

**Contact Us:**

**Customer Service**  
**(352) 753-4508**

**Administration**  
**(352) 751-3939**

**Budget**  
**(352) 674-1920**

**Community Standards**  
**(352) 751-3912**

**Community Watch**  
**(352) 753-0550**

**Property Management**  
**(352) 753-4022**

**Finance Customer Service**  
**(352) 750-0000**

**Human Resources**  
**(352) 674-1905**

**Public Safety**  
**(352) 205-8280**

**Purchasing**  
**(352) 751-6700**

**Recreation Administration**  
**(352) 674-1800**

**Risk Management**  
**(352) 674-1828**

**Utility Operations**  
**(352) 751-3939**

# District Weekly Bulletin



## CDD Orientation

This valuable program is held each Thursday at 10:00 a.m. at the District office located at 984 Old Mill Run in Lake Sumter Landing. For additional information, please contact the District Customer Service Center at 352-753-4508.

**CDD Orientation is currently cancelled.**

## Information Provided by...



### District Administrative Offices

As the safety of residents, guests, staff and visitors in The Villages community continues to be of utmost importance to the District, all District Administrative Offices will continue to be open on an appointment only basis until further notice. Appointments can be made by emailing or contacting the appropriate District Department.

- Administration- 352-751-3939 or [CustomerService@districtgov.org](mailto:CustomerService@districtgov.org)
- Bonds- 352-751-3900 or [Bonds@districtgov.org](mailto:Bonds@districtgov.org)
- Community Standards- 352-751-3912 or [DeedCompliance@districtgov.org](mailto:DeedCompliance@districtgov.org)
- Customer Service- 352-753-4508 or [CustomerService@districtgov.org](mailto:CustomerService@districtgov.org)
- Human Resources- 352-674-1905 or [HumanResources@districtgov.org](mailto:HumanResources@districtgov.org)
- Recreation- 352-674-1800 or [RecreationDepartment@districtgov.org](mailto:RecreationDepartment@districtgov.org)
- Risk Management– 352-674-1828 or [RiskManagement@districtgov.org](mailto:RiskManagement@districtgov.org)
- Utilities- 352-750-0000 or [Utilities@districtgov.org](mailto:Utilities@districtgov.org)

If you do not know which department to contact, please call the District Customer Service Center at 352-753-4508.

Masks are required for all appointments at all District Administrative offices, due to the nature of the transactions being less than 6 feet apart.

**There is a drop box available in the breezeway outside of the District office located at 984 Old Mill Run. If you need to drop off correspondence, please utilize the locked drop box.**

# Information Provided

by...

**The Villages®**  
Community Development Districts  
**Office of Management and Budget**

The Districts will be adopting their FY20-21 Final Budgets and maintenance assessments rates at their September Board meetings. Florida State Statutes require that a Final Budget and Final Maintenance Assessments be approved no later than September 15<sup>th</sup> of each year.

During the September Board meetings, the District Board of Supervisors will conduct public hearings to accept public input and then adopt the Final FY20-21 Budget and maintenance assessment rates.

The following is the schedule for when the Final Budget hearings will occur. As always these meetings are open to the public. Please note that the District Board meetings will be held at the Savannah Regional Recreation Center to ensure that all social distancing guidelines are adhered to for the safety of all attendees.

## **Friday, September 11th - Public Hearing to Adopt Final Budget**

District # 1 – 8:00 a.m.

District # 2 – 9:30 a.m.

District # 3 – 11:00 a.m.

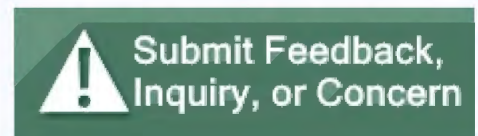
District # 4 – 1:30 p.m.

## **Monday, September 14th - Public Hearing to Adopt Final Budget**

District # 13 – 1:30 p.m.

Residents are encouraged to provide input during the Budget Process. If you are unable to attend the above meetings then you may provide your comments by contacting a Committee member, contacting Richard Baier, District Manager or Barbara Kays, Budget Director at 352-751-3939 or email Barbara at [Barbara.Kays@Districtgov.org](mailto:Barbara.Kays@Districtgov.org).

# Frequently Asked Questions and Answers



## ***Why is September 16, 2020 an important date in regard to my bond?***

A property owner can prepay their bond principal balance in full by check or money order at any time of the year. However, a resident is not required to pay off their bond. If not paid in full, the bond will continue to be annually assessed on the County's property tax bill.

If a resident pays off their bond anytime from now until 5pm on September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020, the payoff amount will be adjusted for the full interest amount paid on the November 2020 tax bill.

If you choose to pay your bond off in full during this time, you will have one last bond assessment on your November 2020 tax bill. The tax bill must be paid in full.

To obtain a bond payoff amount or for other questions, please contact the Bond Office at 352-751-3900. Please schedule an appointment prior to visiting the office.

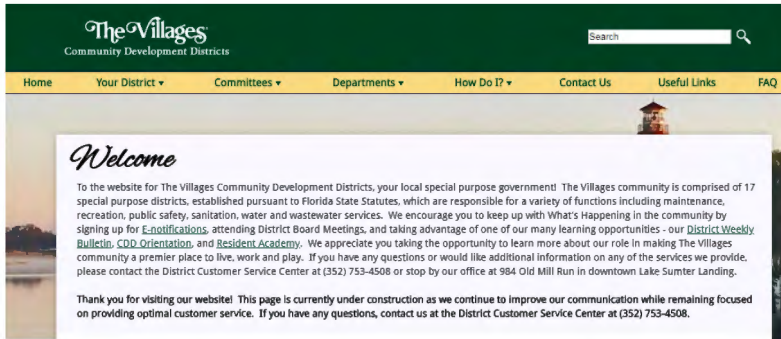
All Bond amortization schedules are available on the District's website: [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org). Click on the quick link to Residential Bond Assessment Information.

Please remember that even when the bond is paid in full, there will continue to be an annual maintenance assessment on your County's property tax bill which pays for ongoing costs to maintain the infrastructure of your District.



**Where can I find my bond amortization schedule online?**

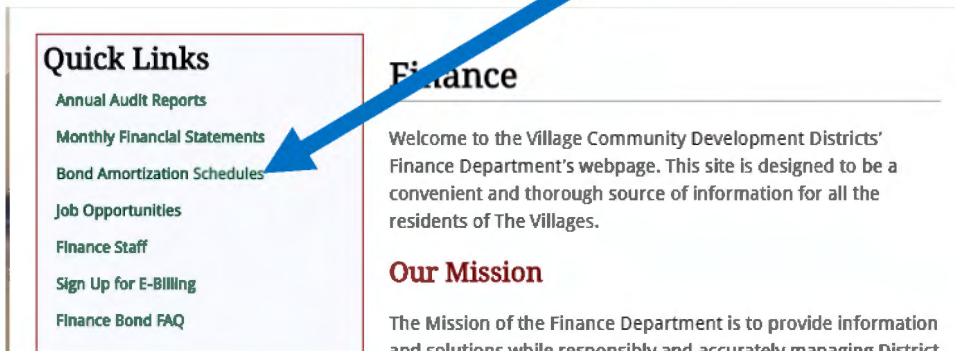
To find your bond amortization schedule, visit [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org).



From the Departments drop-down, select Finance.



From Quick Links, select Bond Amortization Schedules.



Select the county in which you reside.

### Bond Amortization Schedules

To obtain your amortization schedule:

1. Select the County in which you live
2. Select the District in which you live
3. Select the Unit in which you live

If you are unsure of your unit number, it is located on your Villages ID card. The U/L number is the first letter of the county in which you live, followed by the unit number and lot number.

Marion County – District 4

Sumter County – Districts 1 - 3, Districts 5 – 10, and District 12

Lake County – District 11



Select your District.

District 5



Residential Units

Villas

- [Unit 70](#)
- [Unit 71](#)
- [Unit 72](#)
- [Unit 73](#)
- [Unit 74](#)
- [Unit 75](#)

- [Unit 235 Broyhill Villas](#)
- [Unit 236 Cherry Hill Villas](#)
- [Unit 238 Inglewood Villas](#)
- [Unit 239 Clifton Villas](#)
- [Unit 242 Hiahleah Villas](#)
- [Unit 637 Ezell Villas](#)

Select the Unit in which you live (this number can be found on your Resident ID Card).

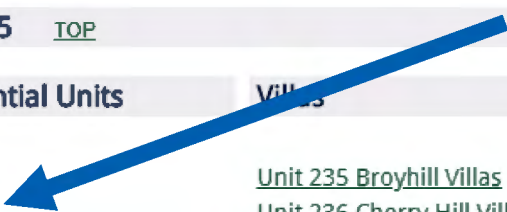
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Residential Units

Villas

- [Unit 70](#)
- [Unit 71](#)
- [Unit 72](#)
- [Unit 73](#)
- [Unit 74](#)
- [Unit 75](#)

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- [Unit 236 Cherry Hill Villas](#)
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- [Unit 239 Clifton Villas](#)
- [Unit 242 Hiahleah Villas](#)
- [Unit 637 Ezell Villas](#)



## Information Provided By...

**The Villages®**  
Community Development Districts  
**Recreation & Parks**



### **Weather Policy**

The Recreation & Parks Department has the right, as issued by the National Weather Service, Public Safety, or Recreation & Park Department in the event of tornadoes, hurricanes or other severe storm watch/warning, weather conditions to close facilities and/or cancel/postpone or relocate activities at Recreation facilities for public safety. Cancellations, postponements and relocation of activities will be done in a timely manner. Sponsored activities will be cancelled/postponed a minimum of thirty minutes to one hour before scheduled play time, depending on the type of activity. Emergency alert warnings may require sooner cancellations. Please visit [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org) for more information.

### **Fall Social Leagues**

Join your friends & neighbors for an eight week fun, competitive league in any one or all sport offerings. For a complete listing of leagues offered, visit the District website or stop by any regional recreation center to pick up a brochure.

### **The Enrichment Academy Catalog and Learn & Grow Expo**

Course programming continues with limited availability for the New Fall/Winter (Oct. 2020 – March 2021) semester. As the Recreation & Parks Department prepares to phase in programming opportunities, The Enrichment Academy courses are held at limited capacity and availability following health and safety guidelines.

- Wednesday, September 9th – NEW course catalog available online or with a Daily Sun subscription
- Thursday, September 10th – Catalog and Learn & Grow Expo! Sign-up required to attend Expo at [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org) or at your nearest regional recreation center. NEW catalog available at your nearest regional recreation center.
- Friday, September 11th – Resident registration for Fall/Winter courses begins at 8:30am online or at your nearest regional recreation center.

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Recreation & Parks



### **Regional Recreation Centers**

The safety of residents, guest, staff and visitors in The Villages community continues to be of utmost importance to the District. Please note that plexi-glass partitions have been placed at all Fitness Club and Regional Recreation Center kiosks. Stay Safe!







**BRING YOUR OWN WATER BOTTLE.**

**Due to COVID-19 Drinking Fountains  
are unavailable until further notice.  
Please bring your own water bottle for you and your pet.**

**For more information go online - [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org)  
or email [RecreationDepartment@DistrictGov.org](mailto:RecreationDepartment@DistrictGov.org)**

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# Information Provided by...



## NSCUDD Solid Waste

**Beginning October 1, 2020**, all solid waste and yard waste in Village Community Development Districts 1-11, located in Sumter County, Marion County and The Villages of Fruitland Park, will be collected and transported by Jacobs to the Covanta Lake II, Inc. Energy from Waste (EfW) facility in Okahumpka.

For updated information about the new program and answers to Frequently Asked Questions, please review the next few pages.

Please take a moment to click on the link below for a guided tour of one of Covanta's EfW facilities.

**Covanta EfW Tour-** <https://www.youvisit.com/tour/covantaclient>



## COVANTA Energy - from - Waste process

- 1 Post-recycled municipal solid waste is picked up at your home or business.
- 2 Waste is delivered and temporarily stored in a bunker. We maintain the building around the tipping and bunker area under negative pressure and use this air in the combustion process to control odour.
- 3 The waste is fed into a combustion chamber and burned at extremely high temperatures in a self-sustaining process.
- 4 Heat from combustion boils water to create steam.
- 5 The steam turns a turbine-driven generator to produce electricity, or may sometimes be used directly for heating or industrial processes.
- 6 Electricity is distributed to the grid and used to power homes and businesses.
- 7 State-of-the-art air pollution control equipment is used to cool, collect, and clean combustion gases. This equipment operates under stringent provincial and federal standards.
- 8 We control emissions of particulate matter primarily through a baghouse (fabric filter).
- 9 Emissions and other operating criteria are continuously monitored to ensure compliance with provincial and federal standards.
- 10 Residual material from the combustion process is collected for processing and metals extraction.
- 11 Ferrous and non-ferrous metals are extracted for recycling.
- 12 Remaining residual materials are beneficially reused or disposed of in a landfill.



# Beginning October 1, 2020

## CR-42 SOUTH TO CR-466



**MONDAY & THURSDAY**

Belle Aire Harmswood  
Meadow Lawn Ln Nbh'd. South  
Belle Aire  
Briar Meadow  
Calumet Grove  
Chatham  
Cottages at Summerchase  
Glenbrook

Mulberry Grove  
Phillips Villas  
Piedmont  
Polo Ridge  
Soulliere Villas  
Springdale  
Summerhill  
Woodbury

## CR-466 SOUTH TO CR-466A



**MONDAY & THURSDAY**

Ashland *Except Lockwood Lp*  
Bonnybrook *Castleberry Circle*  
Bridgeport at Lake Miona  
Bridgeport at Lake Sumter  
Bridgeport at Miona Shores & Laurel Valley  
Buttonwood  
Caroline  
Lake Shore Cottages  
Mallory Square *N of Odell & N of Stillwater Trail*

Mission Hills  
Pennecamp  
*W of Amberjack Terr on S of St. Charles Pl & W of Kingfisher Ct on Triggerfish Run*  
Poinciana  
*N of St. Charles Pl*  
St. James  
Sunset Pointe  
Tamarind Grove  
Virginia Trace  
Winifred

## CR-466 SOUTH TO CR-466A



**TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

Amelia  
Ashland *Lockwood Lp*  
Belvedere  
Bouita  
Bonnybrook  
Duval  
Hadley  
Hemingway  
Largo  
Liberty Park

Lynnhaven  
Mallory Square *S of Odell & S of Stillwater Tr*  
Pennecamp *E of Amberjack Terr & N of St. Charles Pl, E of Kingfisher Ct on Triggerfish Run*  
Poinciana *S of St. Charles*  
Sabal Chase  
St Charles  
Tall Trees

## CR-466A SOUTH TO SR-44



**MONDAY & THURSDAY**

Charlotte  
Dunedin  
*S of Hillsborough Tr, E of Valleybrook Way*  
Fernandina  
*E of Anna Maria Ave*  
Gilchrist  
*N of Pinellas Pl & E of Dajoe Terr*

Labelle  
Osceola Hills  
Osceola Hills at Soaring Eagle  
Preserve  
Pine Hills  
Pine Ridge  
Sanibel

## CR-42 SOUTH TO CR-466



**TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

Alhambra  
Belle Aire Harmswood  
*Avalos Dr Neighborhood North*  
De Allende  
De La Vista  
Hacienda  
Palo Alto

Rio Grande  
Rio Ponderosa  
Rio Ranchero  
Santiago  
Santo Domingo  
Tierra Del Sol

## CR-466A SOUTH TO SR-44



**TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

Collier  
Dunedin *S of Hillsborough Tr, W of Valleybrook Way & N of Hillsborough Tr*  
Fernandina  
*W of Anna Maria Ave*  
Gilchrist  
*Except N of Pinellas Pl & E of Dajoe Terr*

Hillsborough  
Hyde Park  
Lake Deaton  
Pinellas

## SOUTH OF SR-44



**MONDAY & THURSDAY**

Bradford

Chitty Chatty

## SOUTH OF SR-44



**TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

Fenney  
DeSoto  
Marsh Bend

McClure  
Linden  
Monarch Grove  
DeLuna

## TOWN OF LADY LAKE AND UNINCORPORATED LAKE COUNTY

Waste Management is the sanitation service provider for the residents that reside in the **Town of Lady Lake portion of The Villages.** Waste Management bills those residents directly.

Waste Management  
Billing or Pickup Questions: 352-787-4416

Lake County Solid Waste provides services to those residents residing in the **Lake County portion of The Villages.** (not including VCDD No. 11)

Lake County Solid Waste  
Billing or Pickup Questions: 352-343-3776

# The Villages®

Community Development Districts

## CURBSIDE RESIDENTIAL SANITATION COLLECTION INFORMATION

Guidelines for Sanitation Collection in The Villages® Community



Residents can make an impact by participating in sanitation programs!

Contained in this guide are the acceptable and non-acceptable material lists, along with contact information to learn more.

The sanitation information provided is based on the area of The Villages® where you reside. If you have any questions about this information or need assistance determining which information applies to your service, please contact the **District Customer Service Center** at (352) 753-4508.

[www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org)



# Beginning October 1, 2020

## THE VILLAGES COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

*Sumter County, Marion County & The Villages of Fruitland Park*

Household sanitation collection processes have been streamlined, both for your convenience and for the preservation of our environment and natural resources. By having more efficient services, we reduce the carbon footprint, reduce wear and tear on roads, use less fuel and minimize traffic in your neighborhood.

All waste, both household and yard waste, will now be collected on your 2 scheduled pick up days (there is no longer a separate day for yard waste).



### QUESTIONS?

For questions about routes, schedules, and trash collection, please call Sumter Sanitation at (352) 748-0109.

For questions regarding billing, call District Finance Customer Service at (352) 750-0000. For more information visit [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org)



### HOUSEHOLD WASTE

All household waste should be placed in a sealed 20-30 gallon trash bag (any color). All materials can be placed in the same bag, no need to sort! The trash bags should be left at the end of your driveway (again, no need to separate the bags), no garbage cans are allowed. Each bag should weigh no more than forty (40) pounds. Bags must be placed for collection before 6:00 a.m. on your collection day or the night before (no sooner than 5:00p.m.) Deed Restrictions do not allow leaving trash out on undesignated days. Wrap broken glass or other sharp objects in newspaper and place them where they cannot cause injury. For a list of holidays that may affect your normal collection day, please visit [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org)

### BULK PICK UP

Items too large to be collected by the compactor trucks can be scheduled in advance by calling for a bulk pick up.

For those residents north of S.R. 44, please call (352) 748-0109 for scheduling. There will be a \$10 charge added to your utilities and amenities bill each time a bulk pick up is requested. Charges will apply for any scheduled pick up not canceled a minimum of 24 hours in advance of the scheduled date.

For those residents residing south of S.R. 44, please call (352) 750-0000 for scheduling.



### HOMEOWNER YARD WASTE

Tree limbs or branches may not exceed 4' in length, 4" in diameter, or exceed 40 pounds. Bundle and tie such materials and place them at the end of your driveway. Lawn clippings and similar yard waste should be placed in bags.



The following WILL NOT be accepted:  
Dirt, Rocks, Sod, Concrete, Contractor Waste

### ENERGY FROM WASTE

All waste is transported to the Lake County Covanta Energy from Waste (EFW) Facility. Household waste or mixed solid waste (MSW) is turned into energy which is then transferred to the energy grid. Every 1 ton of MSW managed at the Covanta EFW facility offsets approximately 1 ton of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Covanta's EFW facilities typically operate at 60-80% better than Federal and/or State permitted emission limits. The EFW facility has advanced air pollution control and are highly regulated to protect the environment.

*For residents of The Villages residing South of State Road 44, sanitation services are provided and delivered to Covanta by Tri-County Sanitation.*

### LAKE COUNTY COVANTA EFW FACILITY FACTS

- Facility processes a total of 528 tons per day of MSW.
- Generates up to 14.5 megawatts of clean, renewable energy daily.
- Utilizes Air Pollution Control Equipment of semi-dry flue gas scrubbers injecting lime, fabric filter baghouses, nitrogen oxide control system, mercury control system and continuous emissions monitoring system.
- The EFW system is comprised of two 264 ton-per-day waterfall furnaces with Martin reverse-reciprocating grates and ash handling system.
- Designated a Voluntary Protection Program Star Facility by the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) for workplace safety.

### MATERIALS NOT ACCEPTED

**DO NOT PLACE HYPODERMIC NEEDLES, HOSPITAL TYPE MEDICAL WASTE, PAINT, OIL, LAWN OR POOL CHEMICALS, MOTOR OIL, OR TIRES IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE.**

Amnesty days at designated locations are held several times a year. Contact District Customer Service at (352) 753-4508 for scheduled times and locations.

### QUESTIONS?

Contact the District Finance Customer Service Department at (352) 750-0000 for collection and billing information. For an escorted tour of the Covanta Facility, please call (352) 365-1611. Proper attire is required.



# Beginning October 1, 2020



The following FAQ pertains only to those residents residing in Village Community Development Districts 1-11 in Sumter County, Marion County & The Villages of Fruitland Park portion of The Villages Community.

Additional information can be found at [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org) or by calling Finance Customer Service at (352) 750-0000.

## Will I still have two collection days?

Yes, the collection days will either be Monday/ Thursday or Tuesday/Friday. There are a small portion of residences that changed collection days. **Due to changes in sanitation routes, the time of day your pick up occurs may vary and is subject to change at any time.**

## How will I know if my schedule is changing?

During the month of September, Community Watch will be placing a door hanger on the homes that will incur a schedule change. The new collection schedule will be posted on the District website at [www.DistrictGov.org](http://www.DistrictGov.org), postal station bulletin boards and will also be included as an insert in your September monthly utility bill.

## What color bag do I use?

Any color bag is acceptable, with the exception of red, which is used for medical waste.

## Will I still put my yard waste out on Wednesday?

No, there will be no pick up on Wednesday. Yard waste may be placed out on either, or both, of your scheduled days. The following requirements for yard waste apply:

- Tree limbs and branches may not exceed four (4) feet in length, (4) inches in diameter, or exceed 40 pounds. They should be bundled and tied and placed at the end of your driveway. Lawn clippings and similar yard waste should be placed in bags. Dirt, Rocks, Sod, Concrete, and Contractor Waste WILL NOT be accepted.

## How should I separate my household waste from my recycling?

All materials can be placed in the same bag, no need to sort! All household trash should be placed in a sealed 20-30 gallon trash bag (any color, with the exception of red) and placed at the end of your driveway no later than 6:00 a.m. on your collection day or the night before after 5:00 p.m.

## Why are we putting everything together?

Beginning October 1, 2020, all waste collected by CH2M/Jacobs will be taken to the Covanta Energy-From-Waste facility in Okahumpka, FL. In 2019, in addition to reducing the waste volume by 90% and saving over 225,000 cubic yards of landfill space, Covanta produced 77,292 megawatt hours of energy.

## Can I put my bulk items out with my household waste?

Items such as office/desk or kitchen chairs, small lamps (bulbs removed), and ceiling fans (blades removed) can be placed with your household waste for disposal. Larger items such as appliances, couches, flat screen TVs, microwaves, and grills must be scheduled for pick up by calling Sumter Sanitation at (352) 748-0109. A charge of \$10.00 will be added to your monthly utility bill for this service in the NSCUDD service area (Districts 1-11 in Sumter County, Marion County & The Villages of Fruitland Park). **Bulk pick-ups must be cancelled at least 24 hours in advance of the scheduled collection date or the charge will apply.**

## Information Provided By...

# The Villages®

Community Development Districts  
Executive Golf

The Practice Green at Chatham and the Fairways at De La Vista are growing in nicely. Maintenance teams have started to mow the new grass and continue to work on agronomic grooming to provide a great playing surface.





# Executive Golf Information

## EXECUTIVE GOLF GUEST PLAY CARD

With a valid Guest ID Card, guests can now play at their choice of our Executive Golf Courses by purchasing a Guest Play Card for \$44. This card is valid for 4 rounds of golf on any Executive Course North of SR 44 and it includes greens fee and trail fees. Guest Play Cards can be purchased at any of our Regional Recreation Centers or our Customer Service Centers.

*Get yours today!*



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Executive Golf

For more information: email [CustomerService@DistrictGov.org](mailto:CustomerService@DistrictGov.org) | [DistrictGov.org](http://DistrictGov.org) | 352-753-4508

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## What's Happening in Your District



Village Community Development District No. 4 Board of Supervisors will be discussing unauthorized homeowner improvements on District owned property at their meeting scheduled for September 11, 2020, 1:30 p.m., Savannah Center, 1545 Buena Vista Boulevard. The meeting is open to the public.

# Information Provided By The Wildwood Police Department

On September 3, 2020, the Wildwood Police Department introduced the public to their new police headquarters located at 3939 County Road 462. Wildwood Mayor Ed Wolf, City Commissioners Julian Green, Joe Elliott, and Marcos Flores were in attendance as well as Congressman Daniel Webster. Mayor Ed Wolf said, "This is really a special day in the city of Wildwood, we've needed this for years and years." Police Chief Randy Parmer used crime scene tape for the ribbon cutting ceremony. Chief Parmer said, "As Wildwood grows, as The Villages grows, we're going to grow along with it. This is for the future of the police department and the people of this city."

The department's previous headquarters was a bomb shelter built over 70 years ago. A fire heavily damaged that building in October of 2018 and officers have been working out of a portable trailer.

The new building was completed in August and is 14,101 square feet. Amenities inside the new police station include an evidence processing area, a gym, several conference rooms, and a state-of-the-art training facility.

The lobby hours will be Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, from 8:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. Criminal history, background checks and fingerprinting services will be provided to the public in the near future at the police headquarters.



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Also in attendance to show support for law enforcement were Richard Baier, District Manager, Nehemiah Wolfe, Community Watch Division Chief, Jef Holland, Community Watch Operations Manager, Jon Roudabush, District 12 Board Supervisor and Craig Estep, District 1 Board Supervisor.





National Preparedness Month (NPM) is recognized each September to promote family and community disaster planning now and throughout the year. As our nation continues to respond to COVID-19, there is no better time to be involved this September.

The 2020 NPM theme is: **"Disasters Don't Wait. Make Your Plan Today."**

### **Make A Plan:**

Have a plan ready! Your family may not be together if a disaster strikes, so it is important to know which types of disasters could affect your area. Know how you'll contact one another and reconnect if separated. Establish a family meeting place that's familiar and easy to find.



Get a plan together by discussing the questions below with your family, friends, or household to start your emergency plan.

- Do you know how you will receive emergency alerts and warnings? Phone, weather radio, etc.
- What is your shelter plan? Know where you will go.
- Do you know your evacuation route?
- What is your family/household communication plan? Create a paper copy of the contact information for your family and other important people/offices, such as medical facilities, doctors, schools, or service providers. Have everyone in your family carry a copy.
- Do you need to update your emergency preparedness kit? Visit [www.ready.gov/kit](http://www.ready.gov/kit) to know what you should have in your kits.
- Check with the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and update my emergency plans due to Coronavirus. Get cloth face coverings (for everyone over 2 years old), disinfectants, and check my sheltering plan.



### **Consider specific needs in your household**

As you prepare your plan tailor your plans and supplies to your specific daily living needs and responsibilities. Discuss your needs and responsibilities and how people in the network can assist each other with communication, care of children, business, pets or specific needs like operating medical equipment.

Keep in mind some of these factors when developing your plan:

Different ages of members within your household, Responsibilities for assisting others, Locations frequented, Dietary needs, Medical needs including prescriptions and equipment, Disabilities or access and functional needs including devices and equipment, Languages spoken, Cultural and religious considerations, Pets or service animals, and Households with school-aged children.

### **Fill out an Family Emergency Plan**

There are plenty of plans and guidance information available at <https://www.ready.gov/plan>

**Go over and practice the plan with your family!**

### **Emergency Planning during a Pandemic**

- Make sure to have cloth face coverings on hand for every member 2 years of age or older in your family.
- Prescription medications and non-prescription medications such as pain relievers, anti-diarrhea medication, antacids or laxatives
- Anti bacterial soap for frequent hand washing
- Disinfecting supplies
- Hand sanitizer



## **Don't Forget!**

### **Flu Season is around the corner!**

In the United States, flu season occurs in the fall and winter. Remember, influenza viruses circulate year-round! **Annual influenza vaccination is recommended for all persons age 6 months and older to decrease morbidity and mortality caused by influenza.**

**During the COVID-19 pandemic, reducing the overall burden of respiratory illnesses is important to protect vulnerable populations at risk for severe illness, the healthcare system, and other critical infrastructure. It is especially important for the following individuals to get their annual flu shot:**



- Essential workers: Healthcare personnel, including nursing home, long-term care facility, and pharmacy staff, and other critical infrastructure workforce
- Persons at increased risk for severe illness from COVID-19: Including adults age 65 years and older, residents in a nursing home or long-term care facility, persons of all ages with certain underlying medical conditions. Severe illness from COVID-19 has been observed to disproportionately affect members of certain racial/ethnic minority groups
- Persons at high risk for influenza complications: Including infants and young children, children with neurologic conditions, pregnant women, adults age 65 years and older, and other persons with certain underlying medical conditions

"People who can avoid the flu will help reduce the burden on a U.S. health care system already overwhelmed by COVID-19," Mark Thompson, an epidemiologist in the Influenza Division at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pandemic-guidance/index.html> for more information

Source: <https://www.npr.org/sections/health-shots/2020/08/04/897696326/2020-flu-shot-strategy-get-yours-early-in-the-season>; <https://www.ready.gov/september>



**The following facilities will be temporarily closed or have scheduled maintenance:**

⇒ **Atlas Canine Park**

The Atlas Canine Park will be closed for maintenance September 7th through September 11th.

⇒ **Paradise Dog Park**

The Paradise Dog Park will be closed for maintenance September 14th through September 18th.

⇒ **Paradise Archery Range**

The Paradise Archery Range will be closed for maintenance September 9th through September 11th.

⇒ **Rio Grande Lawn Bowling and Croquet Court**

The Rio Grande Lawn Bowling and Croquet Court will be closed for maintenance August 7th through September 11th.

⇒ **El Santiago Recreation Center Outside Restrooms**

The El Santiago Recreation Center Outside Restrooms will be closed for maintenance September 3rd through September 11th.

⇒ **Chatham Recreation Center Indoor, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool**

The Chatham Recreation Center Indoor, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool will be closed for maintenance on September 12th.

⇒ **Mulberry Grove Recreation Center Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool**

The Mulberry Grove Recreation Center Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool will be closed for maintenance on September 19th.

⇒ **Poinciana Neighborhood Adult Pool**

The Poinciana Neighborhood Adult Pool will be closed for maintenance September 10th and September 11th.





⇒ **Hibiscus Recreation Center, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool**

The Hibiscus Recreation Center, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool will be closed for maintenance September 13th.

⇒ **Caroline Neighborhood Adult Pool**

The Caroline Neighborhood Adult Pool will be closed for maintenance September 16th through September 17th.

⇒ **Sabal Chase Neighborhood Adult Pool**

The Sabal Chase Neighborhood Adult Pool will be closed for maintenance September 14th through September 16th.

⇒ **Largo Neighborhood Adult Pool**

The Largo Neighborhood Adult Pool will be closed for maintenance September 10th and September 11th.

⇒ **Odell Recreation Center Family Pool**

The Odell Recreation Center Family Pool will be closed for maintenance September 10th and September 11th.

⇒ **Captiva Recreation Center Indoor and Outdoor Facilities**

The Captiva Recreation Center Indoor and Outdoor Facilities will be closed for maintenance on September 20th.

⇒ **Rohan Regional Recreation Center**

The Rohan Regional Recreation Center will be closed for maintenance on September 12th.

⇒ **Burnsed Recreation Center Indoor and Outdoor Facilities**

The Burnsed Recreation Center Indoor and Outdoor Facilities will be closed for quarterly cleaning and maintenance on September 13th.

# What's Happening In Your District...



## **Callahan and Belle Glade Villas**

District Property Management (DPM) has received the necessary permit modification from Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) to complete work within Wetland 88 (District wetland asset identification) under conditions of the Environmental Resources Permit. Regular updates of the District's progress to design, permit and advance the work are presented monthly to the District 10 Board of Supervisors. Now that the design is complete and the permit modification has been approved by SWFWMD, the District is proceeding with the procurement of a contractor to complete the work within the wetland. DPM will present a recommendation to award the contract for this project within Wetland 88 to the Project Wide Advisory Committee (PWAC) and the Sumter Landing Community Development District (SLCDD) for approval to proceed with the award of the contract.

The engineering review process of all existing conditions potentially impacting the pavement life span was necessary to develop the best solution to provide improved pavement conditions. It was determined from the review of the geotechnical borings performed that the pavement condition was being impacted by the seasonal groundwater intrusion into the pavement subgrade. Once the project within the wetlands is completed, DPM will monitor the groundwater elevations beneath the road surface for a few months to verify the intended results are achieved. Once the intended results are verified, the District will be able to move forward with the planned pavement restoration project. Based on current schedules the paving project is most likely to occur late in 2020 as part of the fiscal year 20-21 budget (beginning October 2020). The District will continue to provide regular updates to the District 10 Board, PWAC and Villa residents regarding project milestones and related project progress. Thank you for your patience and be assured the District is working diligently to provide a long-term and cost-effective pavement restoration solution. For questions and updates please contact Blair Bean, P.E., Director of District Property Management at 352-753-4022.

# Information Provided by Sumter County

## Household Electronics & Hazardous Waste Mobile Collection - Amnesty Day

Saturday November 7, 2020

9 AM to 3 PM

Location: Lake Okahumpka Park, 6085 E. SR 44, Wildwood 34785

### What to Bring:

Automotive fluids and batteries	Household electronics (TVs, VCRs, computers, etc.)	Rechargeable household batteries
Cleaners	Latex & oil based paints	Smoke detectors
Fertilizers	Paint removers and thinners	Solvents
Fluorescent lamps and Mercury containing devices	Pesticides	Wood Preservatives
Fungicides	Pool Chemicals	
Herbicides	Propane Tanks (25 lbs)	

### What not to bring:

- Biological/Infectious waste
- Explosives
- Radioactive waste
- Empty paint cans

### HOW TO PACKAGE AND TRANSPORT CHEMICALS

1. Do NOT mix chemicals together.
2. Keep products in original labeled containers if possible.
3. Place containers into cardboard boxes to prevent breakage.
4. Place leaky container in clear plastic bag and transport in box with newspaper.
5. Put boxes in trunk or in back of vehicle away from passengers.

For more information, visit their website at <https://sumtercountyfl.gov/1236/Household-Electronics-Hazardous-Waste-Mo> .