



Just to keep you informed, as of April 14, 2017, here is a brief synopsis of things being worked on/or accomplished in your City.

City Manager's Office:

- Met with Community Development regarding the Arroyal Road property research.
- Attended the Neighborhood Services staff meeting.
- Met with Chamber President and Assistant City Manager on matters of mutual concern
- Completed status update of the Council's strategic plan items.
- Completed final revision to the Bonita Wonder Gardens (BWG) proposed loan restructure. Discussed with Councilmembers and BWG Executive Board members.
- Attended and presented at the monthly Government Affairs Committee meeting at the Chamber.
- Attended Veteran's Award event at the Bonita Bay Club, which featured Governor Scott.
- Met with Captain Blake Lee of the Lee County Sheriff's Office about issues of mutual concern.

Communications Department:

- Hosted a Movie in the Park.
- Planning Memorial Day Event.
- Created a CRS slider for the website and social media.
- Processing Special Event Application for the VegFest event.
- Processing Special Event Application National Day of Prayer event.
- Processing Special Event Application for the Film Festival.
- Met with Brian and two others about Village Band concert series.
- Prepared the Technology Advisory Committee Agenda and Packet.
- Attended the Veterans Advisory Committee Meeting.
- Completed Hurricane Preparedness Seminar Press Release.
- Requested sponsorship from Naples Daily News and News-Press for the 4th of July Event.
- Posted Bike Pedestrian Committee Bike Rack Picture for social media.
- Held Communication Staff meeting.
- Released: *The City Has Earned a Class 5 Rating with the Community Rating System - Bonita Springs residents that live in flood prone areas are eligible to receive an additional five percent decrease on their insurance premium.*
- Released: Movie in the Park release.
- Released: Arbor Day Event release.
- Released approximately 6,000 flyers to the schools for movie in the park, Arbor Day and Memorial Day events.
- Reviewing and updating contacts for all homeowner associations in the City.
- Worked the Stardust event.
- Cleaned out the electric room at the band shell.
- Met with sheriff's office and fire department for debrief on Celebrate.
- Began soliciting sponsors for 4th of July event.

- Held beginning of the year meetings with staff.
- Attended a tour of Univision and spoke to Univision staff about communications.
- Met with Univision staff members to review the special event application process for the Fiesta Event.
- Met with Lions Club West representative to review the special event application process for the Fiesta Event.
- Assisted Reporter Sherri Vasquez with questions regarding the Fiesta Event.
- Expedited the Fiesta Event Application for process due to near event date.
- Met with Margo Williams from the Seabreeze Communications Group to assist with a story about Bonita Springs History. Seabreeze Communications publishes newspapers in Bonita Bay and Pelican Landing as well as in communities in Estero.
- Met with city attorney to review Farmers Markets.

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- Finished up with the Tyler Technologies (IMS) update.
- Installed a new access point at the Riverside Park and got the AP2 working.
- Re-started AP2 at the bandshell as it lost connection.
- Removed and re-added the NIC for the Archive server.
- Ran the Cat 5 for the Finance AP, also installed the AP in the appropriate location.
- VMware v6.5 to v7 upgrade single server.
- VMware v7 testing on single server for validation.
- BTV 98 Live Stream video capture unit replacement.
- BTV 98 production pc power supply failure and unit swap.
- HDMI hardwire in room 118 to simplify setup for users coming in to use projector.
- Resolved issue with servers lights out units not being accessible remotely.
- Attended VMware overview training at VMware conference.
- Backup Server work, some issues with a few servers not backing up properly.
- Emails from Bonita Chambers and another were being categorized as spam - added them to our whitelist.

Development Services:

- **Seaglass at Bonita Bay:** Completed concrete pour on 16th floor. The building should top out at 24 floors by the end of the year with plans to open a model early next year.



- **Diamond Oaks on North 41** – The Developer has completed construction and received final CO's for 2 large buildings in this Senior Living Community. A few tenants have moved in and the Sales Office/Recreation Center is open on site.



- **Metro Diner @ Center of Bonita** – Large Grease Traps have been installed in parking area and interior building renovation continues for this new Diner that plans to open this summer.



- **Commercial Tree Buffers** – The City continues to promote the use of our native subtropical trees in the wider Type D commercial buffers. Here is an example of a satinleaf tree used in the buffer for the new Starbucks on North 41. Owner likes the view corridor it provides for business signage.



- **Fairfield Inn and Suites** – Construction and Architectural Plans are under review for this new Hotel to be located near Home Depot.

LCSO:

- Attended monthly Code Enforcement meeting.
- Attended HOA meeting at Lovers Key Resort to discuss issues within the resort during season.
- Lieutenant Przespolewski was a guest speaker at the Bonita Rotary Club at Artichoke Company. Lt. Przespolewski gave a speech on public safety and the relationship between the LCSO and the City of Bonita Springs.
- Conducted a traffic operation in the Rosemary Community in reference to speeding complaints and other traffic related concerns.
- Conducted a traffic operation on East Terry Street and Oliver Drive in reference to traffic related concerns in this area.
- Attended and provided security at the Nautical Market and Boat Show at Lovers Key.
- Attended and provided traffic escort for Bonita event on Kent Road. The event was called Walk for Water.
- Captain Lee and Lieutenant Przespolewski attended a Veterans Event at the Bonita Bay Club. The special guest was Governor Scott.
- Attended and provided security for bi-weekly City Council meeting.
- Attended a debrief at City Hall reference past occurred Celebrate Bonita event. The event was attended by LCSO, Bonita FD and Special Events.
- Captain Lee and Lieutenant Przespolewski met with Security at the Hyatt reference upcoming Florida Sheriff's Conference and meet and greet with Hyatt personnel.
- Assisted Bonita Narcotics Unit with a Narcotics Search Warrant on Georgia Street.
- Assisted Bonita Narcotics with several on-going narcotics investigations.
- Continued to pro-actively patrol Bonita Beach and beach accesses in reference to Spring Break.

Neighborhood Services:

- Director met with representatives of Centurylink and BSU regarding right of way improvements.
- Director attended the quarterly Keep Lee County Beautiful, Inc. Board meeting.
- Director attended the Mitigation Strategy meeting at Lee County Emergency Management.
- Director met with City Manager and John Dulmer to discuss unsafe building processes.

- Outreach Coordinator Peggy met with ECHO and New Horizons regarding establishing a community garden for Rosemary Park/Lietner Creek.
- Liaison Albert assembled a “welcome to the neighborhood” package for new residents at Red Hibiscus/Habitat for Humanity community- he is working with the property manager to distribute as a proactive approach to education.
- Inspector Chuck sent out notices for the upcoming turtle season to beach residents warned in the past and rental properties in an effort to proactively educate for turtle season.

Parks & Rec:

- Held Pre-construction meeting with Playmore West, Inc. for construction of the Community Park Playground project.
- Working with Legacy Construction for change order and quote to construct new entrance and trail to Mayhood Playground from New Moon Court
- Bid opening was held this week for the Recreation Center re-roof project. Two bids were received and they are under review for compliance and accuracy. Once completed, the lowest responsive and responsible bidder will be placed on the May 3 City Council agenda for award.
- The Community Park Tennis Court Shade Structure is currently under construction and should be complete in the next 2 weeks
- The Parks Maintenance staff has a new employee in the position of Maintenance Specialist. Please welcome Richard Moses to the team.
- Spring Break Camp is currently being held this week at the Bonita Springs Recreation Center
- Met with G4S security company to discuss a few security issues within the Parks.
- Worked on the proposed draft for the Parks and Recreation fee schedule to be reviewed by City Council at the April 19th City Council meeting.
- Working on the Parks and Recreation 2017-2018 budget requests
- The Bonita Springs Recreation Center will be hosting a Hurricane Preparedness Seminar On Thursday May 18th at 6 pm. The speakers will include the Bonita Springs Fire Department, Lee County Emergency Management and NBC2 Meteorologist Kristen Kirchane.

As always, should you have questions regarding this, please let us know!