



EDGEWATER SHORELINES

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CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

6:30 P.M.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS
104 N. RIVERSIDE DRIVE

SEPTEMBER 10, 2018

The First Budget Hearing to adopt the TENTATIVE Operating Millage and Operating Budget will occur at the September 10th City Council Meeting.

SEPTEMBER 24, 2018

The second budget hearing to adopt the FINAL Millage and Operating Budget will occur at the September 24th City Council Meeting.

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER FOR THE CITY OF EDGEWATER

SEPTEMBER 2018

EDGE fest

DAY on the RIVER

SATURDAY ★ SEPTEMBER 15, 2018 ★ 10am-2pm
MENARD MAY PARK, 413 S. Riverside Drive

**WATER SAFETY INFORMATION
FUN WATER ACTIVITIES
ENTERTAINMENT
VENDORS**

Participate in the 2018
INTERNATIONAL COASTAL CLEANUP

Kennedy Park 8:00-10:30 a.m. Menard May Park 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Pet-a-Palooza

Rescheduled From May

Pet Contests & Resources
Pet Rescue Groups
Meet & Greet
Adoptable Animals

With the **EAS**
Edgewater Animal Shelter

One or More Members of City Council or Other Advisory Boards May Be Present

FLORIDA HOSPITAL NEW SERVICES | thrive | Current | ADVANCED AIR-HEAT | NBBB | at&t | EDGEWATER

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT SPECIALEVENTS@CITYOFEDGEWATER.ORG OR (386) 424-2400 x1340

EDGEWATER WELCOMES NEW BUSINESS OWNERS & STOREFRONTS



Athens Restaurant
1401 S. Ridgewood Ave. #1

Designer Clean
1513 S. Ridgewood Ave.

Dollar General Store
210 N. Ridgewood Ave.

Edgewater Villas
118 Hardin Place

Kirk Heisey
1317 S. Ridgewood Ave.

Myne Enterprises
203 W. Marion Ave. #4

Peggy's Country Kitchen
2100 S. Ridgewood Ave.

P3 Land and Leasing
301 Mango Tree Drive

Shark City Health Services
328 N. Ridgewood Ave. #3

Sidewalk Realty & Property
1829 S. Ridgewood Ave.

Superb Auto Sales
137 W. Marion Ave. #7

South Seminole Farm & Nursery
3337 W. Indian River Blvd.

Tres Amigos Property
703 S. Ridgewood Ave.

EDGEWATER BUSINESS OWNERS IT'S RENEWAL TIME!



Business Tax Receipts & Certificates of Use
EXPIRE ON SEPTEMBER 30TH

So, be sure to renew prior to this date.
For additional Business Tax Receipt information, please e-mail DoingBusiness@cityofedgewater.org or call (386) 424-2400 ext. 1305.

Hurricane

CREATE A DISASTER PLAN

Every family should create a disaster plan and stock disaster supply kits, advises Jim Judge, Volusia County's Emergency Management Director. Your disaster supply kit should include a two-week supply of medications and enough drinking water and nonperishable food to last five to seven days. For a list of other items you should include in your disaster supply kit, visit www.Volusia.org/emergency.

After a disaster, emergency workers may not be able to reach everyone right away. A disaster plan will help prepare your family for these difficult times. Families should discuss their plan so everyone understands what to do and where to go in the event of a disaster as well as how to contact one another and reconnect if separated.

For help creating a personalized family disaster plan, visit www.FloridaDisaster.org, www.RedCross.org or www.Ready.gov.



SAFEGUARD YOUR HOME

You can reduce damage to your home and property by checking for vulnerable areas such as the roof, garage door, patio door, windows, pool and yard. Make sure gutters are clean and repair any damage. Trim trees and shrubs regularly but be sure not to trim and place yard debris curbside after a storm watch/warning has been issued.



EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS APP

The Volusia County emergency preparedness app is available for download in the Google Play store and the App Store and can help residents prepare with: Weather alerts, preparedness checklists, links to county sites, shelter status, locations of the nearest open shelter and sandbags, evacuation information, push notifications and more.

PUBLIC INFORMATION

If you would like to receive emergency telephone or email notifications or follow our social media feeds from Volusia County's Emergency Management Division, visit www.volusia.org/emergency and click on the "get connected" button.

EVACUATIONS & SHELTERING

Residents should decide in the planning stages where they will stay if an evacuation order is issued. Hurricane shelters will be available at key locations across the county and residents should determine if they would seek shelter at a *general population* or *pet-friendly shelter*, or if they need assistance at a *special needs shelter* or will need to seek shelter at a *medical facility* that can manage their medical needs.

SPECIAL NEEDS SHELTERS

Elderly, physically, mentally or sensory disabled, visually or hearing impaired residents or those who need supplemental oxygen should register for the Special Needs Shelters (SpNS) program with Volusia County Emergency Management. To register, visit www.volusia.org/emergency and click on "Before a disaster" in the left-side menu. Special needs shelter evacuees should contact Volusia County Animal Services at 386-248-1790 for assistance sheltering pets.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES NEWS

WHAT IS POINTLESS PERSONAL POLLUTION?

The cause of water pollution is often blamed on “point sources,” such as industrial or sewage treatment facilities. Discharges from these sources flow through pipes and into our water bodies. This pollution source can be readily identified and treated. Pointless Personal Pollution, commonly referred to as stormwater runoff is “nonpoint” source pollution that is difficult to identify and treat. This is because many of our daily activities can cause this type of pollution.

This type of pollution can travel by different avenues into the ground and surface waters. Take a moment and look around your home, workplace, and yard. Most will find sources of Pointless Personal Pollution. Any or all of these pollutants could end up in the City’s waterways. Some examples of pollutants include: Oil & grease from auto or lawn equipment, pesticides, fertilizers, weed killer, litter, yard clippings, pet waste, sand and dirt from erosion.

HOW POINTLESS PERSONAL POLLUTION IMPACTS OUR WATERS

Pointless Personal Pollution comes in many forms that contaminate our waters and harm our waterways. Nutrients from fertilizers, septic tanks and animal waste cause excessive growth of algae and aquatic weeds. Garbage and litter reduce the oxygen in the water which can kill the aquatic life.

WAYS YOU CAN REDUCE POINTLESS PERSONAL POLLUTION



- ◆ Shop for products labeled biodegradable, non-toxic, non-phosphorus or water soluble. These products readily decompose and will not pollute surface or ground water.
- ◆ Compost leaves, grass and clippings, then use this as mulch to supplement fertilizers. When using compost you are returning nutrients back into the soil requiring less fertilizer to be used.
- ◆ Do not apply lawn chemical if rain is in the forecast.
- ◆ Service your vehicle regularly to help prevent any leakage of fluids onto the ground/road, keeping it from being washed into waterways.
- ◆ Stop “Poo”llution by picking up your pet’s waste when walking your pet as well as in your own yard.

WHAT IS THE CITY’S STORMWATER DRAINAGE SYSTEM?

Stormwater is the water from rain and irrigation waters which flows over the ground or pavement without soaking into the ground. The stormwater drainage system includes the roadside swales, ditches, retention ponds, gutters, inlets, catch basins and underground pipes that collect stormwater and carry it away from our streets, parking lots and yards.

Did you know that anything that is washed into the stormwater drainage system flows directly into our ponds, lakes and the Indian River Lagoon. Unlike wastewater from kitchens and bathrooms, stormwater is not treated before it enters these precious waters. Your efforts can be the solution to pointless personal pollution!

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE STORMWATER DRAINAGE SYSTEM, PLEASE CONTACT ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES AT (386) 424-2400 EXT. 4007.



FLOOD FACTS



After living through hurricane Irma, the importance of being prepared for Hurricanes, that can bring heavy rain fall and cause flooding, is all too clear. Consider these flood facts:

- ◆ Everyone lives in a flood zone. It is just a question of whether you live in a low, moderate or high risk area.
- ◆ Just a few inches of water from a flood can cause tens of thousands of dollars in damage.
- ◆ A car can easily be carried away by just two feet of floodwater.
- ◆ Most homeowner’s insurance policies do not cover flood damage.
- ◆ You are eligible to purchase flood insurance if you are a renter, homeowner, or business owner and your property is located in a NFIP-participating community. Edgewater participates in the National Flood Insurance Program.
- ◆ It may take 30-60 days after purchase for a policy to take effect, so it is important to buy insurance before a storm approaches.
- ◆ Even though flood insurance is not federally required, anyone can be financially vulnerable to floods. People outside of mapped high-risk flood areas file nearly 25% of all insurance claims.
- ◆ Edgewater participates in the Community Rating System (CRS) and residents can qualify for an insurance premium discount.

More information about floods and flood insurance can be found at www.floodsmart.gov.



CITY INFO

EDGEWATER WEBSITE

www.cityofedgewater.org

for the upcoming Public Meeting Notices, Events, Job Openings, Refuse & Recycling Holiday Schedules, Flood Insurance information and much more!

EDGEWATER E-MAILS

Get even more information on local happenings with Edgewater's weekly e-mail, "Community On The Edge".

Sign up for weekly e-mails at

WWW.CITYOFEDGEWATER.ORG.

Select Visitors, City of Edgewater Newsletter, Join the City's E-mail List. Fill in the form and click Sign Up.

If you have questions, please contact Jill Danigel at (386) 424-2400 ext. 1340 or jdaniel@cityofedgewater.org.

AM 1230 AND 1490
CLEARLY THE GREAT VOICE OF VOLUSIA COUNTY

EDGEWATER RADIO

Tune in to WSBB at 8:30 a.m. on the first Tuesday of each month to learn more about

Edgewater. Hear a recap of the most recent City Council meeting, interviews with various City staff and more.



REFUSE & RECYCLING HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Household REFUSE Holiday Schedule

HOLIDAY OBSERVED IS AS FOLLOWS:	HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE If regular days are MONDAY & THURSDAY Pickups will be made on:	HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE If regular days are TUESDAY & FRIDAY Pickups will be made on:
LABOR DAY Monday, September 3 rd	Tuesday & Thursday	Wednesday & Friday

ALL REFUSE MUST BE AT CURBSIDE BY 7:00 a.m.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BAG OR CONTAIN HOUSEHOLD REFUSE

** There will NOT be pickup of bagged grass, leaves, pine needles, etc. on this holiday week **

Household RECYCLING Holiday Schedule

HOLIDAY OBSERVED IS AS FOLLOWS:	RECYCLING MONDAY Pickup will be made on:	RECYCLING TUESDAY Pickup will be made on:	RECYCLING THURSDAY Pickup will be made on:	RECYCLING FRIDAY Pickup will be made on:
LABOR DAY Monday, September 3 rd	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY

ALL RECYCLING MUST BE AT CURBSIDE BY 7:00 a.m.

If you have questions about the schedule please contact the Department of Environmental Services, Sanitation Division at (386) 424-2400 x4007

COMING EVENTS

September 15 *Day on the River* Menard May Park
EdgeFest Event 10am-2pm

October 20 **FALL FESTIVAL** Hawks Park
EdgeFest Event Soccer Complex 5pm-9pm

November 17 *Backyard BBQ* Hawks Park
EdgeFest Event 12pm-4pm

December 8 *Christmas Parade* Indian River Blvd.
EdgeFest Event 10am

December 15 **WREATHS across AMERICA** Edgewater-New Smyrna Cemetery
12pm

More Event Information Available at www.CityofEdgewater.org