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Leon County Commissioner
District 5

Dear Friends,

It is always a pleasure to provide you with valuable information about Leon County and the great things that are happening around our community. Thank you to everyone who has sent me such great feedback on the newsletter.

If there is ever anything I can help you with, please feel free to call me (850) 606-5375 or just email me at dozierk@leoncountyfl.gov. You can also find me on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).



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Leon County is Helping Residents in Flood Zones Save Thousands of Dollars

Through Leon County's work with FEMA and the [Community Rating System](#) (CRS) program, we are helping residents in flood zones save thousands of dollars each year. By participating in the CRS, property owners in the unincorporated areas who are required to purchase flood

insurance will save an estimated 10% to 20% annually on their premiums. The discount will be provided automatically upon the policy renewal. This will be especially helpful in the Chaires/Capitola area of the district.

For more info. about the program and flood protection in Leon County click [here](#).

National Association of Counties (NACo) Update

Congratulations to fellow Commissioner Bryan Desloge for being elected Vice President of the [National Association of Counties](#). He will serve as VP for a year before taking over as President of NACo in July 2016. This is a tremendous opportunity for a Leon County Commissioner to serve in this capacity.



I am also proud to announce that this year Leon County Government received eleven national awards from The [National Association of Counties](#) (NACo) in categories ranging from Civic Education to Information Technology. These awards reflect the efforts and commitment of all the dedicated County employees who engage our citizens everyday on the most important challenges and opportunities facing our community.

Civic Education & Public Information Category:

- * Club of Honest Citizens
- * Community Legislative Dialogue

Volunteer Category:

- * 9/11 Day of Service and Remembrance

Community and Economic Development Category:

- * Domi Station, Leon County's Startup Business Incubator

County Administration and Management Category:

- * Leon LEADS: 'People Focused. Performance Driven.'
- * Penny Sales Tax Public Education Effort

County Resilience: Infrastructure, Energy & Sustainability Category:

- * Leon County Sustainable Communities Summit

Employment and Training for County Residents Category:

- * Leon County Veterans Resource Center

Financial Management Category:

- * Procurement Connect

Information Technology Category:

- * Trailahassee.com

Personnel Management, Employee Training and Employee Benefits Category:

- * Leon County Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Policy

One award that stood out recognized Leon County's 9/11 Day of Service and Remembrance, which received the highest honor as "Best in Category." Through this annual program, Leon County encourages citizens to remember and honor the sacrifices of 9/11 by volunteering locally and giving back to the community.

Events in the Community

July 1 - September 30 - [African Americans in World War II Exhibit](#) at Tallahassee Museum

July 27 - [AARP FL Boomer Academy Workshop: Healthy Cooking Demo.](#) at Council on Culture and Arts (6:00pm - 7:30pm)

July 28 - [Tallahassee Swing Band](#) at the American Legion Hall (7:30pm - 10:00pm)

August 1 - [Free Planetarium Show](#) at the Challenger Learning Center (10:00am - 11:00am)

August 7 - [Kraft Nissan Sundown Summer Concert Series: Johnny Marshal Blues Band](#) at Capital City Amphitheater at Cascades Park (FREE)

Helpful Links and District 5 Amenities

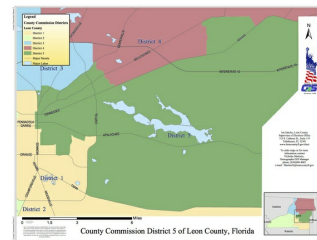
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