Important City Phone Numbers

City Hall, 2345 Providence Blvd., (386) 561-2100
Mayor and City Commission, (386) 561-2111
City Clerk's Office, (386) 561-2122
Communication and Public Information, (386) 561-2149
City Manager's Office, (386) 561-2113
Human Resources, (386) 561-2268
Construction Services (inspections and permitting), (386) 561-2225
Automated inspection information, (386) 575-2069
Development Services, (386) 561-2214
Zoning Division, (386) 561-2220
Animal Control, (386) 860-7177
Code and Solid Waste Compliance, (386) 561-2247
Public Works, 201 Howland Blvd., (386) 561-2150
Water and Sewer, 255 Enterprise Road, (386) 575-2060 (billing and new service) (386) 561-2222 (general inquiries)
Parks & Recreation, 191 Howland Blvd., (407) 302-5205 (programs and facilities)
Fire Department Administration, 1685 Providence Blvd., (386) 860-7177
Waste Services Inc. (Recycling bins, garbage pick-up and special pick-ups), (386) 574-0778
Volusia County Sheriff's Office, 1691 Providence Blvd., (386) 860-7030 or after 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, (386) 736-5999
Emergencies, 911

City Clerk's Office prepares for '07 election season

Three City Commission seats will be decided in the upcoming fall elections. This year's elections schedule provides for a Primary Election (if needed) on Oct. 9 and a General Election on Nov. 6.

Each Commission seat is a four-year term of office. This Fall's election will include Commission Districts 2, 4 and 6 which are currently filled by Commissioner David Santiago (2), Vice Mayor William S. Harvey (4) and Commissioner Michael Carmolingo (6).

The Primary Election on Oct. 9 applies to the Commission seats only if there are more than two candidates for any one of the seats.

Nominating Petition forms must be submitted by noon, Aug. 6 (21 days prior to the first day of the qualifying period). All necessary forms are contained in the 2007 Municipal Elections Qualifying Packet, available at the Deltona City Clerk's Office. Specific forms within this packet must be signed and completed before the City Clerk during the City's Qualifying Period scheduled in accordance with the Volusia County Uniform Election law beginning at 9 a.m. Aug. 27 and ending at noon Sept. 6.

For specific procedures and for election related questions or general candidate information, call the Clerk's Office, (386) 561-2100 or e-mail Faith Miller, City Clerk, MMC, fmiller@ci.deltona.fl.us or visit ci.deltona.fl.us.

The City Clerk's Office encourages all eligible residents to register to vote for the candidate of their choice. Deltona is the largest city in Volusia County with a population of 85,484.

Our population includes a total of 49,209 registered voters. Let's show the rest of the 15 Volusia County cities our community spirit by going to the polls on Election Day.

Animal Control sponsoring low-cost pet shot clinic

The City's Animal Control Division will sponsor a low-cost rabies vaccine clinic at 2 p.m. April 21 at Cohen's Veterinarian Center, 2879 Elkcam Blvd.

The clinic is cash only and limited to the first 150 customers. Cost is $5 per pet. Canine and feline distemper 4-in-1 shots will be $10 each and City pet licenses will also be available. For information, call (386) 561-2247.

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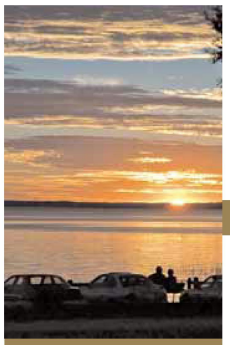

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Trust:
We encourage and develop an atmosphere of mutual trust and appreciation among residents, employees, and policy-makers. We will ensure that communication constructively touches the lives of individuals in order to attract their participation in the democratic process. We will use clear, factual, timely communication and a variety of media to widely disseminate information in the community and to stimulate trust and understanding among all.

Para recibir una copia en Español, favor de llamar al (386) 561-2180.

The City of DELTONA

City of Deltona Proud to be part of it...

Watch City of Deltona (COD) TV on Brighthouse Channel 99

Deltona City government is coming to you in a new and innovate way. As of Feb. 1, the City of Deltona's Government access cable channel is up and running--showing community calendars and bulletins. Beginning this month, residents on the BrightHouse network will be able to watch City Commission meetings in the comfort of their own living rooms.

COD (City of Deltona) TV will broadcast from City Hall seven days a week, 24 hours a day. In the future, Community and Public Information staff will have field cameras and mixing equipment in order to videotape events, parades and concerts throughout our City. Staff will also work on bringing a web streaming feature to the station, to allow residents to watch meetings on the City's Web site.

"As we continue to seek ways to improve the City's open government policies, we know this government access channel is a huge step in communicating City issues, services and goals to our residents and we hope you will tune in," said Mayor Dennis Mulder.

After many months of working with a consultant and a contractor to install equipment, then alter the Commission Chambers and test the station, COD TV now broadcasts on BrightHouse Networks Channel 99.

The City of Deltona joins the ranks of the City of Port Orange, becoming only the second municipality in Volusia County to have its own TV station. Programming will consist of City Commission meetings and general information. In the future, we hope to add community events, Music in the Courtyard, programming developed by City departments, information and special presentations by the Mayor and City Commission.

For additional information on the station, please visit our Web site, ci.deltona.fl.us or call us at (386) 561-2149.

Spring cleaning events planned in April

Deltona's annual Event, Spruce up Deltona is planned for April 21-29, and this year will be bookended by two very special events--Deltona's First Lake Cleanup (April 21) and a Tree City USA Arbor Day celebration (April 28).

Every year, City staff use this week-long event, to encourage residents to improve the appearance of Deltona. Its success depends greatly on the participation and support of Deltona residents and businesses.

Residents are asked to improve the general appearance of their homes and properties by trimming trees and bushes; mowing grass; planting flowers and/or shrubs such as the City's official flower, the azalea; cleaning, repairing and painting the exterior surfaces of their homes and buildings, including walls, porches, gutters, roofs and pools; disposing of fallen leaves and branches; accumulated debris and unneeded items stored in carports or elsewhere; cleaning up right-of-ways or the vacant lots or by joining the Adopt-A-Street program. City staff will place large dumpsters at Wes Crile Park, 1537 Norbert Terrace;

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March-April Calendar of Events

March

3 Second Annual Wags & Whiskers Pet Fest, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Keysville Dog Park, 2461 Keysville Ave.--Bring your pets for a pet parade, low-cost vaccinations, micro-chipping, contests, demonstrations and to play in the dog park.

25 Skate and Bike Competition, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., (register by March 19), Lake Butler Skate Park, 301 Courtland Blvd., call (407) 302-5205.

31 Eggstravaganza, 10 a.m. to noon, Dewey O. Boster Sports Complex, 1200 Saxon Blvd.--Egg hunting starts at 10 a.m. sharp. Mr. and Mrs. Bunny will be present.

April

11 District 2 Town Hall Meeting with Commissioner David Santiago on Spruce Up Deltona, 6:30-8:30 p.m, City Hall Commission Chambers, 2345 Providence Blvd.

14 Music in the Courtyard with Steve Reel and the Reels, sponsored by Publix Supermarkets, 7 p.m., City Hall Courtyard.--The event is free. Bring blanket and/or lawn chairs.

21-29 Lake Cleanup, 8:30 a.m.-noon, April 21--Meet at Wes Crile Park, 1537 Norbert Terrace.

Spruce Up Deltona, April 21-29

Arbor Day Celebration, 10 a.m.-noon, April 28, Wes Crile Park.

Ongoing Events

•The Deltona City Commission meets at 6:30 p.m. the first and third Monday of every month. Workshops are also now scheduled regularly for alternate Mondays. For a list of meetings, agendas and minutes, visit ci.deltona.fl.us.

•Recreation on the Move, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., first through fourth Saturdays of every month (first Saturday-Firefighters Memorial Park, 1426 E. Lombardy Drive; second Saturday-Dwight Hawkins Park, 3050 Riverhead Drive; third Saturday- Campbell Park, 1315 Briarwood Ave.; fourth Saturday-Manny Rodriguez Park, 1570 Overton St.)--Program features activities and venues to encourage developing healthy habits in children and families.

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Dwight Hawkins Park, 3050 Riverhead Drive; the Lake Butler Skate Park, 301 Courtland Blvd.; City Hall, 2345 Providence Blvd.; Firefighter's Memorial Park, 1426 E. Lombardy Drive, and at Stratford Commons located off of Deltona Boulevard.

Volunteers interested in participating in Deltona's first lake cleanup (April 21) can call Commission Assistant Janet Day, (386) 561-2111 to register as an individual, family or group. Volunteers and City staff will be working together to clean McGarity Lake and Lake Gleason. Both of these lakes have walkable access to most spots around the lake.

Volunteers will meet at 8:30 a.m. the morning of the cleanup at Wes Crile Park to receive trash bags, gloves and free T-shirts.

The City's Parks & Recreation Department has been working on a program to establish Deltona as an official "Tree City USA." The program will be introduced at a special Arbor Day Celebration from 10 a.m. to noon, April 28 at City Hall. Elected officials, city staff and school children will plant a tree commencing the program and in honor of Arbor Day. The Mayor will read a proclamation and tree plantings and seedlings will be given to residents present.

In order to become a Tree City USA, Deltona must adopt a tree care ordinance, allot at least $2 per capita to a community forestry program to plant new trees or replace or treat established trees, have an annual Arbor Day observance and proclamation and establish a tree board or department. The City of Deltona established a Beautification Board in 2006 to look at ways to beautify Deltona and they have already discussed the important roll that trees play in Deltona's beautification.

For information on Tree City USA, visit www.arborday.org/programs/treeCityUSA.com or call the Parks & Recreation Department, (407) 302-5205.

New Directors bring fresh ideas to City

The City's new department directors are hard at work bringing new and innovative plans to the City.

Greg Stubb's has taken on the Director of Planning and Development Services role. Stubb's says he hopes to encourage and attract developments that will benefit Deltona's community as a whole. "We wish to make this process as smooth and expeditious as possible for both existing and potential residents and business owners and developers alike."

Patti Evans is the new Parks & Recreation Director, tasked with among other things, creating a Parks Master Plan. "The park land available to us to design our future parks is beautifully set among lakes, rolling hills, large oaks and sand pines. Indeed, we have an opportunity to create parks and open space that will be special for many years to come."

Dorothy Pendergrass, the new Director of Finance and Internal Services, has more than six years of governmental audit experience and is a certified public accountant. "Working to help improve the quality of life for residents, providing informative financial information and introducing new technology to improve services is what I have found most satisfying about my job," said Pendergrass.

Gearing up for Relay for Life and Summer Recreation

Mayor Mulder to shave head if American Cancer Society fundraising reaches three-digit figure

The City of Deltona is looking for volunteers, groups or organizations interested in joining the City's second annual Relay For Life event May 10–11.

This year, if the City of Deltona raises $100,000, Mayor Dennis Mulder has vowed to shave his head.

Relay for Life is a fun-filled overnight event designed to celebrate cancer survivorship and to raise money for cancer research and programs of the American Cancer Society. The event begins in the afternoon of May 10 at the Dewey O. Boster Sports Complex, 1200 Saxon Blvd. Area cancer survivors typically take the first lap around the track.

Team members walk throughout the night signifying that cancer never sleeps. Luminaria are lit in honor of and in memory of family and friends who have battled cancer in the community. Various fun and often hilarious activities are planned throughout the evening and into the morning hours. Relay teams set up campsites and offer food and mementos during the event to raise money as a team. Awards are given to the top fund raising teams. The Relay officially ends at noon, May 11.

If you are interested in forming a Relay Team, please call

City Commission Assistant and Deltona Relay for Life 2007 Co-chair, Janet Day, (386) 561-2111 to sign up.

City employees participated in a very successful United Way campaign in 2006. Staff raised over $9,500, more than the past five years combined. The annual campaign will continue to be a priority for City staff.

Signup in April for Deltona's Summer Recreation Program

Parents, summer is coming, and so is the annual question of what to do with the kids when they get out of school? Why not include the City's Summer Recreation Program in your summer plans?

The Parks & Recreation Department has a full team of qualified staffers ready to make sure your children have a fun and safe summer. Right now, they are hard at work making the final preparations for the 2007 Summer Recreation Program.

The program begins May 29 and ends Aug. 3 at Heritage Middle School, 1001 Parnell Court; Deltona Middle School, 250 Enterprise Road, and a Teen Camp at the Harris M. Saxon Community Center, 2329 California St. The program is offered from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. The program is available to children entering first grade through children entering ninth grade. Teen camp is for ages 12-15.

Registration will be from 8 a.m. to noon, April 14 at Wes Crile Park, 1537 Norbert Terrace; from 6 to 8 p.m. April 19 at Heritage Middle School, and from 6 to 8 p.m. April 24 at Deltona Middle School.

Deltona Fire: Serving our community with pride, dedication and honor

The Deltona Fire Department takes pride in working to maintain and improve the quality of life for the community we serve.

Most residents know us as the providers of medical treatment and fire suppression however we also rely on our public education programs as a method to "save lives."

We take a proactive approach in educating our citizens in the proper fire and life safety behaviors. We work through formal education programs, educational materials and the media to ensure our residents know how to protect themselves. We also value programs like the Fire Explorers, the Deltona High School Health Academy, the Pine Ridge High School Sports Academy and the Child and Babysitter Safety program that reach out to our children. For additional information, call Deltona Fire, (386) 860-7177.