cemetery, Burleson Memorial Park, will be spruced up!

The clocks fall back one hour at 2 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 2. All items that are not permanently attached to the memorial or marker at Burleson Memorial Park, 580 Memorial Plaza, will be removed after Nov. 2. Please clear the gravesites by Nov. 2, and do not add anything to the gravesites until after Nov. 9. The removal includes fresh or artificial flowers and other items that are hanging, sitting or lying on the gravesite.

This cleanup occurs twice a year, always as daylight saving time begins (March) and ends (November).

What goes hand in hand with changing your clocks? Change the batteries in your smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors. To stay safe, replacing batteries in all smoke alarms should be done at least once a year, but changing them while changing all of your clocks serves as a great reminder. Don't wait until the time changes to check your alarm/detector. Smoke alarms should be tested once a month and if an alarm "chirps," warning the battery is low, replace the battery right away.

For more information about the cemetery clean-up, contact Lucas Blessing Funeral Home, 518 S.W. Johnson Ave., or call 817-295-9000 for more information. For more information about smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors, call 817-426-9176.