

Connecting Citizens with Leon County Services

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Day of Remembrance & Service

Friday, September 11 at 11 a.m.

FSU College of Law • North Rotunda, 425 West Jefferson Street

Come prepare military care packages for our troops!

Leon County Government continues to transform 9/11 from a day of tragedy into a day of service. Join your community in recognizing the heroic efforts of our first responders following the attacks of September 11, 2001.

As part of the reflection ceremony, a member of the community will be awarded the Glenn J. Winuk Humanitarian Award, which honors sacrificial service to our county. The award is made possible by the Tallahassee office of Holland & Knight.

Following the ceremony, everyone in attendance will be asked to prepare military care packages for servicemen and women deployed overseas. Lunch will follow.

For more information, please contact:

Community and Media Relations:

(850) 606-5300 • CMR@LeonCountyFL.gov

Leon County Volunteer Services:

(850) 606-1970 • BushJ@LeonCountyFL.gov

Leon County to Dedicate Larry Campbell Administration Building

Tuesday, September 15, at 9:30 a.m.

Join Leon County Government and the Leon County Sheriff's Office to dedicate the Larry Campbell Administration Building. The ceremony will take place at the Leon County Sheriff's Office Administration Building, 2825 Municipal Way.

The dedication recognizes Larry Campbell's more than half century of public service to our nation, and specifically his service as Leon County Sheriff. A short reception will follow the ceremony.



For more information, contact Leon County Community and Media Relations at (850) 606-5300 or the Leon County Sheriff's Office at (850) 606-3300.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection

Leon County kicked off the first Household Hazardous Waste & Electronics Collection of the season this past Saturday, September 5. This event is the first of Leon County's regular collection season, which will continue on the first Saturday of every month through May 2016 with the following dates:

October 3 **November 7 December 5** January 2

February 6 March 5 **April 2** May 7



It will be open to residents only; businesses must contact the Hazardous Waste Center to make an appointment. Certain items may not be

For more information, contact the Leon County Solid Waste Management Division at (850) 606-1803.

For the monthly schedule of dropoffs, visit:

www.LeonCountyFL.gov/HHW/Collection

SEPTEMBER is National **Preparedeness Month**

Preparation is key to response and recovery--you cannot afford to wait! Leon County Government and the City of Tallahassee encourage our community to be better prepared for

And how can you be better prepared? Follow us at www.LeonCountyFL gov/EI and the City of Tallahassee Emergency Management page at www.Talgov.com/emergency. Follow @LeonCounty and @COTNews on Twitter and Instagram throughout September for tips and information.

To help focus the message, each week will have a different topic. Useful information about ways to protect yourself and your property, items

to keep on hand and area resources will be shared via partner websites, social media and area media partners. This year's topics include flooding, hurricanes, wildfires and power outages.

To test the preparedness plan you built over the month, two free online exercises will be offered on September 30 to all North Florida and South Georgia residents. Participants will be guided through a disaster scenario and prompted to answer questions about how they would respond. By working through these exercises, participants will be able to assess their existing crisis plan and identify weak points for improvement.

To learn more, visit the Leon County Emergency Information Portal at

www.LeonCountyFL.gov/EI

Big Bend Heartwalk 2015 Sunday, November 8 8 a.m. at Cascades Park



REGISTER • DONATE • WALK





Help raise funds and awareness. Support the fight against cardiovascular disease!

> You can register and donate at: www.BigBendHeartwalk.org

September 2015

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SCHEDULE

- Labor Day, Offices Closed
- Intergovernmental Agency (IA) Meeting 5 p.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams, 2nd Floor, Commission Chambers
- **Workshop on the Council on Culture & Arts** 12 p.m. - 1:30 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St. 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

Workshop on the 2016 State and Federal Legislative Priorities 3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.

5th Floor, Commission Chambers

Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting* 3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St. 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing* 6 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St., 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

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

Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) 4 p.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams,

2nd Floor, Commission Chambers

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*Live television broadcast available on channel 16 on Comcast and Century Link; webcast available anytime at www.LeonCountyFL.gov.