

# LEARN ABOUT YOUR DISTRICT GOVERNMENT

#### **CDD ORIENTATION**

CDD Orientation is an informational program that provides you with an introduction to your local special-purpose District government. During this course, you will learn about how the District operates and what functions and services each department provides for you.

No sign-ups or fees are required. This program is held on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 10:00 AM at the District office located at 3571 Kiessel Road.

#### **UPCOMING DATES**

**TUESDAY** 

AUG. 5 | 10 AM

**TUESDAY** 

**AUG. 19 | 10 AM** 

**TUESDAY** 

**SEPT. 2 | 10 AM** 

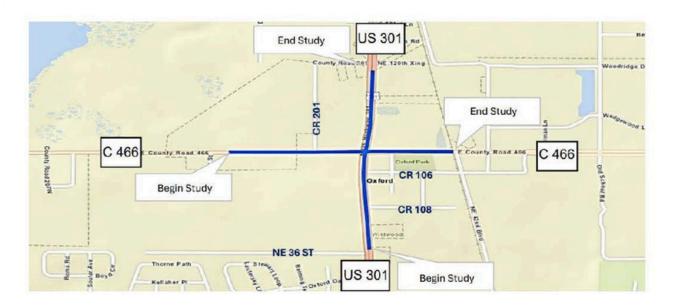
**RESIDENT ACADEMY, SAVE THE DATE - October 21, 2025** 

Registration opens on Thursday, July 31st - MORE INFO or REGISTER HERE



## **SUMTER COUNTY**

#### **PUBLIC INPUT MEETING - July 30, 2025**



Sumter County, FL – Sumter County is conducting a study to evaluate alternatives for intersection improvements at C 466 and US 301. The purpose of this study is to improve traffic operations and meet the County's level of service (LOS) standards through roadway widening and the addition of travel and turn lanes.

Preliminary alternatives have been developed and evaluated based on construction and right-of-way costs. Cost estimates have been prepared for all proposed improvements.

#### Public Input Requested

Sumter County invites the community to attend an upcoming public workshop to provide input on the proposed project and alternatives.

The informal open house will be held:

Date: Wednesday, July 30, 2025

Time: 5:00-6:00 PM

Location: Belvedere Library - Conference Room 120

325 Belvedere Blvd., The Villages, FL 32162

Attendees will have the opportunity to view maps, drawings, and project handouts. Project representatives will be available to discuss the study and answer any questions from the public.



# GUIDELINES FOR SANITATION COLLECTION SERVICES

Proper disposal of materials helps keep our community clean and environmentally friendly. Acceptable items for collection may vary depending on where you live within The Villages.

If you have any questions or need help determining what applies to your service area, please contact the District Customer Service Center at 352-750-0000.

#### The Villages Community Development Districts

#### Sumter County, Marion County & The Villages of Fruitland Park

Household sanitation collection processes have been streamlined, both for your convenience and for the preservation of our environment and natural resources. By having more efficient services, we reduce the carbon footprint, reduce wear and tear on roads, use less fuel and minimize traffic in your neighborhood. All waste, both household and yard waste, is collected on your two scheduled pick up days.



#### **Questions?**

For questions about routes, schedules and trash collection, please call Sumter Sanitation at 352-748-0109.

For questions regarding billing, call District Utilities Customer Service at 352-750-0000.

For more information visit DistrictGov.org.



#### Household Waste

All household waste should be placed in a sealed tall kitchen trash bag or a 20-30 gallon trash bag (any color). All materials can be placed in the same bag, no need to sort! The trash bags should be placed together at the end of your driveway. No garbage cans/bins are allowed (they will be disposed of with household waste). Each bag should weigh no more than forty (40) pounds. Bags must be placed for collection before 6AM on your collection day or the night before (no sooner than 5PM). Collection times may vary. Deed Restrictions do not permit leaving trash out on undesignated days. Wrap broken glass or other sharp objects in newspaper and place them where they cannot cause injury. For a list of holidays that may affect your normal collection day, please visit DistrictGov.org.

#### Bulk Pick Up

Items that are too large to be collected by the compactor trucks can be scheduled in advance by calling for a bulk pick up.

For those residents north of SR 44, please call 352-748-0109 for scheduling. There will be a \$10 charge added to your utilities and amenities bill each time a bulk pick up is requested. Charges will apply for any scheduled pick up not canceled a minimum of 24 hours in advance of the scheduled date.

For those residents residing south of SR 44, please call 352-750-0000 for scheduling.



#### **Homeowner Yard Waste**

Tree limbs or branches may not exceed 5' in length, 5" in diameter or exceed 40 pounds. Bundle and tie such materials and place them at the end of your driveway. Palm fronds to face the same direction.

Lawn clippings and similar yard waste must be placed in bags.



The following WILL NOT be accepted: Dirt, Rocks, Sod, Concrete, Contractor Waste

#### **Waste To Energy**

All waste collected by NSCUDD Sumter Sanitation/Jacobs is transported to the Lake County Reworld Thermomechanical Treatment Facility (TTF). Household waste or mixed solid waste (MSW) is turned into energy which is then transferred to the energy grid. Every 1 ton of MSW managed at the Reworld TTF facility offsets over 1 ton of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions that would be generated if that waste had gone to a landfill. Reworld's TTF facilities typically operate at emissions levels well over 80% lower than Federal and/or State permitted emission limits. The WTE facility has advanced air pollution control and is highly regulated to protect the environment.

For residents of The Villages residing South of State Road 44, sanitation services are provided and delivered to Reworld by Tri-County Sanitation/Jacobs. For residents living in the Town of Lady Lake portion of The Villages, sanitation services are provided and delivered to Reworld by Waste Management.

#### Lake County Reworld TTF Facts

- · Facility processes a total of 528 tons per day of MSW.
- Generates up to 14.5 megawatts of clean, renewable energy daily.
- Utilizes Air Pollution Control Equipment of semi-dry flue gas scrubbers injecting lime, fabric filter baghouses, nitrogen oxide control system, mercury control system and continuous emissions monitoring system.
- The EFW system is comprised of two 264 ton-per-day waterfall furnaces with Martin reverse-reciprocating grates and ash handling system.
- Designated a Voluntary Protection Program Star Facility by the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) for workplace safety.

#### **Materials NOT Accepted**

DO NOT PLACE HYPODERMIC NEEDLES, HOSPITAL TYPE MEDICAL WASTE, PAINT, OIL, LAWN OR POOL CHEMICALS, MOTOR OIL OR TIRES IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE.

Amnesty days at designated locations are held several times a year. Contact District Customer Service at 352-753-4508 for scheduled times and locations.

#### Questions?

Contact the District Utilities Customer Service Department at 352-750-0000 for collection and billing information.

For more information on the Reworld Facility, please visit their website at ReworldWaste.com.

## **GUIDELINES**

### **CURBSIDE RESIDENTIAL COLLECTION SERVICES**

#### **CR-42 South** to CR-466



#### **MONDAY &** THURSDAY

Belle Aire Harmswood Meadow Lawn Ln Nbhd, South

Belle Aire **Briar Meadow Calumet Grove** Chatham

**Cottages at Summerchase** Glenbrook

**Mulberry Grove Phillips Villas Piedmont** Polo Ridge **Soulliere Villas Springdale** Summerhill Woodbury

#### CR-466 South to CR-466A



#### **MONDAY &** THURSDAY

Ashland Except Lockwood Lp Bonnybrook Castleberry Cir **Bridgeport at Lake Miona Bridgeport at Lake Sumter Bridgeport at Miona Shores** & Laurel Valley

Buttonwood Caroline

**Lake Shore Cottages** Mallory Square N of Odell &

N of Stillwater Trail

#### Mission Hills

Pennecamp W of Amberjack Terr S of St. Charles Pl & W of Kingfisher Ct on Triggerfish Run

Poinciana N of St. Charles Pl

St. James **Sunset Pointe Tamarind Grove Virginia Trace** Winifred

#### CR-466 South to CR-466A



#### **TUESDAY** & FRIDAY

Amelia **Ashland** Belvedere **Bonita** 

Bonnybrook Except for

Castleberry Cir

Duval Hadley Hemingway Largo **Liberty Park** 

Lynnhaven

Mallory Square S of Odell & S of Stillwater Tr

Pennecamp E of Amberjack

Terr & N of St. Charles Pl, E of Kingfisher Ct on Triggerfish Run

Poinciana S of St. Charles

Sabal Chase St Charles **Tall Trees** 

#### **CR-466A South** to SR-44



Dunedin

S of Hillsborough Tr, E of Valleybrook Way

**Fernandina** 

E of Anna Maria Ave

**Gilchrist** 

N of Pinellas Pl & E of Dafoe Terr



#### **MONDAY & THURSDAY**

**Hyde Park** Labelle Osceola Hills

Osceola Hills at Soaring

**Eagle Preserve Pine Hills Pine Ridge** 

Sanibel

#### **CR-42 South** to CR-466



#### TUESDAY & FRIDAY

**Alhambra** Belle Aire Harmswood Avalos Dr Neighborhood North

De Allende De La Vista Hacienda **Palo Alto** 

**Rio Grande Rio Ponderosa Rio Ranchero** Santiago Santo Domingo Tierra Del Sol

#### **CR-466A South** to SR-44



#### TUESDAY & FRIDAY

Collier

Dunedin S of Hillsborough Tr, W of Valleybrook Way & N of Hillsborough Tr Fernandina W of Anna

Maria Ave

Gilchrist Except N of Pinellas Pl & E of Dafoe Terr Hillsborough **Lake Deaton** 

#### South of **SR-44**



**Pinellas** 

#### **MONDAY & THURSDAY**

**Bradford Cason Hammock Chitty Chatty Citrus Grove** 

**Dabney Hawkins Lake Denham** Newell

Richmond St. Johns St. Catherine

#### South of **SR-44**



**TUESDAY** & FRIDAY

**DeLuna DeSoto Fenney Hammock at Fenney**  Linden Marsh Bend **McClure Monarch Grove** 

**Moultrie Creek Shady Brook Well Point** 

#### Town of Lady Lake and Unincorporated Lake County

Waste Management is the sanitation service provider for the residents that reside in the Town of Lady Lake portion of The Villages. Waste Management bills those residents directly.

**Waste Management** Billing or Pickup Questions: 352-787-4416

Lake County Solid Waste provides services to those residents residing in the Lake County portion of The Villages. (not including VCDD No. 11)

**Lake County Solid Waste Billing or Pickup Questions: 352-343-3776** 

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To ensure the Executive Golf courses are kept in optimal condition the following courses are under refurbishment. Please note, this scheduled closure may be adjusted due to unforeseen circumstances, including but not limited to weather and materials supply.

We apologize for the inconvenience this may cause. For any further information, please contact District's Executive Golf Maintenance at (352) 674-1885 or <a href="maintenance@districtgov.org">executivegolfmaintenance@districtgov.org</a>.

#### **Executive Course Closures**

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- Bacall
- Bogart
- Bonita Pass
- De La Vista

#### **Re-Opening**

• Palmetto - on July 28th

- Escambia closing July 25<sup>th</sup>
- Mangrove
- Turtle Mound
- Walnut Grove







## **Recreation & Parks**

#### **Summer Time in Florida is HOT!**

- Tips to protect yourself from heat related stress and illness:
   Drink cool, nonalcoholic beverages (avoid extremely cold liquids because they can cause cramps); rest; take a cool shower, bath or sponge bath; seek an airconditioned environment; wear lightweight clothing; remain indoors during heat of the day; do not engage in strenuous activities.
  - Tips to help protect elderly (65+) friends and neighbors: Visit older adults at risk at least twice a day to watch them for signs of heat exhaustion; encourage them to increase their fluid intake by drinking cool, nonalcoholic beverages regardless of their activity level; take them to airconditioned locations.
  - The Recreation & Parks Department will cancel/postpone outside activities when the temperature with a heat index 104 degrees or higher. This guideline is subject to change depending on the activity as we take into account the health, safety and wellbeing of all involved.



#### **Recreation Code of Conduct**

- Recreation is an integral part of the lifestyle of The Villages community, providing
  our residents with outlets for leisure, exercise, socializing and entertainment. So
  that your programs and activities remain enjoyable for everyone, it is important
  that we respect our recreation facilities and fellow residents who utilize them. When
  using the recreation facilities, we share with you the recreation code of conduct. If
  any issues arise we ask that you work towards a resolution, taking advantage of the
  following mechanisms which are in place to help you with any issues.
- A. The use of obscenity, profanity or vulgarity in any conversations involving participants or department staff will not be tolerated.
- It is everyone's responsibility to maintain a safe, pleasant and comfortable playing atmosphere.
- Every individual who participates in any program has the right to be treated with respect. The Golden Rule, "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you," prevails.

### **Recreation & Parks**

#### <u>Lightning / Inclement Weather Policy</u>

In the event of lightning or inclement weather, the Recreation & Parks Department recommends patrons at pool facilities and other outdoor recreation areas find shelter and wait at least 30 minutes before resuming activities. The Recreation & Parks Department has the right, as issued by the National Weather Service or Public Safety Department in the event of tornados, hurricanes or other server storm warnings, to close facilities for public safety.



#### **School Supply Drives**

Recreation & Parks has team up with Fostering Faith Hope & Love of Lake/Sumter Counties and Villagers for Oak Park Middle School to help support local families as they prepare their children for the new school year.

Next time you're in a store pick up a few school supplies to pass along.

Collection boxes are located Colony Cottage, Ezell, Fenney, Laurel Manor, Rohan,

SeaBreeze Recreation Centers.

YOU CAN HELP SUPPORT YOUR COMMUNITY

#### **FILL THE BUS!**

# **School Supply Drive**



Fostering Faith Hope & Love of Lake/Sumter Counties

#### **Collection Box Drop Off Locations:**

Colony Cottage | Ezell | Fenney Laurel Manor | Rohan | SeaBreeze

DROP OFF DATES: JULY 1 - JULY 31

#### Types of Supplies Needed:

Sticky notes | Lined notebook paper | Spiral notebooks | Index cards Black dry erase markers | Pencils | Glue sticks | Highlighters 3-Ring binders | Colored pencils | Pocket folders | Pink erasers

Bridgett Brown | 321-436-7852 | lakesumterfamilies.org







## 4 EASY WAYS

## to stay safe online

Our online world needs to be protected. There are easy things we can do to ensure our information is safe from those wishing to steal it.

#### Recognize & report phishing

Most successful online intrusions result from a recipient of a "phishing" message accidentally downloading malware or giving their personal information to a spammer. Do not click or engage with these phishing attempts. Instead, recognize them by their use of alarming language or offers that are too good to be true.

Report the phish and delete phishing messages.

#### Use strong passwords

Simple passwords can be guessed. Make passwords at least 16 characters long, random and unique for each account. Use a password manager, a secure program that maintains and creates passwords. This easy-to-use program will store passwords and fill them in automatically on the web.

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#### Turn on multifactor authentication (MFA)

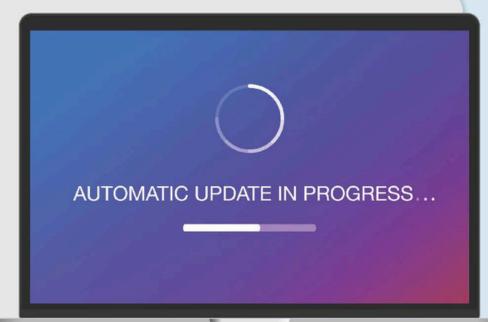
Use MFA on any site that offers it. MFA provides an extra layer of security in addition to a password when logging into accounts and apps, like a face scan or a code sent by text.

Using MFA will make you much less likely to get hacked.

#### **Update software**

When devices, apps or software programs (especially antivirus software) notify us that updates are available, we should install them as soon as possible.
Updates close security code bugs to better protect our data.

Turn on automatic updates to make it even easier.



# Taking these steps helps **Secure Our World.**



We can all help one another stay safer online, so share these tips with a family member or friend!

cisa.gov/SecureOurWorld















# FACILITY CLOSURES

- Amelia Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool
  - o Friday, July 25
- Atlas Recreation Dog Park
  - o Monday, August 4 Friday, August 8
- Bonita Neighborhood Recreation Area Adult Pool, restroom floor replacement
  - o Tuesday, July 22 Wednesday, July 30
- Brinson Perry Recreation Dog Park, sod installation
  - Monday, July 7 Sunday July 27
- Buffalo Glen Softball Complex Field 1, outfield renovation
  - Sunday, June 1 Sunday, August 31
- Canal Street Recreation Billiards Hall, table recovering
  - Wednesday, August 6 Friday, August 8
- Cason Hammock Neighborhood Recreation Area Adult Pool, pool deck maintenance
  - o Monday, August 4
- Charlotte Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool
  - o Friday, August 1
- Chula Vista Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Adult Pool, interior painting and parking lot seal/stripe
  - Saturday, July 19 Tuesday, July 29
- Coconut Cove Recreation Large Meeting Room (Mai Tai), re-wallpapering & painting
  - Monday, August 4 Sunday, August 10
- Churchill Street Recreation, HVAC replacement
  - Monday, July 7 Monday, August 11
- Dudley Recreation Dog Park, sod maintenance
  - Monday, July 18 Sunday, August 17
- Everglades Recreation Sports Pool, paver work
  - o Tuesday, July 22 Friday, July 25
- Ezell Recreation Outdoor Court Restrooms, floor repairs
  - Friday, July 18 Friday, July 25



# FACILITY CLOSURES

- Fish Hawk Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool
  - Friday, August 8
- Hadley Neighborhood Recreation Area Adult Pool, restroom floor replacement
  - Tuesday, July 22 Wednesday, July 30
- Homestead Recreation Dog Park, maintenance and sod replacement
  - Monday, July 7 Sunday, August 3
- Homestead Recreation Family Pool, pool deck maintenance
  - Monday, July 28
- La Hacienda Regional Recreation Center, HVAC replacement
  - Friday, April 4 Until Further Notice
- Pine Hills Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool
  - Friday, August 1
- Pine Ridge Neighborhood Recreation Area and Adult Pool
  - Wednesday, July 30 Wednesday, August 6
- Rio Grande Recreation Lawn Bowl/Croquet Field, Air Gun Range and Family Pool
  - Thursday, July 31
- Rohan Recreation Sports Pool
  - Monday, August 4, 7am-12pm
- Rohan Recreation Theatre Room, installation of hearing loop system
  - Monday, August 11 Wednesday, August 13
- Rupert Recreation Dog Park, sod maintenance
  - Monday, July 7 Sunday, July 27
- Savannah Recreation Indoor Facilities, flooring replacement
  - o Sunday, July 20 Monday, September 2
- SeaBreeze Recreation Platform Tennis Courts, repainting
  - o Thursday, July 3 Tuesday, August 5
- Sterling Heights Recreation Billiards Hall, table recovering
  - Wednesday, July 23 Friday, July 25

# Foin Ow Team

Hospitality | Stewardship | Innovation & Creativity | Hard Work

### **CURRENT OPEN POSITIONS**

Are you looking for employment?

If so, look no further than the Villages Community Development District.

All of our current job openings are listed on through our website by visiting <a href="www.DistrictGov.org">www.DistrictGov.org</a>

> Contact Us > Careers > See All Openings.

Or **CLICK HERE** to view the latest openings

You can contact us Monday-Friday 8a-5p with any questions or inquires, at 352-674-1905.



Scan the QR code to apply online or visit

DistrictGov.org > Contact Us>Careers

# Contact Us

**Administration** 

352-751-3939 Email

**Bond Division** 

352-751-3900 Email

**Budget** 

352-674-1920 Email

Community Standards

352-751-3912 <u>Deed Compliance</u> ARC Review

**Community Watch** 

352-753-0550 Email

**Customer Service** 

352-753-4508 Email **District Clerk** 

352-751-3939 Email

**Executive Golf Maintenance** 

352-674-1885 Email

**Finance** 

352-753-0421 Email

Golf & Tennis
Operations

352-753-3396 Email

**Human Resources** 

352-674-1905 Email

District Property Mgmt.

<u>352-753-4022</u> Email **Public Safety** 

352-205-8280 Email

**Purchasing** 

352-751-6700 <u>Email</u>

**Recreation & Parks** 

352-674-1800 Email

Risk Management

352-674-1828 Email

**Utility Billing** 

352-750-0000 <u>Email</u>