



City of St. Augustine Beach Seal

City of St. Augustine Beach October Newsletter

A STEP BACK IN TIME: CELEBRATING THE CITY'S 60TH BIRTHDAY

ONGOING: OCTOBER 21 – 25, 2019

HISTORICAL DISPLAY AT CITY HALL DURING NORMAL OPERATING HOURS (8AM - 5PM)

OPEN HOUSE: OCTOBER 25, 2019 FROM 5-7 PM

HISTORICAL DISPLAY, BIRTHDAY CAKE AND DRINKS, AND A TRIVIA BOOTH WITH PRIZES



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Ongoing: October 21 - 25, 2019 historical display at City Hall during normal operating hours (8am - 5pm)

Open House: October 25, 2019 from 5-7pm historical display, birthday cake and drinks, and a trivia booth with prizes

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A Step Back in Time: Celebrating the City's 60th Birthday

The City of St. Augustine Beach will celebrate its 60th birthday and Florida City Government Week from October 21 – 25, 2019. This week will conclude with an open house at St. Augustine Beach City Hall (2200 A1A South, St. Augustine Beach) on October 25 from 5 – 7pm.

From October 21 - 25, St. Augustine Beach City Hall will have a historical display of pictures, documents, and artifacts open to the public during regular operating hours (8am – 5pm). Then, on Friday, October 25, City Hall will remain open until 7pm for an open house. Cake and drinks will be served, and there will be a trivia table for event attendees to answer questions about the City and win prizes.

“We are excited for the City’s 60th birthday celebration and hope that residents of all generations will join in the fun,” said St. Augustine Beach Mayor Undine C. George. “This event is a great opportunity to celebrate our City and educate our residents about the history of the City of St. Augustine Beach.”

Florida City Government Week, sponsored by the Florida League of Cities, is a celebration that raises awareness about the importance of municipal government. The League is the official organization of the municipal governments in Florida.

For more information, please visit www.sabevents.com, The City of St Augustine Beach Facebook and Instagram page, and sign up for the monthly e-newsletter by texting CITYOFSAB to 22828.

*Note: One or more City of St. Augustine Beach Commissioners may be present at this event.



Town Hall Meeting Notice

Tuesday, October 29, 2019

6 - 8 pm

The Courtyard by Marriott Hotel

605 A1A Beach Blvd

St. Augustine Beach FL 32080

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St. Augustine Beach, FL 32080

Town Hall Meeting Rescheduled to October 29, 2019

St. Augustine Beach Commissioner Dylan Rumrell has rescheduled the Town Hall Meeting, postponed by Hurricane Dorian, to Tuesday, October 29, 2019. The meeting will be held from 6 – 8pm at Courtyard by Marriott Hotel in the Flagler A conference room, located on the north side of the building, with its own entrance on the north side. (605 A1A Beach Blvd, St Augustine Beach, FL 32080). Parking will be available on the North side of the building. Seating is limited and there will not be outside seating available

County Commissioner Henry Dean, St. Johns County Fire and Rescue Chief Jeff Prevatt, St. Augustine Beach Police Chief Robert Hardwick, St. Augustine Beach City Manager Max Royle, St. Augustine Beach Public Works Director Bill Tredik, and St. Johns County Parks and Recreation Staff will be in attendance.

The meeting is open to the public and the public is invited and encouraged to attend. The purpose of this meeting is to encourage residents to engage with local officials by asking questions regarding the, the non-ad valorem trash assessment, budget, regulation of e-scooters, environmental concerns, and more.

This meeting will be moderated by Communications and Events Coordinator Cindy Walker. Questions may be sent to cwalker@cityofsab.org ahead of time. Questions may also be submitted at the event as well either in writing or verbally. Attendees who wish to verbally submit questions will get a three-minute opportunity to do so.



Turtle ART CAN!

New ART CAN!

The City of St. Augustine Beach would like to say THANK YOU to Kathy James of St. Augustine Beach Art Studio and Gallery for our new ART CAN!
Stay tuned for more ART CANS! to come!



Jean Dowdy, Bill Hamilton, and Bryanne Hamilton of Southern Horticulture and Mayor George



Captain of the Litter Gitter Adam Morley and Mayor George

Environmental Stewardship Awards

The Sustainability and Environmental Planning and Advisory Council (SEPAC), in conjunction with the St. Augustine Beach Commission, presented Captain of the Litter Gitter Adam Morley and Jean Dowdy, Bill

Hamilton, and Bryanne Hamilton of Southern Horticulture with Environmental Stewardship Awards.

These awards recognize individuals and businesses that are working to protect the Island's natural resources and enhance its ecosystem. The objective of environmental stewardship is to reduce impacts on the environment, thereby protecting our natural resources through conservation and sustainable practices.

To be considered for recognition, nominees must demonstrate significant achievements through reducing environmental impacts, conserving resources, enhancing ecosystems, and restoring impacted natural resources.



Halloween Costumes

Halloween Safety Tips

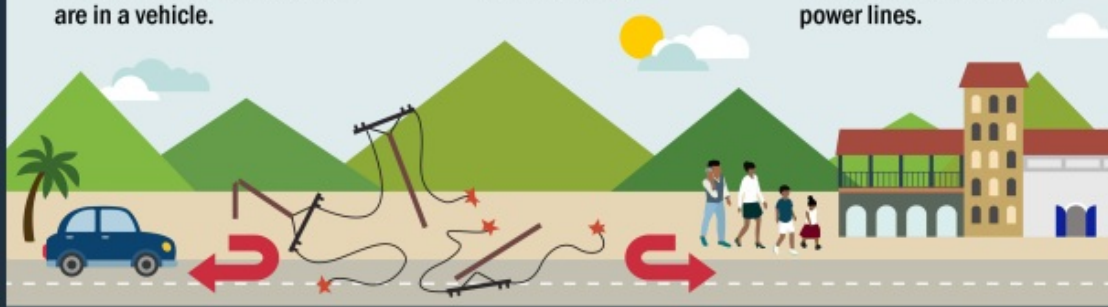
To ensure everyone is safe this Halloween, the St. Augustine Beach Police Department offers these tips:

- Stay with parent or responsible adult
 - Use sidewalks and crosswalks
 - Look before crossing the street
 - Have parents check the candy before you eat them
 - Bring glow sticks or flashlights to increase visibility
 - Only go to houses with lit porch lights
 - Do not go into a stranger's house
 - Avoid leaving jack-o-lanterns lit with a candle while out trick or treating- try using glow sticks instead
 - Make sure you lock your door when leaving to go out
 - Plan your route before going out to avoid confusion, chose neighborhoods you are familiar with
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Avoid power lines and wires that are sparking, even if you are in a vehicle.

If you see sparking wires, call 911.

Keep children away from electrical equipment and power lines.



SAFETY TIPS DURING POWER RESTORATION



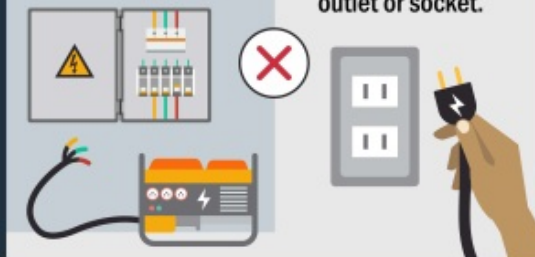
Do use a power inlet box and transfer switch to connect to your home wiring.

Do use extension cords to connect electrical devices directly to your generator.



Do not connect your generator directly to your home's wiring.

Do not plug your generator into a regular household outlet or socket.



If you see utility trucks in your neighborhood, turn off your generator to keep technicians safe while they work.



Safety Tips During Power Restoration:

- Avoid wires that are sparking, even if you are in a vehicle.
- If you see sparking wires, call 911.
- Keep children away from electrical equipment and power lines.
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Entrance to St. Augustine Beach City Hall

CITY HALL UPDATE

September 9, 2019 - Special Budget Meeting and
Regular Commission Meeting
September 10, 2019 - Continuation Commission Meeting
September 23, 2019 - Special Final Budget Meeting

Please click below to read the City Hall Update for all three meetings.

[**Read the Whole Article Here**](#)



Max Royle, City Manager

Flags

One of the “perks” of working for a local government, especially a small one, is that challenges occur with some regularity, requiring your humble public servants to be nimble of foot and thought. One recent challenge concerned a flag.....

[**Read the Whole Article Here**](#)

September is **LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH!**

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Association



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September is the Perfect Time to Get or Renew your Library Card

This September, the St. Johns County Public Library System (SJCPLS) joins with the American Library Association and our friends, Woody, Buzz Lightyear, and Bo Peep from Toy Story 4 to promote the value of the public library card.

In addition to bestsellers, DVDs, audiobooks, CDs and more, St. Johns County residents who sign up for a SJCPLS library card receive 24/7 access to SJCPLS's eLibrary for downloading ebooks, reading *The New York Times* digital edition, streaming movies and music, and researching for work or school projects.

A library card is also an essential school supply for students. Whether it's providing free access to STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics) and robotics classes, virtual homework help through Brainfuse, or virtual databases for research and study, students will reap rewards in academic achievement and lifelong learning.

"Throughout the school year, our library offers a variety of programs to stimulate an interest in reading and learning," said Library Director Debra

Rhodes Gibson. "Storytimes expose young children to the joy of reading and encourage school readiness, while older children have access to technology and digital tools such as Brainfuse and Kids InfoBits and the help from library staff to use those resources."

For more information about how to sign up for a library card, please visit any SJCPLS branch or bookmobile in person or online at www.sjcpls.org.



Commission Meeting Notice

Monday, October 7, 2019

6:00pm

St. Augustine Beach City Hall

2200 A1A South

St. Augustine Beach FL 32080

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Sustainability & Environmental Planning Advisory Council

Thursday, October 10, 2019
6pm

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2200 A1A South
St. Augustine Beach FL 32080

Sustainability and Environmental Planning Advisory Committee
Thursday, October 10, 2019 6pm
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2200 A1A South
St. Augustine Beach, FL 32080



Planning & Zoning Board Meeting Notice

Tuesday, October 15, 2019

6pm

St. Augustine Beach City Hall

2200 A1A South

St. Augustine Beach FL 32080

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Man with tree at Arbor Day event

Become a Sponsor!

Are you or your business interested in "getting your name out" in the St. Augustine Beach community? If so, the City of St. Augustine Beach would like to invite you to partner with us as an event sponsor. Sponsorship includes numerous marketing benefits at our events and in our media, as well as the opportunity to support events that bring the community together!

For more information, please visit [HERE](#) and contact Communications and Events Coordinator, Cindy Walker (cwalker@cityofsab.org or 904-295-2271.)



The Changing of the Flags - July 10, 1823

The Army Makes Repairs

In 1821 Spain officially turned East Florida over to the United States, but after the colorful ceremony at the Castillo de San Marcos the soldiers of the 4th Regiment of Artillery, which was to be the town's first U.S. Army garrison, were hard put to find....

[Read the Whole Article Here](#)



*Beach Blast Off
Now Looking for Novelty Booth Vendor*

Looking for Vendor

The City of St. Augustine Beach is looking for a Novelty Booth Vendor for Beach Blast Off into 2020! This is an exclusive contract, subject to approval based on items to be sold and receipt of signed contract, tax receipt, proof of nonprofit status (if applicable), and proof of insurance. The cost of the booth is \$550. If interested, please contact Communications and Events Coordinator, Cindy Walker at cwalker@cityofsab.org.

A Note From Our Sponsors....



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