

The Leon County LINK

Connecting Citizens with Leon County Services

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PREPAREDNESS IS KEY FOR HURRICANE SEASON

June marks the beginning of the 2012 hurricane season and Leon County wants residents to be prepared. The annual Hurricane Survival Guide, which has been distributed in local and regional publications and is available at www.HaveAHurricanePlan.com, will help residents make important decisions before and after a storm.

For more information, contact Leon County Emergency Management at:(850) 488-5921www.HaveAHurricanePlan.com





Free Educational Community-Wide Event

Leon County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) is gearing up for a second year of "Press the Chest" – a communitywide CPR event – on Saturday, June 9, at the Leon County Civic Center, 505 W. Pensacola St., from 10 a.m. until noon. On-site registration is scheduled from 10 a.m. until 10:15 a.m. Nearly 350 residents registered and participated for the successful "Press the Chest 2011".

For more information regarding "Press the Chest 2012", contact EMS Capt. Sally Davis at: (850) 606-2100 DavisSal@LeonCountyFL.gov

To register for the annual event, visit:

PREAM BELEGE: REFAME ! 2012 Summer Reading Program www.LeonCountyFL.gov/SummerReading



Council of Neighborhood Associations BUILDING BRIDGES WITHIN COMMUNITIES 32ND ANNUAL MEETING & AWARDS RECEPTION

www.LeonCountyFL.gov/PressTheChest

INTERESTED IN SERVING ON A CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE?

Citizen participation, by way of community input, advice, and/or recommendations regarding matters brought before the Board of County Commissioners for approval, is important in developing Leon County's programs/policies and in providing quality public services to the community.

Currently, applications are being accepted for the appointment of four citizens to the recently established Tallahassee Sports Council. Applicants would need to demonstrate experience and interest in aspects of sports within Leon County. Additionally, the Board is seeking applications for appointment of two citizens to the Minority/Women and Small Business Enterprise (MWSBE) Committee, which reviews the County's MWSBE program.

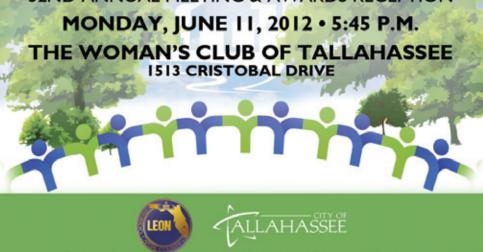
Furthermore, applications may be submitted for the following Committee members' term expirations:

- One member of the Educational Facilities Authority (assist institutions for higher education in the construction, financing, and refinancing of projects)
- Two members of the Water Resources Committee (Represent one of four interest groups: conservation environment, legal/planning, real estate/economic development, boating/fishing)
- Two members on the Board of Adjustment and Appeals (Eligibility Requirement: Must be a resident of Leon County, an owner of real property, and a taxpayer.)
- Three members on the Architectural Review Board (Eligibility Requirement: an owner of property zoned Historical Preservation, a member of the AIA, and a member of Tallahassee Trust for Historic Preservation)
- ✦ Four members of the Big Bend Health Council (One Health Care Provider, two Health Care Purchasers and one Non-Governmental Health Care Consumer)

Citizens can go to the County's website (www.leoncountyfl.gov/committees) for a listing of committees that includes information on committee responsibilities, member eligibility, and committee vacancies. Leon County encourages citizens to review member eligibility and, if the requirements can be met, complete and submit an application. The Citizen Committee Orientation and Training and the Committee Application can also be accessed at the County's Committee website. The application may be completed online, downloaded and e-mailed, mailed, or faxed to:

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June 2012 Board of County Commissioners Schedule

- **12** Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting* 3 p.m., County Courthouse, 5th Floor, Commission Chambers
- 25 Community Redevelopment Agency Meeting (CRA) 11 a.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams, 2nd Floor, Commission Chambers

Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency (CRTPA) 1 p.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams, 2nd Floor, Commission Chambers

Blueprint 2000 Intergovernmental Agency (IA) Meeting 3 p.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams, 2nd Floor, Commission Chambers

26 Board of County Commissioners Workshop Regarding Consideration of Employee Health Insurance Alternatives for 2013 9 a.m., County Courthouse, 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

Board of County Commissioners Workshop to Consider Capital Projects for Presentation to the Sales Tax Committee 11 a.m., County Courthouse, 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting* 3 p.m., County Courthouse, 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

Joint City/County Public Hearing on Cycle 2012-1 Comprehensive Plan Amendments*

6 p.m. County Courthouse, 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

*Live television broadcast available on Comcast Channel 16; webcast available anytime at www.LeonCountyFL.gov.

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