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Mayor and Commissioners Take Office

On Tuesday, November 18, 2014, the Ormond Beach City Commission began their new terms of office which is for two (2) years ending November 2016.

Prior to taking oaths of office, a reception was held in the City Hall Atrium, which was filled with guests congratulating the Commission members.

Mayor Ed Kelley was sworn in first followed by City Commissioners James Stowers (Zone 1), Troy Kent (Zone 2), Rick Boehm (Zone 3), and Bill Partington (Zone 4). Mayor Kelley previously served as the Zone 3 City Commissioner from 1994-1997, and from 2005-2010, and has been Mayor since 2010. City Commissioners Kent and Partington have been serving since 2004. City Commissioner Bill Partington served on the Law Enforcement Advisory Board from 2002-2004. City Commissioner James Stowers served on the Historic Landmark Preservation Board from 2009-2010, and City Commissioner Rick Boehm served on the Leisure Services Advisory Board from 2004-2010, and both are now in their third terms as City Commissioner.

Mayor Kelley, Zone 1, Zone 3 and Zone 4 City Commissioners, James Stowers, Rick Boehm, and Bill Partington, had no opposition in this fall's election.

Commissioner Bill Partington was again elected to the post of Deputy Mayor by the Commission.



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Citizen Police Academy

The Ormond Beach Police Department held its 32nd Citizen Police Academy and the participants graduated on Tuesday, November 18th, 2014.

Over a ten week period, members of the community were given an overview of the Criminal Justice System and how the men and women of the Ormond Beach Police Department fulfill their roles in that system.

The program is delivered in a positive and professional manner and demonstrated the Police Department's mission and role in the community.



Pictured at left: Citizen Police Academy Class #32 members listening to a presentation about the Police Unity Tour by Captain Jesse Godfrey.

Environmental Learning Center Public Meeting

On Wednesday, November 12th, The Casements Gallery was the setting for a community meeting to discuss the Environmental Learning Center to be located in Ormond Beach's Central Park off of Division Avenue. Central Park has 149 total acres, which includes 75 acres of connected lakes, 3 miles of multi-use trails and 8 wooden scenic overlooks. At the present time, recreation activities include fishing, canoeing, picnicking, walking, tennis, basketball, a playground and fitness stations.

The Environmental Learning Center's mission is to foster an awareness and appreciation of the natural environment by providing stimulating education programs that inspire participants to be active stewards of their surrounding natural resources. The meeting was a forum for individuals to ask questions and learn about the Center's educational programming, see the site plan and give ideas for what they would like to see and/or do while visiting the Environmental Learning Center. For those who were unable to attend the community meeting and would like to share their ideas, questionnaires are available for submission online at www.ormondbeach.org/elcquestionnaire.



Greek Cooking

Elaine Pitenis, Greek cooking instructor, held another demonstration class on Monday, November 10th. A varied and enthusiastic group of amateur chefs gathered in The Casements kitchen to watch and assist.



The theme of the class was Greek holiday appetizers. Among the offerings were Tzaziki, hummus, Greek caviar, Kalamari, crab meat in phyllo, Dolmades and Saganaki. Students had the benefit of not only tasting the dishes, but taking home a generous portion of the foods.

Elaine's next class at The Casements featuring Greek holiday desserts is scheduled for Monday, December 1st

at 4:00 pm. Please contact her at (386) 677-2733 or online at mybigfat-greekcookingclass.com.





Promoting the Fun

The City of Ormond Beach's Leisure Services Department has been invited to set up a display table at local school Fall Festivals and the Autism Walk to promote the upcoming Leisure Services events taking place throughout the next few months. Flyers were on display and Leisure Services staff were available to share information regarding programming. Children were able to complete a fall arts and craft project. At Pine Trails Elementary, the children drew handprint turkeys and picked up information about our upcoming Santa's Breakfast and our Letters to Santa program.

The Autism Speaks Walk took place in Port Orange and gave us the opportunity to promote our special needs programs. The arts and crafts project changed to creating a fall tree out of puzzle pieces, and the children did an amazing job. This Saturday, we will be attending the fall festival at Ormond Beach Elementary School. We hope to see many new children attending our programs!



Fraud Prevention Seminar

The Council on Aging of Volusia County and Anchor Financial Group of Ormond Beach sponsored the Senior Fraud Prevention Seminar at the Ormond Beach Performing Arts Center on Tuesday, November 11th.

The free event was open to the public and provided useful information to the community. The seminar focused on how to recognize scams targeting senior citizens and how to avoid becoming a victim of fraud and identity theft.



Skate Park Construction Begins!

The Skate Park at the Nova Community Center Park closed on November 11th to start construction on the expansion project of the skate park. The project is expected to be completed in April 2015 and will double the size of the park. The new additions will include more ramps and features and a pro shop with restrooms. Skaters who visit the park are excited to see the additions and to start using the new park.



The Casements Tented

Everyone loves The Casements; even the termites! However, they were indulging themselves on the second and third floor, and it was imperative to have the building tented for extermination of these pests before irreparable damage was done. Staff prepared the building over the weekend, and The Casements was closed to the public all week. Meetings and classes were relocated to Bailey Riverbridge.

The Casements will be termite free and reopen on Monday, November 24th.





Click it or Ticket Campaign

Click It or Ticket Enforcement Mobilization, Cracking Down to Save Lives

- From November 17, 2014 – November 30, 2014, state and local law enforcement agencies (including the Ormond Beach Police Department) are stepping up enforcement to catch motorists who aren't wearing their seat belts.
- The 2014 *Click It or Ticket* Thanksgiving enforcement mobilization is taking place all across the nation. Whether motorists live in a city, the suburbs, or a rural area, local law enforcement will be out in force.

Seat Belts and Enforcement Save Lives

- In 2012 seat belts saved an estimated 12,174 people from dying. From 2008 – 2012 seat belts saved nearly 63,000 lives.
- In 2012, 3,031 additional lives could have been saved if all unrestrained passenger vehicle occupants age 5 and older involved in fatal crashes had worn their seat belts.
- Cops aren't just cracking down for the fun of it. Wearing a seat belt is a serious issue. For the first time in five years, fatalities for unrestrained passenger vehicle occupants have gone up. In 2012, there were 10,335 unbuckled passenger vehicle occupants who died. Because of these fatalities, cops are stepping up enforcement and cracking down on those who don't wear their seat belts.

Too Many Motorists Are Dying

- Young adults are dying at a disproportionate rate because they are not wearing their seat belts. Sixty-two percent of 18- to 34-year-old passenger vehicle occupants killed in crashes were not wearing their seat belts.
- Those who drive and ride in pickup trucks may think that their large vehicle will protect them more than other vehicles in a crash. This false sense of security may cause them to not wear their seat belts, but the stats show that this bravado is misplaced. Sixty-six percent of pickup truck occupants who were killed were not buckled up. That's compared to 45% of car occupants who were killed while not wearing their seat belts.
- More men than women die every year in motor vehicle traffic crashes. In 2012, 65% of the 21,667 passenger vehicle occupants killed were men. Men also wore their seat belts less than women in fatal crashes – 56% of men were unrestrained, compared to 43% for women.

Enforcement Everywhere

- In 2012, 13,268 traffic fatalities occurred in rural locations, compared to 8,341 traffic fatalities that occurred in urban locations. Out of those fatalities, 54% of those not wearing their seat belt were in rural locations, compared to 48% in urban locations.
- People who live in rural areas might believe that the close-knit nature of their small town will get them out of a ticket. However, motorists should not think that knowing the officer who pulled them over will help them avoid a ticket. Cops are cracking down everywhere on those not wearing their seat belts.

Enforcement Anytime

- Day or night, local law enforcement officers are on the lookout for those not wearing their seat belts--and for good reason. In 2012, 61% of passenger vehicle occupants killed at night (6 p.m. – 5:59 a.m.) were not wearing their seat belts.
- Local law enforcement officers are actually trained to spot seat belt violations at night, so just because it's dark, don't think they won't be able to spot unbelted drivers.

Learn more about the *Click It or Ticket* mobilization at www.nhtsa.gov/ciot.



Happy Thanksgiving!

All non-emergency City offices will be closed on Thursday, November 27, and Friday, November 28, 2014, in celebration of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

There will be no Weekly Review or Weekly Reports next week.

On behalf of City staff, have a safe and happy holiday.

Thanksgiving Holiday Waste Collection Schedule

Household Waste Pick Up

No Collection - Thursday, November 27, 2014
Make Up - Monday, December 1, 2014

Recycle Pick Up

No Collection - Thursday, November 27, 2014
Make Up - Thursday, December 4, 2014

Yard Waste Schedule Will Remain Unchanged

If you have any questions or concerns, please call the Waste Pro of Florida, Inc., Customer Service Center at 386-788-8890.

Weekly Police Stats

Calls for Service - 1,898 Arrests – 13
Citations Issued - 59
Reports Written - 130 Traffic Stops - 133



Weekly Fire Operations Stats

149 INCIDENTS
91 - EMS 5 - Motor Vehicle Accidents
4 - Fires 3- Fire Alarms
43 - Public Assists 3 - Hazardous



City Commission Meeting

The next City Commission meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 2, 2014, at 7:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers located at 22 South Beach Street.

Please note that this is the only Commission meeting that will be held in December.

The Casements Closure

The Casements will be closed on Thursday, December 4th, and Friday, December 5th, in preparation of The Gala which begins at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, December 5th.



Movies on the Halifax

On Friday, December 12, 2014, at 6:00 p.m., the City's Leisure Services Department and The Casements Guild will present "Polar Express" in Rockefeller Gardens.

Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and come out and enjoy the movie with your friends and family! Refreshments will be available for purchase.

Moving Rating: "Polar Express" is a G rated movie.





Meeting with the Manager

The next Meeting with the Manager will be held on Monday, December 8, 2014, at 6:00 p.m. in the Training Room at City Hall, 22 South Beach Street.

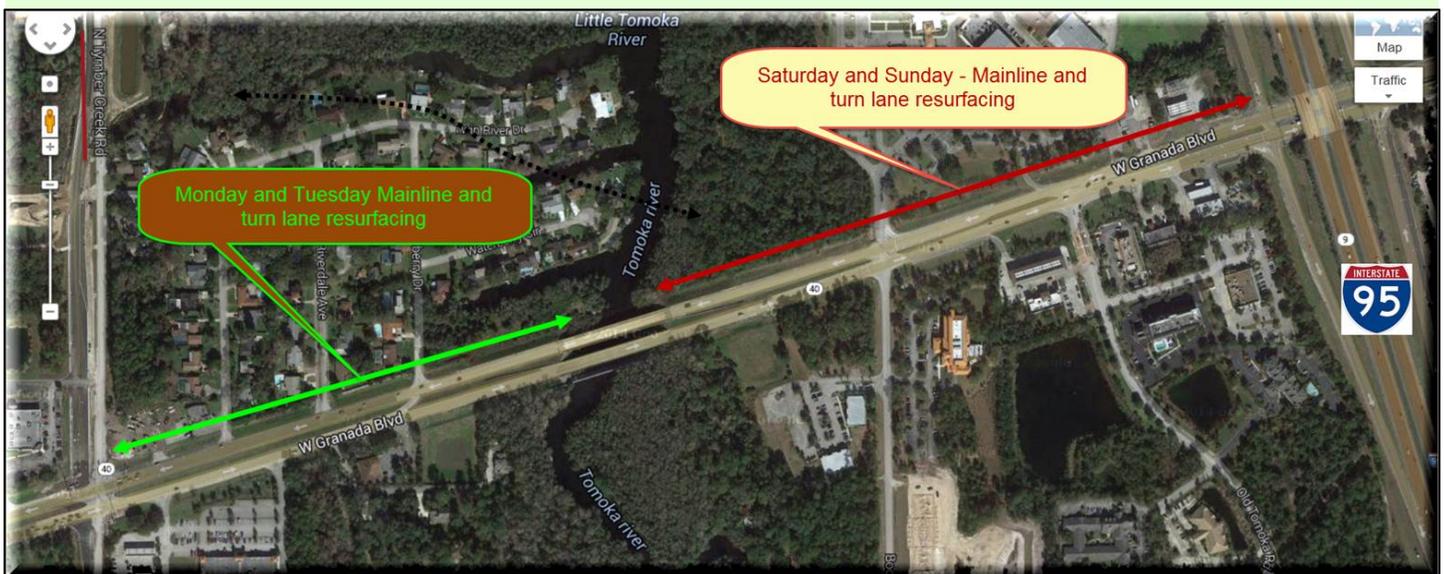
The Training Room is located on the 1st floor. Entry to the Training Room is in the breezeway between City Hall and the Library.

Everyone is invited to attend these informal sessions to express their ideas, comments, and suggestions.

West Granada Blvd. Lane Closures

The FDOT contractor will have daytime lane closures on SR40 (West Granada Blvd.) between I-95 and Tymber Creek Rd. performing asphalt resurfacing. The photo below outlines the areas of work and timeframes. The work will be performed from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

For any questions regarding this paving work, please contact Glenn Raney, Project Oversight, FDOT DeLand Operations at 386-740-3524 (office) or 386-846-4862 (cell).



FLOW Mobile

The Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles "Florida Licensing On Wheels" (FLOW) mobile unit will be at City Hall on Tuesday, November 25th, from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.



FLOW is a standalone mobile office with technology to provide most motorists' needs. It provides drivers license/ID card change of address, renewals, replacements, and renewals and replacements of vehicle registration and disabled parking permits, as well as other needs. The only thing FLOW does not provide is for the drivers' license road test.

FLOW brings services to the local communities offering a convenience to citizens while saving them time and gas.

Before visiting, please go to www.gathergoget.com to learn about licensing and ID requirements and make sure you have everything you need when you visit FLOW so you don't have to make a second trip. You can also contact the Florida Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles office at 850-617-2000.

Legal Advice Clinic for Civil Matters

Community Legal Services of Mid-Florida (CLSMF) will be holding a clinic for residents on Thursday, December 4, 2014. CLSMF clinics are held on the first Thursday of each month. The clinics are held in Conference Room 103 in City Hall located at 22 S. Beach Street. Conference Room 103 is located just before the elevator on the first floor when entering City Hall from the breezeway between the Library and City Hall.

Individuals will have the opportunity to meet with an attorney to address foreclosure, landlord tenant, consumer, family law, and employment issues. If interested, an eligibility intake must be completed.

If you would like to apply for free legal services, please call 386-255-6573, extension 2445, or apply online anytime at www.clsmf.org. Please call and make your appointment today.

For additional information, please email probono@clsmf.org.



LEGAL SERVICES
of MID-FLORIDA

Legal Advice Clinic For Civil Matters

**Foreclosure, Landlord Tenant, Consumer, Family Law
and Employment Issues**

Community Legal Services of Mid-Florida (CLSMF) is partnering with the City of Ormond Beach to offer free legal advice clinics to eligible individuals. During these events, participants will have the opportunity to meet with an attorney to address foreclosure, landlord tenant, consumer, family law and employment issues.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Event Information</u></p> <p>Date: 1st Thursday of every month</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Next Clinic: Thursday, December 4, 2014</p> <p>Time: 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>Location: Ormond Beach City Hall Conference Room 103 22 South Beach Street Ormond Beach, FL</p> <p>What to Bring:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Any papers related to your legal matter <input type="checkbox"/> Any court paper work that you have received or filed <input type="checkbox"/> List of questions to ask attorneys regarding your legal matter 	<p>Interested residents must complete an eligibility intake.</p> <p>To apply for free legal services: 386-255-6573 Ext. 2445</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>OR</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Apply Online</p> <p>24 hours a day, 7 days a week at: www.clsmf.org</p> <p>For additional information, email: probono@clsmf.org</p>
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[WWW.CLSMF.ORG](http://www.clsmf.org)

Public Works in ACTION



Urban Forestry trimming on Stonehaven Trail



Removal of dead limb on Riverside Dr.



Banner removal on SR40



Public Works in ACTION



Maintenance crews clearing ROW on Magnolia Ave.



Additional ROW trimming on Ocean Shore Blvd.



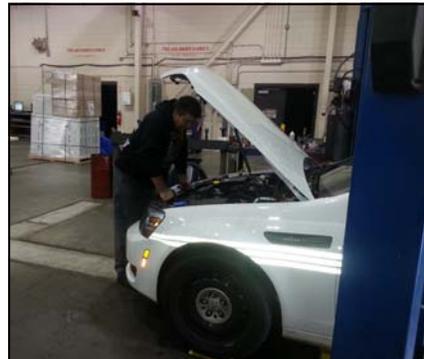
Public Works in ACTION



More ROW trimming on Groover Ave.



Fleet Maintenance in Action



Public Works in ACTION



Wachs Valve Maintenance Trailer Training for Water Distribution & Wastewater Collection System Crews



Low Cost Pet Shot Clinic Sunday November 23rd 9am-10am



**Ormond Beach Police Dept.
170 W. Granada Blvd.**

**Rabies Shots \$12 (1 year)
Distemper Combo \$20/\$24
Flea Meds Available**

*Various prices for shots/meds
For more information please call 676-3262*