



CITY OF TAMPA

Pam Iorio, Mayor

Shannon Edge, Director
Neighborhood & Community Relations

MEMORANDUM

TO: Neighborhood Presidents
FROM: Shannon Edge & Carla Jackson
DATE: March 12, 2009
RE: City of Tampa Administration Update

Please find below the Administration update:

- Mayor Iorio's State of the City, March 23rd Tampa Convention Center, 10:00 am. Invites were mailed.
- Tampa Police Roll Calls in YOUR Neighborhood! Last month I asked how many of you have a Neighborhood Watch. Did you know that your police district will hold their Rolls Calls smack dab in your street, especially in the problematic areas? For more information, please contact your district as noted below:
 - District I (South & West Tampa) Major Sophie Teague: 813-354-6692
 - District II (North Tampa) Major John Bennett: 813-931-6541
 - District III (East Tampa) Major Gerald Honeywell: 813-242-3817
- Mayor submitted stimulus package request to Congresswoman Kathy Castor. These projects will cost \$695 million and would create 5,305 jobs in Tampa. All neighborhood presidents were mailed a copy.
- 2009 Neighborhood Registry Update: our office is going green! Instead of printing and mailing the registry, we are e-mailing the registry to all of the presidents on file. The registry can now be e-mailed back to us! For neighborhood presidents who do not have e-mail, we will mail the registry.
- Pursuit of the All American City Award! Terry Neal has been a major help with the application due to his amazing editing skills. Thank you Terry!
 - 40th Street Corridor Enhancement Project
 - Sulphur Springs Children's Holiday Event
 - East Tampa Initiative
- Guida House Update - the recent proposal was declined.
- Hillsborough County Mini-grants – all neighborhoods association qualify. www.hillsboroughcounty.org/onr

Upcoming Events Neighborhood & Community Relations is working on:

- North Tampa Community Meeting March 17th, 6pm – 7pm at Copeland Park with Major John Bennett and Cyndy Miller. This was David West's neighborhood and we are trying to re-organize.
- Sulphur Springs Into Action – PARTY in the Park with the Derrick Brooks Foundation, April 18th, 11am – 2pm at the Sulphur Springs Pool & Park. (PARTY = Police And Residents Teaching Youth)
- Mayor Iorio's New Tampa Town Hall Meeting – April 21st, Tampa Palms Elementary, 6pm.
- 2nd Post Gasparilla Community Meeting, May 7th at 6 pm at Kate Jackson Recreation Center
- Mayor Iorio's North Tampa Community Town Hall Meeting – May 12th Shaw Elementary, 6pm.
- Hurricane Expo 2009: Are You Ready Tampa? May 30, 2009 MOSI. More information to follow.
- Florida Neighborhoods State Conference – July 9th-11th, Bayside Hilton in St. Petersburg.
- All American City Awards, June 17th-19th Tampa Marriott Waterside.
- Mayor Iorio's Budget Luncheon for Neighborhood Presidents, August 6th 12pm. Location TBD.

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Please visit our website at www.tampagov.net/neighborhoods for helpful information on all of our neighborhoods. Back in 2007, the Neighborhood and Community Relations Office with the help of Technology & Innovation, launched a new, interactive service website featuring information on Tampa's organized neighborhoods.

Quick reminder of the helpful information you will find on www.tampagov.net/neighborhoods:

- Official Neighborhood Registry with addresses, e-mails & website
- Upcoming Events, i.e. Mayoral Town Hall Meetings
- EXCEL version of the Neighborhood Registry (great for email distribution lists and mail merges)
- PDF version of the Neighborhood Registry with additional information than the EXCEL version
- Neighborhood Association Boundaries
- Neighborhood Association Calendar of Events
- Neighborhood Association Meeting Information (if provided)
- Neighborhood Association Descriptions
- Neighborhood Association Characteristics (City Council District, Flood Zone, Parks, Libraries etc)
- City of Tampa Neighborhood Association Map (printable in 3 different sizes)
- Individual Maps for each Neighborhood Association (printable in 3 different sizes)

In addition, we have a very helpful feature called “**MY TAMPA ADDRESS**” which provides information for a specific address. Try typing in your home address. It will pull up a Google Map with a red icon on the specific address. The icon provides additional information when you click “Info” such as whether or not there is an existing neighborhood association in the area, as well as the neighborhood characteristics.

The information on the Neighborhood & Community Relations Office website is constantly being updated as we hear from leaders, so please refer to our website for the most current information since anything you save and use later will most likely outdated.

It is our sincere hope that this feature will help you and your neighbors!

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