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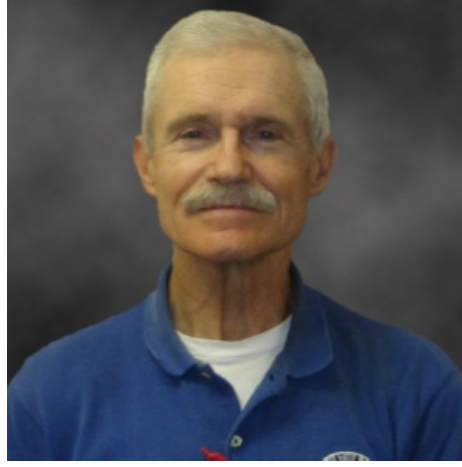
Beyond the Beach January 2023 Newsletter



Entrance to St. Augustine Beach City Hall

City Hall Update

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City Manager, Max Royle

1960

Let's saunter down Memory Lane to January 5, 1960, when the five residents appointed by Florida's governor held a public meeting to take the oath of office as Commissioners of the newly incorporated Town of St. Augustine Beach. Their first decisions were to select one of their members as Mayor, another as Vice Mayor, and a resident as Town Clerk.

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Commissioner Margaret England Retires from City Service



Above, pictured left to right: Commissioner Beth Sweeny, Commissioner Margaret England, Mayor Don Samora, Vice Mayor Dylan Rumrell, Commissioner Undine George. At its December 2022 meeting, the City Commission presented a plaque to Commissioner England in appreciation for her 14 years of service to the city. England served on the Planning and Zoning Board and the Commission, serving two years as Mayor. England has decided to retire from public office, though she intends to help complete the city's Vision Plan and remain attentive to city matters.



THANK YOU FOR A GREAT HOLIDAY SEASON!

Our 2022 Light UP the BEACH! holiday season was filled with wonderful events that showcased all our great little city has to offer!

We want to thank everyone who participated, and look forward to 2023!








UPCOMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Ron Parker Memorial Ceremony

January 12, 2023




Chief Carswell cordially invites you to the annual

Ron Parker Memorial Ceremony

Join us in remembering the life and sacrifice made by Beach Marshall Ron Parker.


Thursday, January 12th

11:00am



Beach Marshall Ron Parker

1947-1975



Ron Parker Park
607 Old Beach Road, St. Augustine, FL 32080



SEPAC News!
*Sustainability & Environmental
Planning Advisory Committee*

Please join us!

SEPAC invites the public to view a great environmental film, "Flight of the Butterflies," which focuses on the life and migration of the endangered Monarch butterfly. We will then do a Q&A with a local expert who will share some tips on what we can do to help the species.

The free event will take place at 5:45 p.m. on Thursday, January 26 at the Anastasia Island Branch Library, 124 Sea Grove Main Street in St. Augustine

Beach.

Yard work is hard work; we want to recognize your efforts!

If you've worked hard to create an environmentally friendly yard, the City of St. Augustine Beach wants to recognize your efforts! SEPAC would love to find out about any residential or commercial property within the City that contributes to the sustainability of our environment by promoting water conservation, reducing stormwater runoff, preserving the tree canopy, utilizing native plants, and increasing the biodiversity of Anastasia Island. If you think your yard has what it takes – or just to get more information on how to make your area more environmentally friendly, please visit:

<https://www.staugbch.com/bcbatb/page/environmentally-friendly-landscaping-recognition>

CoSAB MEETING NOTICES

UPCOMING MEETINGS

CITY HALL
2200A1A SOUTH
ST. AUGUSTINE BEACH, FL 32080

CITY COMMISSION

JANUARY 9, 2023

SEPAC

JANUARY 10, 2023

6PM

PLANING BOARD

JANUARY 17, 2023

6PM

ATTENTION:

SAFETY PROTOCOLS FOR ALL CITY MEETINGS

*ALL ATTENDEES WILL BE REQUIRED TO PLACE ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND PERSONAL BELONGINGS INTO A BIN SUBJECT TO INSPECTION.

*ALL ATTENDEES WILL PASS THROUGH A PASSIVE SCANNER PRIOR TO ENTERING THE SPACE.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.



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City Hall/St. Augustine Beach Hotel



Do you have ideas and suggestions for restoring the Old City Hall/St. Augustine Beach Hotel building?

Reach out to get involved!

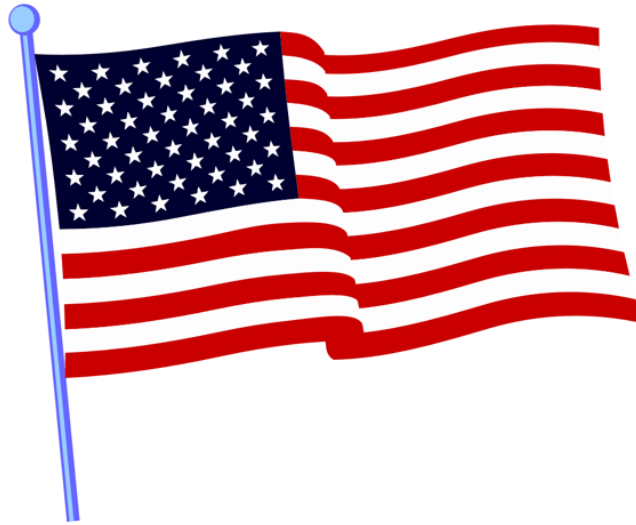
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American Flag Rescue Program

The American Flag Rescue (AFR) program was initiated in 2019 after St. Johns County Solid Waste Management staff observed worn and damaged American flags in drop-off garbage containers at the Tillman Ridge facility. Although some flag collection containers already were in place in several stores that sell American flags, more collection points were clearly needed. The initial shipment of new flag collection boxes was funded by local radio personality Kevin Geddings. These units were placed in St. Johns County libraries. Of the nearly 1,000 flags collected in 2020, about 10% were reusable and these are available to the public. Damaged flags are retired according to established protocols by local Scout troops and veteran's organizations. An American Flag booklet provided by Supervisor of Elections Vicky Oakes is also available. For information about flag collection/retirement or site participation, contact Chris Benjamin at (904) 827-6980 or cbenjamin@sjcfl.us. Flags can be dropped off at City of St. Augustine Beach City Hall.



City of St. Augustine Beach Resident Self-Service module

You can access this module in one of two ways:

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