

City of St. Augustine Beach Seal

City of St. Augustine Beach April Newsletter



Social Distancing for COVID-19

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- Social distancing measures are taken to restrict when and where people can gather to stop
 or slow the spread of infectious diseases. Social distancing measures include limiting large
 groups of people coming together, closing buildings and canceling events.
- It is important to stay 6 feet away from others.



For more information:

- St. Johns County Citizen's Information Hotline: 904-824-5550
- St. Johns County Department of Health: 904-209-3250
- Florida Department of Health COVID-19 Call Center:
 - 1-866-779-6121
 - COVID-19@flhealth.gov

CDC COVID-19 Dashboard: www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html

FL Dept. of Health Dashboard: floridahealthcovid19.gov

St. Johns County Updates: www.co.st-johns.fl.us/coronavirus/index.aspx

St. Johns County Closures: www.co.st-johns.fl.us/coronavirus/closures.aspx



Garbage Truck

City Office Schedule & Trash Collection Update

• There will be no trash collection on April 10, Good Friday. That route will be collected on Monday, April 13, instead.

Beginning April 6:

- The <u>City Manager's Office</u> will be open on weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Staff will still be available by phone and email from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- The <u>Building & Zoning Department</u> and <u>Police Department</u> lobbies will still be open on weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with limited staff.
- The <u>Public Works Department</u> offices will not be open to the public, but staff will be available by phone and email on weekdays from 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Any further changes to the schedule will be posted on the City's website, Facebook, and on the City Hall doors.



Entrance to St. Augustine Beach City Hall

City Hall Update

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Max Royle, City Manager

Perspective

During this especially stressful time when each day the news about the pandemic and its effects on the health of so many persons as well as the economy, jobs and pension plans gets worse and worse, and you wonder how and when it will end, let me offer a perspective that may give you reason for hope.

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Commission Meeting Notice Monday, April 6, 2020, 6:00 p.m. St. Augustine Beach City Hall 2200 A1A South St. Augustine Beach, FL 32080

Due to COVID-19 concerns, there will be NO INDOOR SEATING available. The public is encouraged to watch the meeting live on the City's YouTube page.

Questions can be emailed to <u>braddatz@cityofsab.org</u> and should be submitted no later than 3:00 p.m. on Monday, April 6, 2020.

Planning & Zoning Board Meeting Notice CANCELLED

Sustainability and Environmental Planning Advisory Committee CANCELLED



Go Green SAB logo

Go Green SAB

The City of St. Augustine Beach is going green! Single-use plastics have long lifespans, impacting local habitats and natural areas, and are not easily recyclable. Eliminating the use of these products decreases litter on our streets and reduces plastics in the environment (especially the ocean).

Starting January 1, 2020, the City is launching a "Go Green SAB" campaign, which encourages businesses in the limits of St. Augustine Beach to voluntarily eliminate the use of these products. To recognize the efforts of businesses who have done so, the City will issue a "Go Green SAB" window cling, as well as mention their efforts on social media and in the City's monthly e-newsletter.

"It is our goal to get every business in the City limits involved in this campaign," said St. Augustine Beach Mayor Undine George. "We are excited to be a leader in environmental protection and hope other Cities will follow our example."

If a business wishes to participate, they can visit the City Manager's Office (2200 A1A South, St. Augustine Beach, FL 32080) to pick up a window cling starting January 2, 2020. Since this is a voluntary campaign, the City is relying on the word of business owners and managers and will not be conducting inspections or penalizing organizations who do not wish to participate.

New Emergency Notification System for St. Johns County Residents

St. Johns County is launching a new emergency notification system to

provide residents with critical information during emergency situations. Beginning February 1, the new Alert St. Johns system will enable St. Johns County, the St. Johns County Sheriff's Office, the City of St. Augustine, and the City of St. Augustine Beach to quickly provide residents with critical information in a variety of situations including severe weather, unexpected road closures, water advisories, missing persons, evacuations of buildings or neighborhoods, and incidents that may threaten public safety.

To receive these time sensitive alerts, residents can sign up at https://member.everbridge.net/index/892807736725582#/login. Those who sign up can choose to receive notifications via a phone call to their home, business, or mobile phone, by email, or text message. The Alert St. Johns system will replace the Code Red notification system, so it is imperative that residents sign up for these critical notifications. For more information regarding Alert St. Johns, please call 904-824-5550.

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