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NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH

September is National Preparedness Month, and in observance, Leon County Government encourages and reminds residents to be prepared for disasters and emergencies in their homes, businesses, and neighborhoods. To help citizens prepare for disasters, Leon County has provided the following resources:

- ☑ **LeonReady.com**, a hub of disaster resilience resources
- ☑ **Neighborhood Readiness Trainings**, training by Emergency Management experts for unincorporated County neighborhoods
- ☑ **2022 Leon County Disaster Survival Guide**, critical information to know before, during and after a disaster
- ☑ **Leon Alerts**, time-sensitive emergency messages to your email or phone related to incidents such as severe weather and evacuations
- ☑ **Citizens Connect App**, Leon County's best source for emergency news and alerts

To make a plan, build a disaster bucket, sign up to receive Leon County Emergency Alerts and so much more, visit [LeonReady.com](https://www.leonready.com).



☑ **PREPARE** ☑ **ACT** ☑ **RECOVER**

Neighborhood Readiness Trainings



Prepare for the Atlantic Hurricane Season with your neighborhood. Leon County's Neighborhood Readiness Trainings are roughly 30 minutes and can be presented during one of your regularly scheduled neighborhood meetings.



Sign up for a neighborhood training by visiting: [LeonReady.com](https://www.leonready.com)



These trainings are intended for the unincorporated areas of Leon County. If you live within Tallahassee city limits, please visit [Talgov.com/PREP](https://www.talgov.com/PREP).



Cultura Tallahassee A Celebration of Hispanic Heritage

EXHIBIT OPENING

Thursday, September 15 • 6-9 p.m.

LEON COUNTY MAIN LIBRARY • 200 W. PARK AVENUE

Leon County kicks off the start of Hispanic Heritage Month with an opening of the exhibit, "Cultura Tallahassee: A Celebration of Hispanic Heritage," at the LeRoy Collins Leon County Main Library. The exhibit features artwork from more than 20 local artists in celebration of Hispanic culture, heritage, and history. The exhibit will be on display from September 15 through October 14, 2022.

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH September 15-October 15

Leon County is celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month (September 15-October 15) by recognizing the achievements and contributions of Hispanic Americans to history, culture, and society with resources and events at the Leon County Public Library. Attend our art exhibit opening or check out our reading lists to learn something new about the Hispanic Americans and events that shaped history. Learn more at [LeonCountyFL.gov/HispanicHeritageMonth](https://www.leoncountyfl.gov/HispanicHeritageMonth).

TALLAHASSEE-LEON COUNTY ARTS GUIDE
TallahasseeArts.org

#TheArtsLiveHere | Council on Culture & Arts

WANDER & WONDER TRAILS OPENING

Following the initial installment outside the Eastside Branch Library, Leon County, in partnership with the Friends of the LeRoy Collins Leon County Public Library System and the Knight Creative Communities Institute (KCCI), will unveil the second and third installment of the Fully Booked project in September.

- Thursday, September 8, outside the Leon County Fort Braden Branch Library, 16327 Blountstown Hwy.
- Thursday, September 22, outside the Leon County J. Lewis Hall Sr. Woodville Park and Recreation Complex, 1492 J. Lewis Hall Sr. Lane.

To help connect readers to each other and the world around them, the Fully Booked project allows families to explore nature and their imagination by reading a book together through a scenic County trail.



LEARN MORE AT [LeonCountyLibrary.org/WanderAndWonder](https://www.leoncountylibrary.org/WanderAndWonder).

Board of County Commissioners Schedule September 2022

TUESDAY 13	3:00 p.m.	Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers - 301 S. Monroe Street
TUESDAY 13	6:00 p.m.	Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers - 301 S. Monroe Street
TUESDAY 20	6:00 p.m.	Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing Second Public Hearing on Millage Rate and Final Budgets County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers - 301 S. Monroe Street

Live television broadcasts of Board of County Commissioners meetings are available on Comcast channel 16, the Leon County Florida channel on Roku, the County's Facebook page, YouTube channel, Twitter and [LeonCountyFL.gov](https://www.leoncountyfl.gov).