

* Happy *
New Year *

The Villages®
Community Development Districts

DISTRICT WEEKLY BULLETIN

January 2, 2025

We're On The Move!

We are relocating our district offices and will be ready to serve you on **1/15/2025** at the locations below.

DISTRICT CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER

3571 Kiessel Road
at Brownwood Paddock Square
Mon-Fri: 8am-5pm
Sat-Sun: Closed

NORTH SATELLITE OFFICE

1200 Avenida Central
in La Hacienda Recreation
Mon-Fri: 8am-5pm
(Closed for Lunch from 12pm to 1pm)
Sat-Sun: Closed

LAKE SUMTER SATELLITE OFFICE

1030 Lake Sumter Landing, Suite A
at Lake Sumter Landing Market Square
Mon-Fri: 8am-5pm
(Closed for lunch from 12pm to 1pm)
Sat-Sun: Closed

Stop by one of our customer service centers for assistance with:

Issuance of Villages Resident ID Cards
Issuance of Gate Access Cards
Guest ID & Trail Fee Services
Information about District departments and programs & much more!

We look forward to serving you!

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Running of the Squares 2025


The Running of the Square 5k Lake Sumter Landing will be held Saturday, January 11, 2025. The race will begin promptly at 8 am. **Please note the race route will affect traffic patterns.**

From 6 am – 10 am, Canal Street will be closed at Old Camp Road for one block headed north towards Lake Sumter Landing. **Beginning at 7:30 am**, Canal Street at Stillwater Trail will be closed to vehicle traffic until 9:30 am. Access to the Lake Sumter Landing area may be achieved by utilizing Buena Vista Blvd. to Old Mill Run or Morse Blvd. to Lake Sumter Landing Drive. Canal Street at Odell Circle will be closed to vehicle traffic as well until the Canal Street Recreation Center. Those residents living in the vicinity may access Canal Street headed north to Stillwater Trail. This closure will occur from 7:45 am until approximately 8:30 am.

The multi-modal path entrance on Canal Street headed west along Stillwater Trail will be temporarily closed from 7:45 am until approximately 9:00 am. Also, the multi-modal path from the Morse Blvd. tunnel along Stillwater Trail behind Winn Dixie will be temporarily closed for the same time duration. Access through the tunnel will be one-lane golf cart traffic headed north and southbound on Morse. Special Events staff and Sumter County Sheriff deputies will assist. The multi-modal path from Mallory Hill Country Club to the Caroline Gate will be closed for the duration of the road race.

For the safety and well-being of all race participants, vehicles, golf carts and pedestrians, please follow the direction of law enforcement and special events staff. Take care and proceed with caution when instructed to adjust to any change of routine traffic patterns.

For more information, feel free to contact the Recreation & Parks Department at (352) 753-1716.



RUNNING OF THE SQUARES

LAKE SUMTER LANDING™ 5K


SAT | JANUARY 11 | 8AM

REGISTER NOW

Pre-Registration Entry Fee: \$25

Deadline: January 5
REGISTRATION \$40 AFTER 1/5

Fee includes registration packet & t-shirt (while supplies last).



APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE AT: La Hacienda Recreation & DistrictGov.org
FOR MORE INFORMATION: 352-753-1716 | RecreationDepartment@DistrictGov.org

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Recreation & Parks

Recreation & Parks

All recreation offices will be closed on Monday, January 20, 2025 for the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday.

Recreation centers, fit clubs, swimming pools and outdoor facilities will remain open.

Recreation Services will be available from 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at the La Hacienda, Lake Miona, Eisenhower, Rohan and Everglades At Your Service Centers.

Normal operation will resume Tuesday, January 21, 2025.



Calling All Resident Lifestyle Volunteer Leaders

JOIN US

at any one of the following meetings:

Friday, January 10 | 2PM at Rohan

Monday, January 13 | 2PM at Eisenhower

Tuesday, January 14 | 1PM at Colony Cottage

Friday, January 17 | 2PM at La Hacienda

Choose the meeting that best fits your schedule.
We'll update you on all Recreation & Parks happenings!

LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!

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Recreation & Parks



For more info: [DistrictGov.org](https://www.districtgov.org) | RecreationDepartment@DistrictGov.org | 352-674-1800

[DistrictGov.org](https://www.districtgov.org) | 352-753-4508 | CustomerService@DistrictGov.org

CLOSURES & RE-OPENINGS

The courses listed below remain closed for public use due to water basin management or renovation efforts. We appreciate your patience as District staff continues to work hard to preserve the beauty and playability of these world-class courses. Please continue to monitor Districtgov.org for updates.

Championship Courses

- **Evans Prarie-Egret**

Executive Courses

- **Amberwood**- under renovation
- **Chula Vista**- under renovation
- **Pimlico**- under renovation
- **Pelican**- under renovation

GRAND RE-OPENING!



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Executive Golf



JOIN US AT Chula Vista

EXECUTIVE GOLF COURSE

Friday, January 17

RIBBON CUTTING **9:30AM**
TEE TIMES START AT **10AM**

1019 Rio Grande Ave, The Villages, FL 32162

You are invited to the ribbon cutting and to play our newly renovated course.

See you on the green!

***tee time requests begin 1/10/2025**

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352-753-4508 | ExecutiveGolfMaintenance@Districtgov.org

Household Hazardous Waste

Do you have old paint sitting in the garage? An old empty propane tank? Leftover gasoline or used motor oil? If so, these and other hazardous chemicals and items should not be placed in your regular household trash. The following locations will accept these items and more. Please contact the appropriate disposal site for full details.

MARION COUNTY

Marion County Marion County residents can dispose of the following items at any of the county's 18 recycling centers.

- Used motor oil & oil filters up to five gallons per day
- Fire extinguishers
- Latex paint up to five gallons per day
- Chemicals, gasoline, pesticides can be disposed of at the Baseline facility's Household Hazardous Waste area.
- Household electronics (accepted at Baseline, Dunnellon, Forest Corners, Fort McCoy, Martel, Newton, and Weirsdale (13535 SE 164th ST) recycling centers in the big green compactor boxes labeled "electronics recycling")

In addition, there are four special household electronics recycling events held at the McPherson Complex in Ocala throughout the year. The calendar of dates can be found at [Solid Waste | Marion County, FL \(marionfl.org\)](#)

LAKE COUNTY

Lake County Lake County residents can dispose of hazardous waste at the Household Hazardous Waste Center located at 13130 County Landfill Road, County Road 561, Tavares with proof of residency. There are also Mobile Unit Events held throughout the year in various Lake County locations.

- Automotive fluids (Antifreeze, Gasoline, Motor Oil, etc.)
- Paint Products
- Lawn/Garden (Fertilizers, Insecticides, Pesticides, etc)
- Propane cylinders
- Fluorescent lamps
- Household batteries (including rechargeable)
- Pool chemicals

A complete list of acceptable items and the schedule of Mobile Unit Events can be found at <https://lakecountyfl.gov/trash-recycling/hazardous-waste>.

Information Provided By Sumter County

Sumter County Residents Only: Household Electronics & Hazardous Waste Mobile Collection - Amnesty Day

Saturday, January 18, 2025 – 8 AM to 2 PM

Location:

Lake Okahumpka Park, 6085 E SR 44, Wildwood, FL 34785

What to bring:		
Automotive fluids and batteries	Herbicides	Propane Tanks (25 lbs)
Cleaners	Paint removers and thinners	Solvents
Fertilizers	Latex & oil based paints	Smoke detectors
Fluorescent lamps and Mercury containing devices	Household electronics (TVs, VCRs, computers, etc.)	Rechargeable household batteries
Fungicides	Pesticides	Wood Preservatives
Gas (old gas & old gas cans)	Pool Chemicals	

What not to bring:		
Biological/Infectious waste	Explosives	Radioactive waste
Empty paint cans	Tires	

HOW TO PACKAGE AND TRANSPORT CHEMICALS

1. Do NOT mix chemicals together.
2. Keep products in original labeled containers if possible.
3. Place containers into cardboard boxes to prevent breakage.
4. Place leaky container in clear plastic bag and transport in box with newspaper.
5. Put boxes in trunk or in back of vehicle away from passengers.

For more information, visit their website at

<https://sumtercountyfl.gov/1236/Household-Electronics-Hazardous-Waste-Mo>

- **Alden Bungalows Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool**
 - Friday, January 3
- **Antrim Dells Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool**
 - Friday, January 3
- **Bacall Recreation Bocce Courts**
 - Monday, December 30 – Sunday, January 12, 2025
- **Bacall Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool**
 - Monday, January 6 - Tuesday, January 7
- **Big Cypress Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool**
 - Wednesday, January 15
- **Chula Vista Recreation Adult Pool**
 - Monday, December 2 – Tuesday April 1, 2025
- **Dunedin Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool**
 - Thursday, January 9
- **Eisenhower Recreation Bocce Courts**
 - Monday, December 16 – Saturday, January 4
- **Eisenhower Recreation Sports Pool**
 - Friday, January 3
- **Fernandina Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool**
 - Tuesday, January 21
- **First Responders Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities, Family Pool & Putting**
 - Wednesday, January 8
- **Franklin Recreation Pickleball and Tennis Courts**
 - Monday, January 6 – Thursday, January 9
- **Hibiscus Recreation Family Pool**
 - Friday January 10 – Saturday, February 1
- **Knudson, Soaring Eagle, Saddlebrook, Buffalo Glen and Everglades Softball Complexes**
 - Sunday, December 15 – Sunday, January 5

FACILITY CLOSURES

- **Lake Deaton Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool**
 - Friday, January 3
- **Lake Miona Recreation Sports Pool**
 - Friday, January 10
- **Lake Sumter Line Boat Cruises & Outdoor Excursions**
 - until further notice
- **Laurel Manor Recreation Sports Pool**
 - January 6, 7am-12:30pm
- **Manatee Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool**
 - Thursday, January 9
- **Mulberry Grove Recreation Facilities and Fit Club**
 - Monday, January 6 – Friday, January 10
- **Paradise Recreation Dog Park**
 - Monday, December 9 – Sunday, January 12
- **Riverbend Recreation Billiards Room**
 - Tuesday, January 7 – Thursday, January 9
- **SeaBreeze Recreation Indoor Facilities and Fit Club**
 - Monday, January 6 – Sunday, January 19
- **Sharon Rose Wiechens Preserve**
 - until further notice
- **Silver Lake Recreation Tennis Courts**
 - until further notice
- **Silver Lake Recreation Indoor and Outdoor Facilities**
 - Tuesday, January 7
- **Southside Recreation Indoor and Outdoor Facilities**
 - Tuesday, January 21
- **Spanish Moss Recreation Sports Pool**
 - Tuesday, January 21, 7am-12:30pm
- **St. James Neighborhood Recreation Adult Pool**
 - Friday, December 6 – Sunday, December 29
- **Truman Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool**
 - Friday, January 3

NOTICE OF VACANCY

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT UPDATE



DISTRICT NO. 10 BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The Village Community Development District No. 10 Board of Supervisors is seeking applicants who are interested in filling Seat 1, which was recently vacated due to the resignation of an existing Board Supervisor. The remainder of the existing four (4) year term for the vacated Seat will expire in November 2028.

Any interested applicants must be a qualified elector which is defined by Florida Statute 190 as "any person at least 18 years of age who is a citizen of the United States, a legal resident of Florida and of the District, and who registers to vote with the Supervisor of Elections in the county in which the district land is located". To obtain additional information or request an application you may contact Jennifer Farlow, District Clerk at (352) 751-3939 or obtain a copy of the application on the www.districtgov.org website.

Applications must be submitted to Jennifer Farlow, District Clerk, no later than 5 p.m. on Tuesday, February 12, 2025 at the District Office, 984 Old Mill Run, The Villages.

The Board of Supervisors will interview applicants during a Board Meeting to be held on Thursday, February 20, 2025 at 3:00 p.m. at the SeaBreeze Regional Recreation Center, 2864 Buena Vista Boulevard, The Villages, FL.



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Join Our Team

Hospitality | Stewardship | Innovation & Creativity | Hard Work

CURRENT OPEN POSITIONS

GOLF OPERATIONS

- Outside Staff - Bonifay *
- Outside Staff - Palmer *
- Cleaner - Glenview Golf *
- Outside Staff - Shallow Creek *

PURCHASING

- Procurement Agent

FINANCE

- Manager—Accounting
- Senior Accountant

PUBLIC SAFETY

- Division Chief - Fire Prevention

RECREATION & PARKS

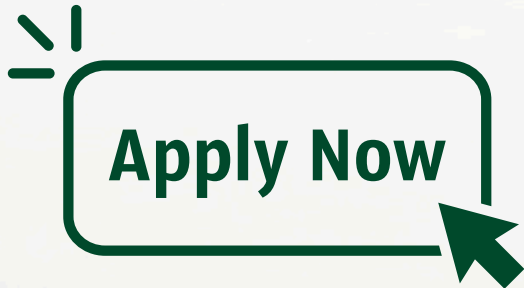
- Recreation Assistant *

RISK MANAGEMENT

- Risk Generalist

COMMUNITY STANDARDS

- Deed Compliance Officer



* Part time position

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Community Standards

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[Deed Compliance](#)

[ARC Review](#)

Community Watch

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Customer Service

352-753-4508

[Email](#)

District Clerk

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Executive Golf Maintenance

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Finance

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Golf & Tennis Operations

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