

District Weekly Bulletin

JUNE 18, 2026



The Villages®
Community Development Districts

INDEPENDENCE DAY CLOSURES

In observance of the Independence Day holiday, all District Customer Service Centers, District Administrative Offices, and Recreation Offices will be closed on Friday, July 3, 2026. Regular hours of operation will resume on Monday, July 6, 2026, unless otherwise noted.

Recreation centers, Fit Clubs, outdoor facilities, and swimming pools will remain open and operate as usual for your enjoyment.

Guest ID card services, trail fee payments, and activity registration will be available on Friday, July 3, 2026, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at La Hacienda, Lake Miona, Eisenhower, Rohan, Everglades, and Olympia Recreation Centers only.

Sanitation Pickup Notice

There will be no changes to sanitation collection services for residents living in:

- Village Community Development Districts (VCDD) 1–15
- The Sumter County, Marion County, and Fruitland Park portions of The Villages
- The Lake County portion of The Villages (including all areas except as otherwise designated)
- The Town of Lady Lake portion of The Villages



OUTSMART online outlaws

Avoid Phishing Scams with Three Simple Tips

Phishing scams are online messages designed to look like they're from a trusted source. We may open what we thought was a safe email, attachment or image only to find ourselves exposed to malware or a scammer looking for our personal data. The good news is we can take precautions to protect our important data. Learn to recognize the signs and report phishing to protect devices and data.



1

Recognize the common signs



- Urgent or emotionally appealing language
- Requests to send personal or financial information
- Unexpected attachments
- Untrusted shortened URLs
- Email addresses that do not match the supposed sender
- Poor writing/misspellings (less common)

2

Resist and report

PHISHING**SPAM**

Report suspicious messages by using the "report spam" feature. If the message is designed to resemble an organization you trust, report the message by alerting the organization using their contact information found on their webpage.

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Delete

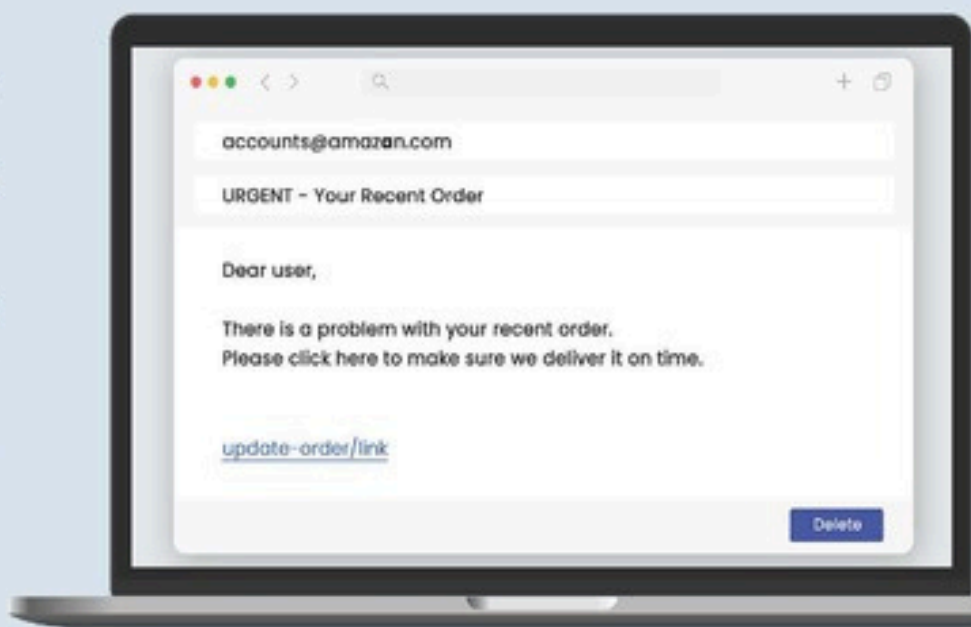
Delete the message. Don't reply or click on any attachment or link, including any "unsubscribe" link. The unsubscribe button could also carry a link used for phishing. **Just delete.**

DELETE

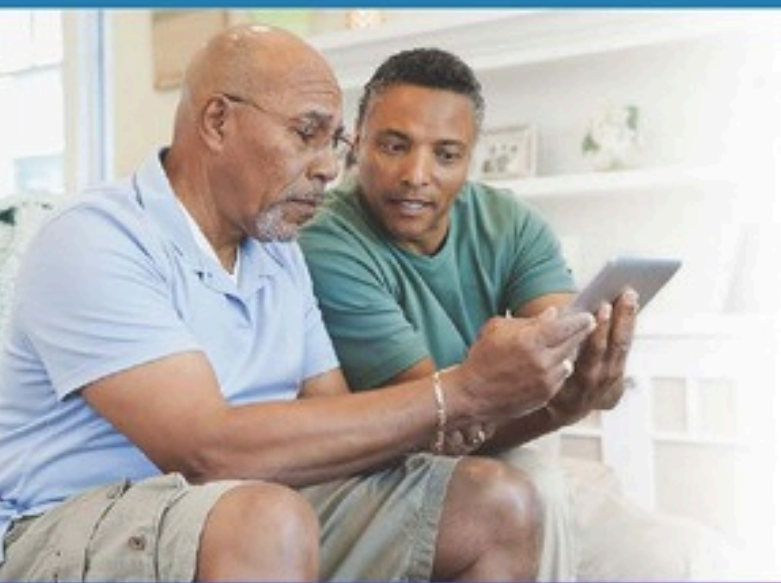
If a message looks suspicious, it's probably phishing.

But even if there's a possibility it could be real, don't click any link, attachment or call any number. Look up another way to contact a company or person directly:

- Go to a company's website to find their contact information
- Call the individual at a known number and confirm whether they sent the message



Avoiding phishing is one way to
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

WILDWOOD MARTIN THEATRE PROJECT

Wildwood residents will have an opportunity to learn about and provide input on the future of the former Martin Theatre during a public meeting on June 24. City officials and representatives from the city's consulting architect will present redevelopment concepts being considered for the historic Main Street property and answer questions from attendees. The meeting will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. at City Hall, giving community members a chance to share their thoughts and help shape the next chapter of the landmark building.

For more information please visit our [What's Happening](#) page or contact the City of Wildwood at [352-330-1330](tel:352-330-1330).





BOND CUT-OFF DATE: JULY 17, 2026

Did you know you can prepay the remaining Principal balance on your Bond at any time? And if we receive your payoff check before 5:00pm Friday, July 17, 2026, you will avoid having a Bond assessment on this year's County Property tax bill and save future interest and administrative fees.

Call the Bond team at 352-751-3900 to obtain your payoff amount. You can put your payment in the District Drop boxes located at each Postal Station (up until July 13th.) If you cannot pay until after July 13th, please call our office to schedule an appointment to come in and pay. You can also drop off your payment at the reception desk at our Brownwood location. If mailing your payment, be sure to allow enough time for it to reach us by the 17th.

If you prefer, you can continue to pay the Bond over time through the annual assessment on your County Property Tax bill. You are not required to pay off your Bond in advance.

To help you make the decision on what is best for you, you can download your Bond amortization on the District website [Finance & Bonds page](#). The amortization schedule provides the details about your Bond including the interest rate and breaks down your annual assessments.

Even if you pay your Bond in full, remember that you will still see an annual Maintenance assessment on your county property tax bill. The Maintenance assessment is your share of the ongoing costs to maintain the infrastructure of your District.

If you have any questions, please contact the Bond Team at Bonds@DistrictGov.org or 352-751-3900.



To maintain the integrity of the Executive Golf Courses and to provide the best play experience possible, the below courses are closed until further notice.

For any further information, please contact District's Executive Golf Maintenance at [352-674-1885](tel:352-674-1885) or executivegolfmaintenance@districtgov.org.

Executive Course Closures

CLOSED FOR COURSE RENOVATION

- **El Diablo**
- **El Santiago**
- **Heron**
- **Red Fish Run:** will close Mon, June 22nd
- **Silver Lake**
- **Truman:** Reopening on Tues, July 14th
- **Walnut Grove:** Reopening on Thurs, June 25th

CLOSED FOR REST AND REHABILITATION

- **Hawkes Bay:** Scheduled to open Thurs, June 25th
- **Oakleigh:** Scheduled to open Thurs, June 18th
- **Volusia:** Scheduled to Open Thurs, July 2nd





Course Re-Openings

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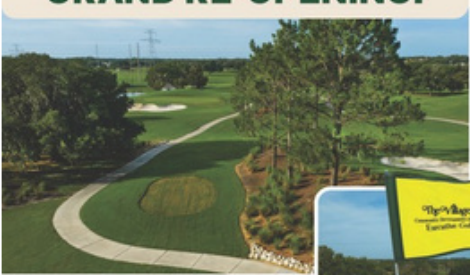
Thank you to everyone who joined us for the Bonita Pass Grand Reopening! We appreciate your support and enthusiasm as we celebrated this exciting milestone.



WALNUT GROVE

Missed the Bonita Pass Grand Re-Opening? Don't miss your chance to celebrate with us at the Walnut Grove ribbon-cutting ceremony. We can't wait to see you there!

GRAND RE-OPENING!



The Villages
Community Development Districts
Executive Golf

JOIN US AT
Walnut Grove
EXECUTIVE GOLF COURSE

Thursday, June 25
RIBBON CUTTING 9AM
TEE TIMES START AT 10AM
8501 SE 172nd Legacy Lane

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

See You On The Green!
TEE TIMES OPEN ON JUNE 18

TheVillages.net | 352-753-4653

352-753-4508 | ExecutiveGolfMaintenance@DistrictGov.org

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JOINT TRAINING DEMONSTRATION



Join Sumter County Fire & EMS and
The Villages Public Safety Department
as we demonstrate unified training, teamwork
and readiness to serve and protect
our community.



JUNE 26, 2026



4:00 PM – 7:00 PM



**SUMTER COUNTY
JOINT TRAINING CENTER**

215 Gloria Rowe Hayward Way
Sumterville, FL 33585
(Corner of US 301 and Central Parkway)



4:00 – 5:00 PM

Benjamin Franklin – How It All Began
Fire demonstration and crafts in the library



5:00 – 6:00 PM

Touch a Truck Event
and Interactive Displays



6:00 – 7:00 PM

Opening Ceremony and
Joint Training Demonstration



CELEBRATING 250 YEARS OF AMERICA

STRONGER TOGETHER. SAFER TOGETHER.



**LIVE EQUIPMENT
DEMONSTRATIONS**

See our firefighters and
public safety professionals
in action.



**MULTI-AGENCY
COLLABORATION**

Unified training. Stronger
partnerships. A safer
community.



**COMMUNITY
CONNECTION**

Engaging activities for
families, kids and
neighbors of all ages.



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**OPEN TO
THE PUBLIC!**

Come out and support
our local heroes!





Parks Trails & Pathways

The Villages Recreation & Parks Department's parks, trails, and pathways add another dimension to enrich the active and passive lifestyles of all residents and their guests by meeting their existing and future outdoor recreational needs.

A full listing of these areas can be found [here](#).



Weather Guidelines

Recreation & Parks staff monitor weather conditions using sources such as WVLG and Wunderground.

Recreation sponsored activities, leagues, tournaments, and special events may be canceled or postponed when the heat index reaches 104°F or higher.

For details, see our [Weather Policy](#).





- **Allamanda Recreation Facilities & Family Pool**
 - Thursday, June 25
- **Bacall Recreation Billiards Room**
 - Friday, July 10 – Friday, July 17
- **Big Cypress Recreation Facilities & Family Pool**
 - Friday, July 3
- **Captiva Recreation Family Pool**
 - Friday, May 22 – Friday, June 19
- **Captiva Recreation Billiards Room**
 - Wednesday, June 24 – Friday, June 26
- **Cason Hammock Neighborhood Recreation Adult Pool**
 - Wednesday, June 24
- **Chatham Recreation Facilities & Family Pool**
 - Monday, July 13
- **Chitty Chatty Neighborhood Recreation Parking Lot**
 - Wednesday, July 1
- **Coconut Cove Recreation Billiards Room**
 - Tuesday, June 23
- **Dudley Canine Park**
 - Monday, June 8 – Friday, June 19
- **Gilchrist Neighborhood Recreation Adult Pool**
 - Monday, June 22 – Sunday, June 28
- **Hibiscus Recreation Billiards Room**
 - Monday, June 15 – Friday, June 19
- **Lake Miona Recreation Pickleball Courts**
 - Until further notice
- **Laurel Manor Recreation Indoor Facilities & Fit Club**
 - Monday, May 4 – Saturday, July 18
- **Mulberry Grove Recreation Sports Pool & Pool House**
 - Monday, March 30 – Tuesday, July 28
- **Mulberry Grove Recreation Facilities, Fit Club & Sports Pool**
 - Friday, June 19

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- **Mulberry Grove Recreation Bocce Courts**
 - Monday, June 22 – Friday, July 3
- **Odell Recreation Facilities & Family Pool**
 - Wednesday, June 24
- **Olympia Recreation Sports Pool**
 - Tuesday, June 23, 7am-12pm
- **Paradise Recreation Park Golf Cart Parking Lots**
 - Until further notice
- **Paradise Recreation Dog Park**
 - Monday, June 22 – Friday, June 26
- **Paradise Recreation Outdoor Facilities, Archery Range & Fitness Trail**
 - Tuesday, June 23
- **Pinellas Neighborhood Recreation Area Adult Pool**
 - Friday, June 26 – Friday, July 17
- **Riverbend Recreation Facilities & Family Pool**
 - Thursday, July 9
- **Rohan Recreation Sports Pool**
 - Friday, June 19, 7am-12pm
- **Savannah Recreation Facilities & Sports Pool**
 - Friday, June 26
- **Savannah Recreation Computer Room, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool, America's 250th Celebration**
 - Saturday, July 4
- **Schwartz Park Observation Deck**
 - Until further notice
- **Spanish Moss Recreation Sports Pool**
 - Thursday, June 25
- **Tierra Del Sol Recreation Facilities & Adult Pool**
 - Monday, June 29
- **Truman Recreation Shuffleboard**
 - Tuesday, June 9 – Friday, June 19
- **Willow Tree Neighborhood Recreation Area Outdoor Facilities & Adult Pool**
 - Thursday, July 16

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NOTICE OF VACANCY

The Village Community Development District No. 4 Board of Supervisors is seeking applicants who are interested in filling Seat 2, which is vacant due to a resignation. 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 the District Clerk no later than 5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 8, 2026 at the District Office, 3571 Kiessel Road, The Villages 32163.

The Board of Supervisors will interview applicants during a Board Meeting to be held on Friday, July 17, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. at the Savannah Regional Recreation Center, Ashley Wilkes Room, 1545 Buena Vista Boulevard, The Villages, FL.

The Board of Supervisors welcomes interested applicants to include a resume outlining their experience as an attachment to the [application](#).



Notification of Landowner Election **AMENITY AUTHORITY COMMITTEE (AAC)**

A Landowner Election will be held on **Tuesday, November 3, 2026** for the following seats:

- **Lady Lake/Lake County portion of The Villages**
- **Village Community Development District No. 1**
- **Village Community Development District No. 2**

The Amenity Authority Committee advises the Village Center Community Development District on matters related to amenity facilities, amenity fees, and associated services for areas north of CR 466.

For additional information or if you are interested in having your name placed on the ballot for the 2026 Landowner Elections to become the representative for your District, you must complete the Official Statement of Eligibility for the Amenity Authority Committee and submit it to the District Clerk's Office located at 3571 Kiessel Road, The Villages, 32163 from May 18, 2026 through June 19, 2026. Applicants must be a landowner and a resident of the District they are interested in representing.

The form is available on the District website [here](#), or can be obtained by contacting Jennifer Farlow, District Clerk at (352) 751-3939 or jennifer.farlow@districtgov.org.



Our Core Values are demonstrated in our daily actions

HOSPITALITY • STEWARDSHIP • INNOVATION AND CREATIVITY • HARD WORK

The Village Center Community Development District (VCCDD) employs staff to support the operations of The Villages® community. We attribute our successes to the members of our team and staff, who work together towards the mission of providing and preserving the lifestyle of **Florida's Friendliest Hometown®**.

Ready to join the team? View current open positions on our website.



Check our website: DistrictGov.org > Careers > See All Openings



For any questions or inquiries, contact us Monday-Friday (8am to 5pm) at 352-674-1905.



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