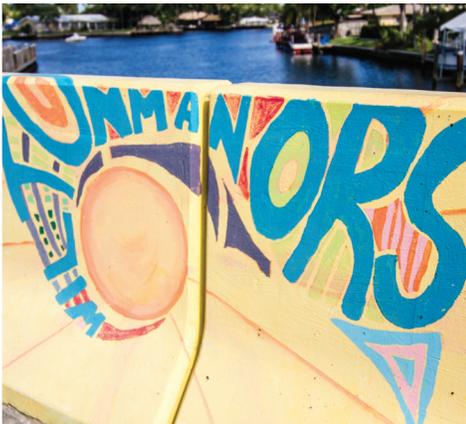




Town Crier

Your Guide To What's Happening In The Island City

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 Monday, September 7, 2015
 for Labor Day**

Wilton Manors City Officials

Mayor Gary Resnick • Vice Mayor Scott Newton
 Commissioner Julie A. Carson • Commissioner Justin Flippen
 Commissioner Tom Green • City Manager Joseph L. Gallegos
 City Attorney Kerry Ezrol

City Commission and Board Meeting Dates

All City Commission and most board meetings are held in the commission chambers (2020 Wilton Drive). The public is always welcome to attend. Visit www.wiltonmanors.com for the most up to date meeting info.

Comm. Aff. Adv Bd 7 p.m.	Historical Society 7 p.m.	Pension Board 5:30 p.m.	Plan & Zone Bd 7 p.m.	Rec. Adv. Bd. 6:30 p.m.
No July Meeting	No July Meeting	Tues, Sept.1	Mon, July 13	Thurs, Aug 20
Wed, Aug 5	No August Meeting		Mon, Aug 10	
Wed, Sept 2	Thurs, Sept 17		Mon, Sept. 21	

The City Commission meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. Please Note: the Tuesday, August 25th meeting has been canceled for summer break, and the Tuesday, September 22nd meeting has been moved to Monday, September 21st due to Yom Kippur.

Phone Numbers

City Hall.....	(954) 390-2100
City Clerk	(954) 390-2123
Mayor and City Commission	(954) 390-2123
City Manager.....	(954) 390-2120
Community Development	(954) 390-2180
Emergency Management.....	(954) 390-2133
Finance Dept.....	(954) 390-2141
Utilities Billing.....	(954) 390-2145
Fire/EMS Administration.....	(954) 390-2110
Fire Prevention/Marshal.....	(954) 390-2110
Fire Rescue*.....	(954) 764-4357
(*Ft Lauderdale non-emergency)	
Human Resources.....	(954) 390-2125
Risk Management.....	(954) 390-2126
Leisure Services:	
Library.....	(954) 390-2195
Parks Division	(954) 390-2115
Recreation Division.....	(954) 390-2130
Police Department:	
Administration	(954) 390-2150
Code Compliance.....	(954) 390-2151
Non-Emergency Dispatch.....	(954) 764-4357
Police/Fire/EMS Emergency.....	911
Utilities/Emergency Management.....	(954) 390-2190

Walk Along the Drive; Not in the Road

Written by Police Chief Paul O'Connell

NO DOUBT, you have heard the unfortunate news that several pedestrians who were improperly crossing the Drive have been struck by cars. WMPD has been in an ongoing campaign which entails an aggressive education / enforcement effort designed to remind each of us that the **ONLY SAFE WAY** to cross the Drive is to use the crosswalk. In just the first few weeks of this campaign WMPD has written about a dozen citations and issued several dozen verbal warnings. In addition, WMPD has stepped up the speed enforcement using a traffic enforcement operational plan utilizing radar.

Friends, in a collision between a car and a pedestrian the car always wins. Thus, the pedestrian must take the proper precautions by using a crosswalk which has been designed and installed for their protection. To cross the Drive outside a crosswalk is taking a needless risk.

Please remember that Wilton Drive is a State Road. Thus, any and all changes to the Drive must be



approved by FDOT. The City and WMPD are working with FDOT in an effort to remedy the issue by either building more crosswalks or redesigning the Drive to make it safer for both pedestrians and motorists. In the meantime, WMPD will continue its education and enforcement efforts throughout the summer.

Features



Message from the Mayor



Mayor Gary Resnick

This month, we will celebrate the grand re-opening of Mickel Park which will now provide our residents and visitors with fitness amenities, a stage for outdoor concerts and events, and a police substation for

added park and neighborhood safety. I hope to see you at the ribbon cutting event on July 25th at 10 a.m. I am happy to report that park construction will be completed on time and on budget. With the newly-designed park, we look forward to hosting great events that bring our community together.

As I have said many times, what makes Wilton Manors great are the people that live here and when

we celebrate together, we build a stronger community. In May, the City celebrated our 68th anniversary with the annual canoe race. Each year, this event draws new participants from around Broward County and is a great way to showcase our city, its waterways and the friendliness of our town. Over twenty teams paddled it out around the island and hundreds of us enjoyed a post-race picnic at Richardson Park. The Wilton Manors Historical Society opened the doors of the Carriage House to preview the new outdoor bar and catering room that they have been working hard to build. Our Leisure Services team cooked up a great lunch and Funky Buddha and Whole Foods sponsored the drinks. It was truly a great day that represented all that is special about Wilton Manors.

Hurricane Season: Of course, you know it is summer

City Hall





Message from the Mayor Cont'd.

and that means it is hurricane season. Ten years have already passed since Hurricane Wilma caused damage to our homes and neighborhoods. We have been fortunate not to experience any major hurricanes during the last few years but we must remain vigilant and prepared. It is critical that we not wait until a storm is at our coast to prepare the necessary essentials. Every household should plan to be self-sufficient for the first three to five days after a major storm. To assist with your hurricane preparation, check out the information in this issue of the Town Crier or on our City website. Broward County also provides information at www.broward.org/hurricane. Receiving the Town Crier Online Instead of By Mail: If you would like to save trees and City money, and not have the Town Crier mailed to you, you can now opt out of receiving the Town Crier via the mail. Instead, you can download it from the City's website. To opt out of receiving the Town Crier via mail, contact community@wiltonmanors.com, and provide your name and address.

As always, I welcome your feedback and comments. Please feel free to contact me at GResnick@wiltonmanors.com or (954) 390-2123. 



Hurricane Debris Removal



The City of Wilton Manors entered into a contract with CrowderGulf, a nationally known debris management contractor, in order to be better prepared for the effects of a major natural disaster such as a hurricane. The goal of the City is to complete debris removal from city streets, roads, rights-of-way, and private property as needed, within ninety (90) days of activation of the contract. This assumes that the entire area of the city will be accessible within that period. If difficulties with access occur, the time frame may be extended by mutual agreement between the City and CrowderGulf. CrowderGulf will conduct several activities including debris emergency response, storm debris cleanup and debris recovery operations.

Debris Emergency Response

Debris Response activities occur immediately after a disaster event in order to clear emergency access routes. During Debris Response, CrowderGulf will remove debris from all critical streets and roads to allow for the movement of emergency vehicles. Emergency crews may be on-site and working within hours of an event. The City will determine priorities for emergency activities with primary emphasis on major thoroughfares.

Hurricane Debris Removal Cont'd



Storm Debris Cleanup

The general concept of debris removal operations includes one or more scheduled passes of street rights-of-way. The timing of the passes will allow residents to return to their properties and bring debris to the right-of-way as recovery progresses. Besides removing the disaster debris from rights-of-way, CrowderGulf may be tasked with rebuilding or restoring damaged infrastructure and providing any other disaster response and recovery services as directed by the city.

Debris Recovery Operations

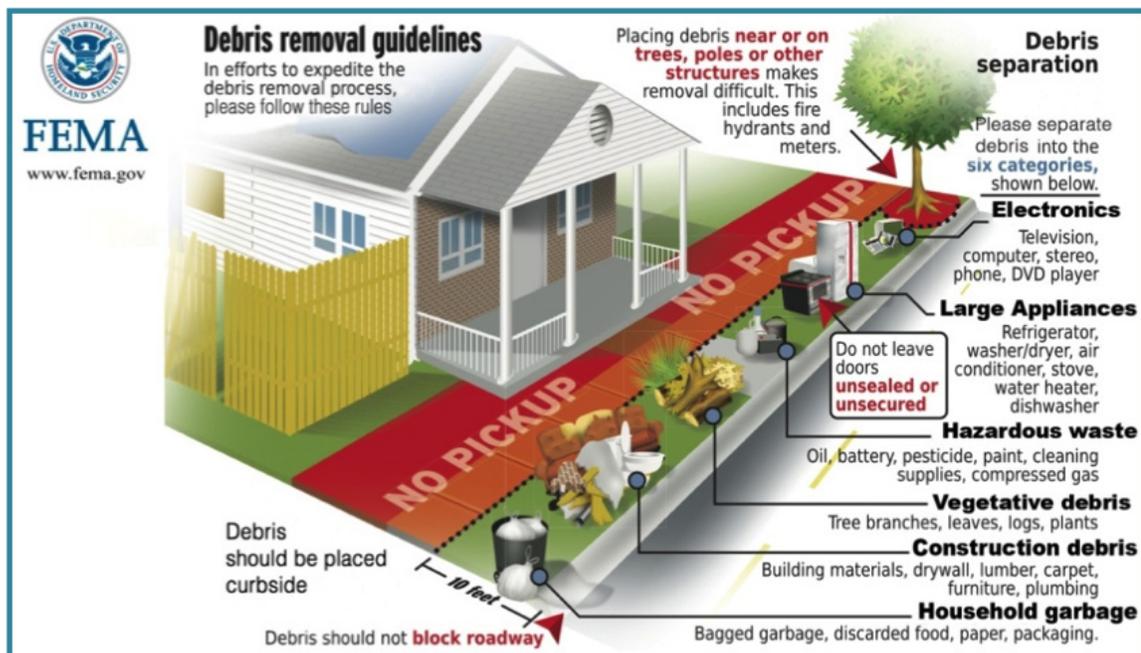
Debris Recovery Operations focus on collecting the debris, reducing and/or recycling and final disposal. All aspects of the debris operation will be completed following all local, state, and federal regulations.

To help ensure that debris is collected in the most efficient, safe and timely manner, CrowderGulf recommends you separate your debris at the curbside/right-of-way by debris type.

Debris Types

- Vegetative Debris – includes shrubs, palm fronds, tree trimmings, grass & leaves, twigs or cut up branches
- Construction & Demolition Debris (C&D) – materials relating directly to construction or demolition of buildings, such as cement, dry-wall, glass, insulation, concrete blocks, etc.
- White Goods Debris – appliances, including refrigerators, ranges, washing machines, clothes dryers, freezers, microwave ovens, air conditioners, etc.
- E-Goods Debris – Electronics, including TVs, computers, stereos, phones, DVD players, etc.

The FEMA graphic below provides homeowners with a good depiction of appropriate right-of-way segregation procedures for the different types of debris. Using this segregation method will expedite the debris removal operation.



Hurricane Season - Additional Planning



Decide Now Where You And Your Family Will Go When The Next Hurricane Threatens:

- Decide on a specific place: Your own residence, the protected house of a friend outside the evacuation zone, a secure motel or hotel within the County or, as a last resort, a public shelter.
- During a hurricane, do not stay in any structure that does not have good shutters or properly designed and installed hurricane protection.
- Do not count on driving north on the Turnpike or I-95 - they will be jammed.
- Do not count on going to the airport and flying out.
- Plan on staying in South Florida.

During The Hurricane:

- Monitor local media, including the City of Wilton Manor's 1630AM emergency radio station, for information and instructions.
- Stay indoors. Stay away from doors and windows. Stay in a safe room or area in the interior of your house, preferably a room without windows.
- Do not go outside in the calm of the hurricane "eye." In the "eye," winds and rain may stop for a few minutes or more than an hour, but Beware — winds will return with greater intensity from the opposite direction.
- Call 911 ONLY for emergencies. Avoid using the telephone unless necessary.
- Make sure the gas is turned off. Unplug unnecessary or sensitive electric equipment before a storm. Turn off electricity or circuit breakers if you've noticed leaks in the roof or windows of your home, or if there is flooding. Use flashlights and battery-powered lanterns. Do Not Use Candles!
- Don't leave your shelter at any time during a hurricane unless you must deal with situations that could be fatal without your intervention.

A Public Shelter Should Be The Last Option:

A public hurricane shelter should always be considered a last option: a place to go if you can't stay at home or with a relative or friend. Shelters are in schools or other solidly constructed buildings that provide a large, safe area. They lack many comforts, which visitors must bring with them.



Information about which shelters are open in your area will be available before a storm. To check the status of a shelter or for more information, call the Broward Red Cross at (954) 797-3823 or the Broward County Emergency Management Hurricane Hotline at 3-1-1 or (954) 831-4000. Because space can be limited, go to a shelter as soon as an announcement is made that it is open.

The Red Cross runs public shelters, but medical care will not be available. Shelters have food, but if you have special diet needs or want snacks, bring your own. Don't expect to find a bed. You'll need to bring the following with you:

- Flashlight (extra batteries)
- Radio (extra batteries)
- Sleeping bags, cots, blankets, pillows
- Identification
- Medicines
- Snacks
- Special-diet foods
- Toiletries
- Eyeglasses, hearing aids
- Baby food and diapers
- First Aid Kit
- Games, books, playing cards
- Comfortable clothing
- Cash
- Copies of valuable documents

DO NOT BRING:

- Guns
- Alcohol
- Illegal Drugs
- Pets (see below for details on the pet-friendly shelter)

Broward's Pet-Friendly Shelter

One pet-friendly shelter is available in Broward County, but it has limited space and is an option of last resort. It is available on a first-come, first-served basis, only to pet owners living in evacuation areas or in mobile homes throughout Broward County. The American Red Cross operates the human side of the shelter. The Humane Society of Broward County operates the pet side of the shelter. Pets cannot be sheltered unless their owner(s) are also utilizing the shelter. This is a pet-friendly shelter only, and not a general population shelter. Residents living in an evacuation zone or in a mobile home can pre-register for the pet-friendly shelter in person at the Humane Society of Broward County, 2070 Griffin Road, Fort Lauderdale, or by phone at (954) 989-3977. To pre-register, you must present:

- valid proof of residency in an evacuation area, such as an electric, water or cable bill (a driver's license is not sufficient proof)
- valid proof of current rabies vaccination and Broward County pet license
- name, address and phone number of your veterinarian
- a current photo of the pet(s) you are planning to bring (photo is non-returnable)

Please note that the animals are housed in individual crates in a separate space from the human side of the shelter, so you will have limited contact with your pet. 



The State of Business in Our Community

Wilton Manors is a great place to live, and the City has seen property values increase at rates higher than most communities in Broward County. It is also a great place to locate a small business, and the Community Development Services Department is looking at the issues that affect business growth and development in the City. The department also offers service and support that allows businesses to expand and new companies to get started through streamlined permitting and exceptional customer service. 

A Wilton Manors Welcome

The City would like to welcome the new businesses that have come to Wilton Manors in the months of April and May of this year:

- Architect Gallery - 2918 N Andrews Avenue
- Ultimate Rental Gateways LLC - 800 W Oakland Park Blvd. Suite #213
- Dental Associates - 2404 Wilton Drive
- MAACO Express - 1100 W Oakland Park Blvd. Bay #4
- Ocean Therapy Center Inc - 2530 NE 15 Avenue
- Lesley Litrento Studio LLC - 2408 N Dixie Hwy
- Jim Bobick Gallery - 2374 Wilton Drive
- Sculpture by Sylvie LLC - 2419 N Dixie Hwy
- The Doggybay Corp - 2720 N Dixie Hwy
- Vaugh Medical LLC - 1749 NE 26 Street C

Stop in and say hello to our new businesses in the City. 

Calling All New Businesses

Want to have your new business featured in an upcoming issue of the Town Crier? Awesome! Follow these guidelines and submit your entry today.

Submit the following information via email to community@wiltonmanors.com.

- Your Name:
- Name of Business:
- Business Address:
- Opening Date:
- Email Address and Phone #:
- Hours of Operation:
- Why did you choose to open your business in Wilton Manors?

Attach a photo of your business, which may also include your staff members – get creative!

SPECIAL NOTE:

Businesses must be open 12 months or less. Selection will be at random and based upon availability.

Preparing Your Business for a Hurricane



This time of season also brings to mind the need for all of our businesses to begin preparations for the possibility of hurricanes. Although most reports state that this year is predicted to have fewer storms than normal, they are just predictions. The past shows that even predicted smaller storms, such as Wilma in 2005, could have devastating effects with more than 6,000,000 people losing power for 8 – 15 days. The key element is to be prepared. The National Weather Service, through the National Hurricane Center, each year, provides an overview of how businesses should be ready for any type of major storm.

The Necessary Steps

First, it is important for businesses to have access to all of the information about their business and insurance. It is equally important to have information about the Local Emergency Management Office, Local Utilities, Local Hospitals or Trauma Centers, Property Insurance Agency, and Local Law Enforcement. Information such as this should be kept at your place of business as well as in your home so you can begin the process of recovery once a storm has passed.

Your business should have a plan of action that allows you to effectively protect yourself and your employees. Do you have an emergency plan to call key staff so that you can reach each other with important information to assist you in reopening your business? Is there a central number for employees to call to get recorded information about your business and whether it will be in operation? These Emergency Plans should prepare individuals so that they will know what to do and whom to contact.

It is also important to know the condition of your facility and its vulnerability to flooding. Is the foundation capable of withstanding high winds or high waters? Should you evacuate and remove important machinery, equipment or records to ensure their

safety? Back up computer records on disc and protect offices from storm surge. Identify and safely secure all outside equipment and materials that could be blown loose in high winds, and inspect rooftop equipment, such as air conditioning units, to ensure that they are securely fastened.

If an evacuation of the area is necessary and you must close your business, relocate any expensive equipment to a secure facility and cover up vulnerable equipment that cannot be removed with plastic sheeting to minimize damage if there are roof leaks or broken windows. Move furnishings away from exterior windows and doors, and elevate items off the floor. Turn off electricity, gas, water or any other utility services.

Finally, prepare by having extra fuel for generators and water stored for emergency use. It is helpful to have battery-operated radios, flashlights and battery-operated lighting to allow essential work in the event of power outages, and be sure to have adequate battery supplies to operate all equipment.

It's very easy to deny that a storm will occur during the coming year, but by taking the necessary precautions and preparing employees for the possibility of a major storm, your business will be more likely to resume its operation in a timely fashion. 🌿

It's easy to join our
BUSINESS E-NEWS list.
just send us your email by text message

text: WILTONMANORS
to **22828** to get started.

Message and data rates may apply.

Message from the Vice Mayor



Vice Mayor Scott Newton **Growing Up With Mickel Field**

When I was a kid growing up in Wilton Manors, Mickel Field was home base for all the kids in the city. It was there that we learned sportsmanship, teamwork, and how to play baseball. It was on those fields that the parents formed friendships that strengthened the bonds within our community.

Of course, we kids have grown, and, like us, the city has grown up too. Our needs and wants have evolved and now Mickel Field is growing with us. The park, located at 2675 NW 7 Avenue, is undergoing significant redevelopment and is scheduled to reopen at a ceremony on July 25th at 10 a.m. The park will now offer a fitness trail with exercise stations, volleyball, a large pavilion, a substation for the police department, and a large stage for outdoor concerts and events. The softball field and playground remain. The park's amenities will serve all age groups and fitness levels.

I am most looking forward to the city events that we can now host at Mickel Park. I can imagine sitting out on a lawn chair with my friends and neighbors listening to great music and sharing a picnic. There will be some of us old-timers who will reminisce about our baseball days and how we taught our kids to play at the same field, but mostly, I will just think, "How lucky am I that I get to enjoy this special park again?" If you are new to Wilton Manors, I hope you will love Mickel Field as much as I do.

I hope your summer is fun and that you have a chance to relax. Please send me an email to SNewton@wiltonmanors.com if you would like to share your thoughts or suggestions about the City. 

Message from the Commissioner



Commissioner Julie Carson **Thank a City Employee Today**

At 6 years old, I peddled baby chicks for my father's feed and grain store in rural Missouri. At 14, I was a tennis pro shop manager for a Memphis Country Club, and at 16, I flipped burgers for Judy's Restaurant. After college, I began a 12-year career at a Nashville law firm followed by 13 years at a North Miami Beach real estate investment company. At each step in my professional life (except for the last two years at a local brokerage company), I was fortunate enough to be mentored by a caring and dedicated supervisor who instilled in me that the value of hard work is only surpassed by the honesty and integrity of an employee fulfilling such obligations.

For nearly forty years, I have worked tirelessly - until six months ago when I joined the ranks of the underemployed. As a small measure of happiness, my replacement was 25 years younger and less educated, but she lasted only a few months in the position. Only my family, meager withdrawals from my retirement account and the graciousness of part time employment offered by the State Rep. Katie Edwards Campaign have kept my spirits up.

While I am not sure of the lesson I am poised to learn, I do know that I am committed to being fully present



in my role as your City Commissioner and as a valuable member of our local community and my family. I remain especially dedicated to retaining quality City employees, and hiring new City Staff who share a common vision for the fiscal integrity and livability of Wilton Manors. Our City is a fair and impartial employer, and the City Manager and City Commission seek to ensure that those delivering City services are vested with the loyalty, honesty, and integrity that are the traditional hallmarks of our employee makeup and our employment practices. I hope to extend to City employees some of the kindnesses that were shared with me, and I want to insulate them from some of the harsh behaviors of the capitalist market.

Thank a City Employee today! You can always contact me at (954) 288-8174 or JCarson@wiltonmanors.com. 

Message from the Commissioner



Commissioner Tom Green **Pedestrian Safety**

Pedestrian safety continues to be a challenge along Wilton Drive. It has a great deal of “through” traffic, and a large number of pedestrians that don’t always pay enough attention when they are crossing the street. The situation would be greatly improved if there were more locations to cross the street with designated crosswalks and pedestrians were willing to use them.

Wilton Drive is part of the State Highway System (State Rd 811) with ownership and responsibility delegated to the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT). While Wilton Drive is the heart of our Arts and Entertainment District, it technically is not our road. That fact has made it difficult for the City to make the changes or improvements that we would like to see on the Drive. Now, however, the FDOT has begun to embrace the Complete Streets philosophy for highway design, which encourages safe roadways for bicyclists and pedestrians. And there is cautious optimism that things could improve.

Recently, with the help of Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) staff, I arranged for a meeting of representatives from the City of Wilton Manors, FDOT and City of Fort Lauderdale. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss ways to evaluate possible pedestrian enhancements from Five Points to Sunrise Blvd. and the processes required for approval. If the two cities can agree upon a unified plan for improvements, then there is a greater probability that it will be approved by FDOT. The City will continue to proactively work with FDOT and the MPO to create a more walkable environment on our roadways. There are several short-term improvements that we would like and several major long-term changes that will be more challenging because of funding restraints.

I believe improvements are critically needed and merely telling people “pedestrians must use crosswalks” is not enough. Crosswalks have to be provided before they can be used. There are only four crossing points between Five Points and the southern city limits along Wilton Drive. This number needs to be increased. And I believe it is now time we need to start looking for possible funding to make major changes on the Drive.

As always, please contact me with your ideas and concerns at (954) 290-0561 or tgreen@wiltonmanors.com. 



Message from the Commissioner



Commissioner Justin Flippen **Safety, Celebrations and Symbols of Wilton Manors**

Working in partnership with our businesses and civic groups, our police department has initiated a pedestrian awareness campaign to bring to the attention of drivers the need to obey traffic laws and be mindful of pedestrians and to educate everyone on the importance of using crosswalks. While we enjoy our city, whether behind the wheel or on foot, public safety depends upon everyone conducting themselves lawfully.

In July, Mickel Field will reopen. Repurposing Mickel Field was done in support of the city's Park Master Plan, which the commission adopted in 2010 during my first term of office, and in support of improving the Powerline Road corridor. I look forward to seeing many of you at Mickel Field as we celebrate the city's continued commitment to a park system designed for the recreational purposes of those I am so fortunate to serve.

The symbols of Wilton Manors – our city seal and logo – pursuant to State statute, were officially adopted under an initiative I brought before the city commission. As we work to strengthen the economic vitality of Wilton Manors by advancing the branding and name recognition of the city particularly through event sponsorship and local programming, organizations are now able to receive city permission to utilize our seal or logo for promotional purposes.

As many know, our current city manager, Joseph Gallegos, who has exemplarily served our city for 16 years, will retire in October. To replace him, we on the commission have chosen to elevate Assistant City Manager Leigh Ann Henderson to the post. Leigh Ann started as a part-time administrative assistant in the public services department 16 years ago. She has worked up the ranks, achieving a uniquely valuable history and understanding of our city government and the services we provide. Leigh Ann Henderson has my full confidence in becoming the new administrative head of our city, and I invite you to congratulate her as she begins the transition to her new role. Let us also be sure to thank outgoing City Manager Joseph Gallegos, who has steered our city through times of lean and plenty, yet has never sacrificed keeping our city one we all can be proud to call home.

As always, I invite you to voice your comments to me on any and all matters you deem important to the future of our Island City. Please feel free to contact me by email at JFlippen@wiltonmanors.com or by phone at (954) 390-2123.

In your service,
Justin S. Flippen, J.D. 



City Seal



City Logo

Message from the Leisure Services Department



Director Patrick Cann

“You can dream, create, design and build the most wonderful place in the world, but it requires people to make the dream a reality.”

--Walt Disney

Summer has begun, and Camp is off to a great start with more participants registered this year, 166, compared to the first week of registration last year, 115. I would like to commend the Community Affairs Advisory Board for coordinating a bicycle safety event on May 2nd, which sparked excellent awareness of safer bicycling opportunities. The Kiwanis Club continued their warm generosity of serving the

members in the U.S. Navy during Fleet Week. It was an honor to share the afternoon, during the Annual Volunteer Appreciation Lunch on May 9th, with so many dedicated residents who volunteer their time, talent and resources to support the city’s mission and enhance the quality of life.

The Annual Canoe Race and City Celebration held on Saturday, May 16, 2015, was a tremendous event with 23 teams participating. The event culminated with a wonderful BBQ for more than 500 in attendance. Congratulations to Blazing Paddles, 1st place for coed and overall, and the Islanders, 1st place in the men’s division. Special thanks to the volunteers and sponsors that ensured the success of the Annual Stonewall Street Festival and Parade on Saturday, June 20th, which was a great event. 

Parks and Recreation Month

July is Parks and Recreation Month and we are extremely excited about the **Mickel Park Ribbon Cutting Ceremony** on July 25th at 10 a.m. at Mickel Park. Festivities including a concert on the new stage, recreation demonstrations, food trucks and more will follow the ceremony. Additional parking will be at Saint Clement Church with free City shuttles during the event. Also in July is the Parents Night event that showcases the talent of the Summer Camp participants in an evening to remember on Thursday, July 30th.

Please contact our Leisure Services Department regarding our activities, events, park hours, fees, volunteer opportunities, etc. You may also contact one of our Team members at (954) 390-2130 and inform us of your leisure services’ needs. 

Your Input is Needed

Your input is needed for the 42nd year CDBG program, which is a grant allocated to the City through Federal Funds, for the Highland Estates Area. Please provide your input either in writing or feel free to contact me in the Leisure Services Department. Additionally, a focus group meeting will be held in July to gather input on ideas for the CDBG Grant. Please feel free to contact me if you are interested in participating.

The Leisure Services team is currently surveying community interests at Colohatchee Park. Please contact a team member at (954) 390-2130 or consider completing a survey at www.surveymonkey.com/r/colohatcheepark. We are also beginning a pilot program of nine (9) Doggie Litter Stations throughout City parks with sponsorship opportunities available. 

Featured Programs

Mentoring Young Leaders Program

Starting September 2015

When: Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5 p.m.

The Mentoring Young Leaders Program is an afterschool program offered to local high school students specially designed for the teens by the teens. The program provides the youth with opportunities to build on important skills, such as communication, planning, organizing and taking initiative. This year, young leaders were challenged to create projects and ways to improve their community. From this challenge, the youth collectively put in more than 90 hours of service in five months including park cleanup projects, playing Bingo with the residents at the local senior living facilities, helping out at the Equality Park Garden Club Tropical Plant Fair and assisting patrons at the Pride Center Flea Markets. Some fun program highlights from the year included the teens participating in yoga and meditation classes, CPR and first aid training, bowling trips, cooking classes and painting programs.

Additionally, guest speakers from various professional backgrounds such as, lawyers, artists, local sport coaches and police officers come in to talk to the teens. If you are interested in becoming a guest speaker, please call Gary Jackson at (954) 390-2130. 



Adventurous Adventure Camp 2015



When: August 2015 – Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Where: Island City Park Preserve, 823 N.E. 28th Street, Wilton Manors.

Contact: (954) 390-2130 or (954) 390-2115

The Summer Adventure Camp (for children in Kindergarten through 8th Grade) is designed as a highly structured three-week program, is sponsored by the City of Wilton Manors Leisure Services Department and is organized and supervised by our certified Recreation and Childcare Professionals. Camp programming offers many special activities and planned field trips. Some of the trip destinations include:

Movies, Jungle Island, Metro Zoo, Roller Skating, Bowling and much more!

Week #1 August 3 - August 7, 2015

Week #2 August 10 - August 14, 2015

Week #3 August 17 - August 21, 2015

Registration Fee: \$40, if you did not attend the first 8 weeks (one-time, non-refundable)

Program Fees (Lunch, Snacks and Daily Trips Included):

Resident: \$115.00 Per Week (\$88.00 Second Child) (\$80.00 Third Child)

Non-Resident: \$145.00 Per Week (\$120.00 Second Child) (\$80.00 Third Child)

Resident: \$30 Daily

Non-Resident: \$35 Daily 

Featured Programs

Island City Summer Camp 2015

When: June 8th through July 31st, 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
 Where: Wilton Manors Elementary School, 2401 NE 3rd Avenue., Wilton Manors.
 Contact: (954) 390-2130 or (954) 390-2115
 Breakfast, lunch and a snack will be offered daily.

Children, age 4 or older (as of Sept. 1, 2015), are invited to participate in Island City Summer Camp. Divided according to age, each group will rotate through various activity areas including; arts and crafts, outdoor games, dance, modeling, free play, board games, story time and reading, science fun, contests, and special events each Friday. Each week, several trips will be offered for additional fees if you

choose to participate. The trips will include: Kabooms, roller-skating, ice-skating, bowling, Boomers, cultural art performances, movies and more! Breakfast, lunch and a snack will be offered daily.

One-time, non-refundable registration fee: \$10 per child /\$15 per family

Discount Package for the entire 8-Week:

- 1st Child \$560.00
- 2nd Child \$480.00
- 3rd Child \$400.00

Regular Rates:

- \$80.00 per Week (\$70.00 Second Child, \$60.00 Third Child)
- \$30 Daily 



Wilton Manors After School Program

School starts on August 24th

Where is the “BEST” place to send your children after school? The best place is Best After School Hours (B.A.S.H.) License #45455, where your child will be cared for year round by certified staff. B.A.S.H. offers each child a nutritious healthy snack, assistance with completing homework and an opportunity to develop positive social interactions. The youth engage in challenging educational and recreational activities, arts & crafts, and dramatics. Most importantly, B.A.S.H. is a place for your children to have fun after a long school day. 

Now Offering Before School Care at Wilton Manors Elementary School

The City of Wilton Manors Leisure Services Department will be offering Before School Care starting August 24, 2015 from 6:45 to 7:45 a.m. at Wilton Manors Elementary School, 2401 NE 3RD Ave. for Wilton Manors Elementary School students ONLY.

For more information and to register, call (954) 390-2130. 



Island City Yard Sales



Registration Begins August 1st

The City of Wilton Manors sponsors six City Yard Sales each year at Hagen Park/City Hall, located at 2020 Wilton Drive, on the second Saturday of the month, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., from November 2015 through April 2016. Spaces, for the November 14th yard sale will be available for purchase starting August 1, 2015. Last year, the yard sales hosted 60 to 90 vendors, so register early while there is still space. Tents, Chairs and Tables are available for rental. For space reservations or more information, please call the Leisure Services Department at 954-390-2115 or 954-390-2130.

The yard sale is free to the public. Concessions will also be available for purchase, so you can eat while you shop. Come join us and find value items at low cost. Vendors sell everything from linens and clothes to furniture, and home decorative items. Some vendors specialize in antiques, plants and collectables. 

Featured Classes

Square Dancing

When: Thursdays 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Where: Island City Park Preserve (823 NE 28th Street, Wilton Manors)

Cost: \$5.00 per class

Contact: (954) 390-2115

Yee Haa!!! Come on out and kick up your heels for a stomping good time and learn to Circle Left/Right, Do Sa Do, Forward This is a great way to meet new people, exercise, and have a lot of fun. This is a beginner's class.

Zumba

When: Mondays through Wednesdays 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Where: Island City Park Preserve (823 NE 28TH Street, Wilton Manors)

Contact: (954) 661-9127

Are you ready to party yourself into shape? Forget the workout, just lose yourself in the music and find yourself in shape at the original dance-fitness party. Zumba® classes feature exotic rhythms set to high-energy Latin and international beats. Before you know it, you'll be getting fit and your energy levels will be soaring! It's easy to do, effective and totally exhilarating. Join the Party! 

Capital Projects and Grants



Community Development Block Grant Projects

Earlier this year, the City completed construction of fitness stations at Island City Park Preserve (ICPP). This project was funded through Broward County's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. The next project to be funded by CDBG will be an expansion and resurfacing of the existing basketball court at ICPP. Construction on the basketball court will commence sometime in the fall of 2015. The City held a public hearing at the June 9th commission meeting to discuss a future CDBG project with a second public hearing to be held at the July 14th meeting. If you would like to provide input at this hearing, please attend the July 14th Commission meeting. Please note that funding may only go toward projects benefiting the Highland Estates Area of Wilton Manors.



The First Annual Free Tree Giveaway

The City has been awarded a \$5,000 Think Green® grant from Keep America Beautiful, the nation's leading non-profit that builds clean, green, and beautiful communities. The grant was one of only 39 awarded to Keep America Beautiful community-based affiliates and partner organizations across the country. The grant will fund Wilton Manors' first annual Free Tree Giveaway.

The event will be held on January 23, 2016 and provide free trees and shrubs to City residents. More information regarding the giveaway will be provided later in the year.

If you have questions regarding this or any other capital project in the City, please contact Todd DeJesus, Capital Projects and Grants Manager at (954) 630-3101 or tdejesus@wiltonmanors.com. 

School's Day Out Program

The School's Day-Out Program is open on teachers' workdays and closed on legal holidays. On non-school weekdays when the City of Wilton Manors Leisure Services Department is open, the program hours are 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. A field trip or special activity will be a part of the day. The cost of the program ranges from \$14.00 to \$25.00 per day/child, which includes the field trip or activity of the day. Children must bring a brown bag lunch unless otherwise instructed. This program will be held at Island City Park Preserve in Wilton Manors at 823 Northeast 28 Street.

For more information, please call the Leisure Services Department at (954) 390-2130. 

New E-Books at Your Library

Teach a Woman to Fish

Ritu Sharma's Teach a Woman to Fish is the firsthand account of one woman's rugged travels through three impoverished nations, and of the women living, struggling, and overcoming the forces that threaten to keep them in poverty.



Dreaming on Daisies

Fiery redhead Leah Carlson must find a way to save her ranch and open her heart in Dreaming on Daisies, the captivating final book in Miralee Ferrell's Love Blossoms in Oregon series.

Rose Gold

When Rosemary Goldsmith, the daughter of a weapons manufacturer, is kidnapped from her dorm at UC Santa Barbara with demands to be met or "Rose Gold" will die, the LAPD turns to Easy Rawlins to resolve the dangerous standoff in Rose Gold by Walter Mosley.



Spare Parts

Spare Parts by Joshua Davis, says Chris Anderson, author of The Long Tail, "is one of those rare stories that grabs hold and doesn't let go. It's hilarious, sad, and beautifully told. It will make you think hard about what it means to be American and where we will find the next generation of talent."

Different Dreams

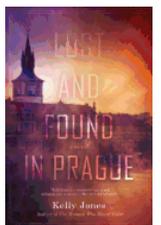
In Different Dreams, the second book in a new Western romance series by Rita Award nominee Tory Cates, a woman struggles to keep the ranch she's worked so hard for -- against a man who melts her heart.

The Ultra Thin Man

In the twenty-second century, a future in which mortaline wire controls the weather on the settled planets and entire refugee camps drowse in drug-induced slumber, no one -- alive or dead, human or alien -- is quite what they seem. When terrorists manage to crash Coral, the moon, into its home planet of Ribon, forcing evacuation, it's up to Dave Crowell and Alan Brindos, contract detectives for the Network Intelligence Organization, to solve a case of interplanetary consequences. In this novel from Patrick Swenson, Crowell and Brindos are forced to fight through the intrigue to discover the depths of an interstellar conspiracy. And to answer the all-important question: Who, and what, is The Ultra Thin Man?

Lost and Found in Prague

Kelly Jones, the author of The Woman Who Heard Color, transports readers to a dreary Good Friday in Prague, where a mysterious death sets off a tangled chain of events that inexorably draws three strangers together -- and forever changes their lives in Lost and Found in Prague.



Youth Programs at Your Library

Preschool Storytime

Preschool Storytime takes place every Monday at 10:30 a.m. in the Library's Children's room. This program of songs and fingerplays is for children 2 to 5 years of age and their parents and caregivers.

Family Storytime

Come to Family Storytime for stories, songs and more every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. This fun program is for ages 3 and older.

Special Summer Events

July 22nd at 4 p.m.

Join us as Geddy the Gecko returns to share dances from around the world.

July 29th at 4 p.m.

Summer Reading prizes will be awarded at the Ice

Cream Party for Reading Program participants. There will be balloon animals for all!

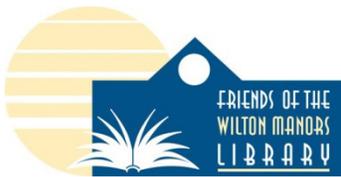
August 5th at 4 p.m.

Stevens Puppets will perform the astounding Aladdin.

These free events, for all ages, are sponsored by the Friends of the Wilton Manors Library. 



Friends of the Library



Want to help the Library? Join the Friends! The Friends of the Library is a volunteer group that exists to enrich the cultural and educational opportunities

within our community. The Friends provide funding for the Library's extensive DVD and audio book collections. They also sponsor Library programs throughout the year. Membership applications are available at the Library and on their web site - FriendsoftheWiltonManorsLibrary.org.

The Friends of the Library will once again hold their Book Fair on Saturday, July 11th, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. inside the Hagen Park Community Center, 2020 Wilton Dr. At the Book Fair, you will find used books, CDs, audio books, DVDs, and videos in exchange for a small donation. Top sellers range from books on tape to children's DVDs, from cookbooks to gardening manuals. All donations benefit the Wilton Manors Library. The Friends will also take your donations of books and audio and video materials at the Book Fair, or you may drop them off at the Library, at 500 NE 26th Street. 

Island City Book Club

The Library book discussion group meets on the third Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Please call (954) 390-2195 for book titles and further information or check our web site at www.wiltonmanors.com/library. 

Message from the Police Chief

Chief Paul O'Connell



Night Out Against Crime

Mark your Calendars! Please join me and other members of your Wilton Manors Police Department and your City Commissioners at our next National Night Out Against Crime which will be held on

Tuesday, August 4, 2015 at various neighborhood locations throughout the city. Please check our Wilton Manors Police Department website for details: www.wmpd.org. We look forward to meeting all of you, your families, your friends and your neighbors as we celebrate this event which brings together the very best of our community!

Remember....KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR; KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

The above phrase is the essence of Night Out Against Crime as it gets us out of the house and into the neighborhood to meet our neighbors, banding together to make Wilton Manors a great community!

Speaking of Crime – 2014 UCR Report

Each year the FBI & FDLE work with local law enforcement to produce the Uniform Crime Report which tracks Part I crimes (Homicide, Sexual Assault, Robbery, Burglary, Larceny, Auto Theft & Aggravated Assault). Wilton Manors experienced a slight decrease in the crime rate in 2014 when compared with 2013. Needless to say WMPD has work to do but we are going in the right direction. Two highlights in this report were: Wilton Manors had a 39% decrease in the number of burglaries since 2013 and our clearance rate of 24.6% was the highest since 2000; WMPD is proud of both achievements! 



Who Are You Going to Call - 911?

As you know, Broward County is leading the efforts to consolidate all Public Safety Dispatch in our County. It is a daunting task that now enters its 9th month. No doubt, there have been and continues to be “bumps in the road.” On May 12, 2015 the County Commission hired Mission Critical Partners to serve as the County’s Technical Consultant and to provide detailed analysis and evaluation of solutions to replace the County’s existing and aging radio system. The County anticipates that this will be an 18-24 month phased project. In the meantime, we need to remember the following:

Emergency: 911

Non-emergency need for a police officer to respond: 954-764-HELP (4357)

Wilton Manors Front Desk: 954-390-2150 

9-1-1 vs Non-emergency

Public Safety

CITY OF WILTON MANORS

CITY HALL HOURS: MON-THURS 7AM-6PM (390-2100)
POLICE STATION WALK-IN HOURS: MON-FRI 7AM-10PM; SAT 10AM-5PM

“Who You Gonna Call?”

All Phone Numbers shown are (954) Area Code

Volunteer Opportunities
390-2130

LEISURE SERVICES
390-2130

Sports 390-2195

Library 390-2195

Tree Removal 519-1224
(Peter Burke, Broward County)

Parking Meter Issues
566-3704

Road kill / Dead animal
390-2190

Watering violations:
In progress: 764-4357 (HELP)
After the fact: 390-2151

Tree Canopy Program
390-2130

Mosquito Control
765-4062

Broken traffic signal
390-2190 or 847-2600

Street signs
390-2190

Signs on poles (illegal)
390-2151

Garage Sale

Trash can constantly in front of the house
390-2151

Street lights
390-2190

Fire hydrant leaking
390-2190 or Emerg. 390-2150

Dog barking/running loose
764-4357 (HELP)

Police / Fire / EMS: 9-1-1 or Police Dispatch: 764-4357 (HELP) or **Info Only: 390-2150***
 *Mon-Fri: 7am-10pm; Sat: 10am-5pm

Visit the City online at: www.wiltonmanors.com

Water/Sewer Breaks and General Public Works: 390-2190
After Hours: 390-2150

Building Permits: 390-2180 or E-mail

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Calling the Right Phone Number to Get a Police/Fire Response

The Wilton Manors Police Department promotes several phone numbers to the public as it relates to maintaining quality communications with our residents. Knowing which one to contact may mean the difference between a prompt police response or a call to an incorrect number which can delay our response to an emergency situation. Although every situation can be unique to itself and the decision whether or not to call 9-1-1 or the non-emergency line may not be easily identified, the W.M.P.D. would like to provide you with some general information to assist you with making the right choice.

When should I dial 9-1-1?

9-1-1 is the number to dial for in-progress crimes or when a life and death emergency response is needed from the police or fire/rescue departments.

How do I know if it is an emergency?

Ask yourself if the police or fire/rescue departments are needed right now to protect life or property. If the answer is yes then dial 9-1-1.

9-1-1 vs Non-emergency Cont'd.

9-1-1 Emergency Examples:

- Traffic accidents with injuries
- Structure Fires
- Life-threatening illness
- Person choking
- Someone breaking into your home now, or one of your neighbors' homes
- Shootings
- Fights or displays of weapons

When should I not call 9-1-1?

A "Non-Emergency" call is simply a request for the service of Law Enforcement, Fire, or EMS personnel that is not a life or death situation. Examples are:

- Vandalism
- Barking dog
- Loud party
- "Minor" personal injuries
- Abandoned vehicle
- Delayed burglary or larceny where no culprit is on the scene
- Non-emergency situations should be reported to (954) 764-HELP (4357)

If I have a concern regarding dispatching services who do I report it to?

Your concern should be reported to the Wilton Manors P.D. Operations Commander. Information you will be asked to provide will include the date and time of the incident in question, the address of the incident and what the specific concern is. This information will be used to conduct an inquiry into the event to identify what improvements can be made if necessary.

For more information on the 911 process visit our website at www.wiltonmanors.com/911. 

Automobile Burglary Prevention Tips



In recent months, citizens of Wilton Manors have seen a spike in car burglaries. Video surveillance systems have recorded the offenders in action. The recordings revealed that the culprits walked from car to car checking to see if the doors were locked. In each instance, if the car doors were locked, they simply moved onto the next car. They did not break the windows as doing so would have drawn attention to them. When an unlocked automobile was discovered, the criminal searched through the car and stole what they could. He or she then proceeded to the next vehicle in search of more unlocked doors and more items to steal.

These burglaries only take a matter of seconds. What we need to do is to make their job more difficult by slowing them down. There are several steps that you can take to make your vehicle less of a target for thieves:

1. **LOCK YOUR CAR DOORS!!** Experience has taught us that over 80% of our car burglaries were done on unlocked cars. This is the simplest and most effective way to enhance the prevention process.
2. Keep your vehicle free from debris and limit what is kept inside of it. Do not leave purses, wallets, G.P.S., MP3 players or iPods, computers, tablets, book-bags, sunglasses, money, or ANYTHING of value, inside your car. If there is nothing of value in plain view, the thief will move onto the next target.

3. Often, the thief does surveillance by watching you exit the car. Does a female bring her purse with her? Does a male place a laptop in the trunk before walking away? Both these actions send a message to the thief who is watching. The female has her purse, so find another target. The male has left a laptop in the trunk; "I have found a target." It is always safer to bring the item of value with you.

4. Try to park your automobile in a well-lit and populated area. Be aware of your surroundings and take note of people loitering in the area.

If you do observe people in the area loitering, lifting door handles, or looking into car windows, immediately report those persons to the police by calling 911. Report that you believe there is a burglary in progress and the actions you see to support this belief. Recognize that many criminal cases have been solved because citizens have taken the initiative to call 911 to report the in-progress crime. Calling the police can make a difference!

If it doesn't look right, it probably isn't. If you see suspicious people or unusual occurrences, call the police right away. You have the option to meet with an officer or you can choose to remain anonymous if that makes you feel more comfortable. 



A Message from the Code Compliance Unit

The Wilton Manors Code Compliance Unit frequently receives complaints regarding the proper storage of trash and recycle receptacles, as well as early placement curbside. To assist us in gaining compliance through public education, the Code Compliance Unit will soon begin using an orange adhesive “Courtesy Notice” for violations of this nature. The “Courtesy Notice” will be affixed to receptacles found to be in violation and can be easily removed by the owner.

shall only remain in areas adjacent to the sidewalk or street the preceding night to and during the day of pickup.”

“LANDLORD-TENANT”

Code Compliance frequently receives inquiries relating to landlord-tenant issues. The following are a few of the more common questions and is intended to provide guidance for a tenant.

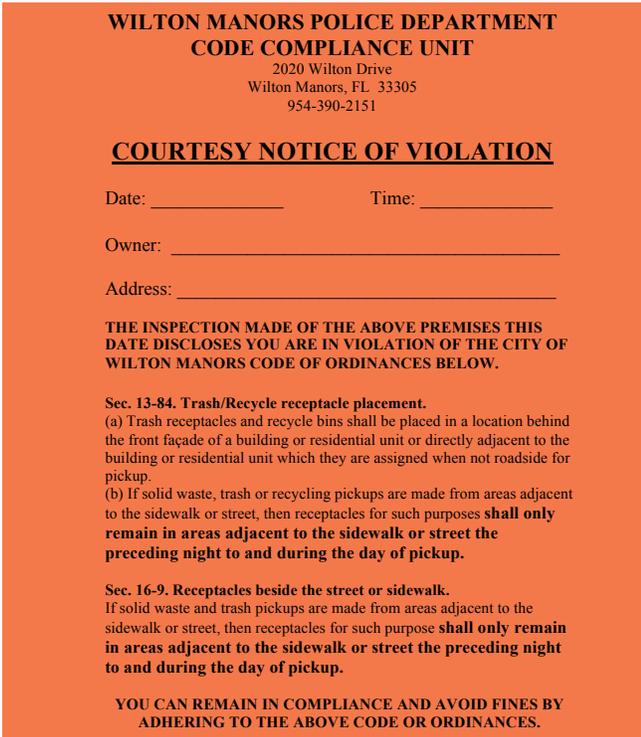
I have mold in my apartment?

If your apartment is in a large building (or rental complex) containing five or more rental units, contact the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation at 850-487-1395, as that state agency has jurisdiction over landlords of large apartment buildings and/or complexes. If your apartment is in a small building containing four or less rental units, consult a private attorney to explore possible courses of action. You should not withhold your rent since doing so will provide your landlord with the right to pursue an eviction action against you.

The roof is leaking on the house I am renting and my landlord refuses to repair it?

Florida Statutes require landlords of private houses and duplexes to maintain the structure of the building (roof, foundation, outside walls, and plumbing pipes and electrical wiring inside the walls). You should contact the Code Compliance office, report the violation and request that a Code Compliance Officer inspect the roof. If the Code Compliance Officer determines that a violation exists, a notice of violation will be issued to your landlord for failure to comply with the building code.

The City of Wilton Manors Code Compliance Unit thanks you for your continued support in continuing to make the “Island City” a desirable place to live, work and recreate. 



We ask for your assistance by adhering to Section 13-84 of the Code of Municipal Ordinance: “Trash receptacles and recycle bins shall be placed in a location behind the front facade of a building or residential unit or directly adjacent to the building or residential unit to which they are assigned when not roadside for pickup.”

Additionally, Section 16-9 requires “If solid waste and trash pickups are made from areas adjacent to the sidewalk or street, then receptacles for such purpose

Focus on the City's Non-Profits



SunServe

MORE THAN JUST COUNSELING... Since 2002 SunServe has grown to seven departments that help people ranging in age from 11 to 97. We love what we do and are STILL expanding to serve your needs! We provide:

- Youth Groups
- LGBTQ Cultural Proficiency Trainings
- Therapy/Counseling
- HOPWA Housing Case Management
- Project AIDS Care Case Management
- Transgender Services
- Noble A. McArtor Senior Day Center
- LCBTQA Youth Prom/Dances
- Senior Services

Take a look at what a few people have said about the help SunServe has given the community:

“SunServe helped me figure out who I am. I have friends and adults who care about me now, I no longer feel suicidal.” -Taken from Youth Department Satisfaction Survey

One of our participants in the Mind Over Money Course said: “Before coming to SunServe and this class, I wouldn’t have food in my house most of the month and my FPL would get turned off, Now, I have food in my refrigerator and I paid all of my bills this month.” -Mind Over Money Facilitator

“This is only my second time attending the Trans-men support group, but this is the first time I have ever felt truly accepted.” -Trans-men Group Participant



“The HIV housing program literally saved my life. I didn’t know where to turn for help to keep my home. I was scared. SunServe helped me keep a roof over my head!”

-HOPWA Housing Case Management Client

“SunServe helped a Lesbian friend of mine keep her full-time job and avoid placing her Mother in a Nursing Home by providing daycare services.” -Noble A. McArtor Volunteer

Being right here in the heart of Wilton Drive makes it possible for you to become a part of the “we” in we help people. Whether as a volunteer, client or employee, SunServe is your hometown social services agency. Visit our website at www.sunserve.org or call us today at (954) 764-5150!

Bryan Wilson
Administrative Director 



Make Your Next Event Memorable



Whether you are planning a meeting, wedding, reception or party, make it special. Make it unique. Make it an unforgettable event. The City of Wilton Manors has more than eight indoor and outdoor venues to rent that offer:

- Affordable rental rates
- Full service kitchen space
- Stages
- Tables and chairs
- Professional sound system
- Pavilions
- Gazebos
- Grills
- Parking
- And more



For more information call (954) 390-2130 or visit www.wiltonmanors.com

Rental Venues

Features



Colohatchee Park & Boat Ramp

1975 NE 15th Ave. Wilton Manors, 33305

Rental hours: 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

Capacity: Up to 75 people

Features: 35' x 24' (840 sq. ft.) Pavilion with eight picnic tables and large grill. Outdoor space includes, playground, volleyball and basketball court, dog park and boat ramp

Hagen Park Community Center

2020 Wilton Drive, Wilton Manors 33305

Rental hours: Fri & Sat 8am-12am, Mon- Thurs 8am-11pm

Capacity: 160 people

Features: Room space: 48' x 67' multipurpose room that can be divided (and rented) into two separate rooms. Full service kitchen: with ice maker, counter space, microwave, large refrigerator/freezer, and sink. Includes: Tables & Chairs (15 round and/or 16 rectangle tables); Large screen TV; VCR; DVD player; Piano

Pavilion at Hagen Park

Rental hours: 8am-Sundown

Capacity: 60 people

Features: 31' x 21' (651 sq. ft.) Pavilion with five picnic tables and large grill. Outdoor space

includes, playground, restrooms, gazebo, sand volleyball, basketball and tennis courts

Island City Park Preserve

823 NE 28th Street in Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Rental hours: 8am-11pm

Capacity: 100 people

Features: Main Room with full kitchen with ice maker, counter space, microwave and commercial warmer. Includes tables & chairs (10 round and/or 10 rectangular tables) and sound system

Outside Space:

Rental hours: 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. (Monday through Friday) / 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. (Saturday and Sunday)

One 31' x 20' pavilion with picnic tables and grill and two pavilions with picnic tables available for Rent. Capacity: 25 people (per pavilion). Outdoor space includes: Playground and basketball court

Richardson Historic Park & Nature Preserve

1937 Wilton Drive, Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Rental hours: 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 a.m.

Capacity: 50 people

Features: Manor House with kitchen area (refrigerator, counter space, ice machine, warming oven and microwave). Includes: Tables & Chairs (10 round and/or 7 rectangular tables); Television; Sound System. Outdoor space includes: 16 picnic tables, nature trail & kayak rentals available. 20'x60' Courtyard /Capacity: Up to 75 people / Rental hours: 8 a.m.-11 p.m. 30' x 64' Pavilion with water access and large grill / Capacity: 100 people / Rental hours: 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Woman's Club

600 NE 21st Court, Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Rental hours: 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.

Capacity: 75 people

Features: Tables & Chairs (10 round and/or 10 rectangular tables) 

CANA'S Corner

The Heart of Wilton Manors Beats Here ...



A Message from CANA President Paul Rolli CANA at work!

President Paul Rolli met with:

- City staff on the installation of lighted crosswalks at NE 20 St. and Wilton Drive as a follow up to the April CANA Meeting
- GENCO Construction on a proposed townhouse development on NE 8th Avenue
- Association Presidents about having a ROAD & Safety Symposium to discuss related issues



CANA Updates

- BID Board - Ten homesteaded property owners applied for the one resident position on the BID Board.
- Stonewall - Representatives from the three Associations staffed an information booth to showcase their organizations.
- CANA Success! Art Gallery 21 - a community project started by CANA is leaving the nest to fly solo. AG21 has its own corporate status and is applying for IRS tax-exempt status. In the meantime, your tax-exempt donations can be made through the Island City Foundation for AG21. For more information, email artgallery21wcwm@gmail.com.

Save the Date

- Road Symposium with City, County and State officials on public safety and road issues.: July 15 @ 7 p.m. @ Hagen Park – Free parking
- Next CANA Meeting: October 21 @ Hagen Park @ 7 p.m. – Free parking



CANA CAN!

Contact us: membership@canawm.org or visit us: www.canawm.org.

Paul J. Rolli, President • Fred Caplan, Vice President • Don D'Arminio, Treasurer • Brent White, Secretary • Constance Ruppender & James Cromar, Directors 

Westside Association of Wilton Manors



The Westside Association of Wilton Manors also known as WAWM, is a voluntary civic and social association of people who want to build a sense of community that works together for the benefit of everyone. In addition, our goal is to provide a voice for mutual neighborhood concerns.

SUMMER ON THE WESTSIDE

- Public Safety and Roadway Symposium Joint Neighborhood Association Meeting**
 Wednesday, July 15th, 2015 at 7 p.m., Hagen Park Community Center
 An informative evening to hear from city and regional planning officials on the topic of roadway safety, pedestrian concerns and bike lanes.
- Mickel Park Dedication Ceremony**
 Saturday, July 25, 2015 at 10 a.m.
 Time for the Westside to come out and celebrate the new Mickel Park.
- Annual Summer Bowling Social**
 Saturday, August 29th, 2015 at 1 p.m., Manor Lanes
 Free social event to all WAWM members.



Many thanks to all who participated in the 24th Annual Canoe Race and City's Birthday Celebrations in May. WAWM Team came in 11th Place out of over twenty teams - much better than our last place finish last year. The Westside just keeps getting better and better!!



Contact us at wawm.org@gmail.com or visit our website at www.wawm.org.

Sal Torre- President, Rick Ellison- Vice President, Kate Donohue – Secretary, Van Gosselin- Treasurer
 Directors- Juan Carlos Cortes, Matt Ferrelli, Jake Valentine 

Schedule for Bulk Trash & Recycling

If your regular garbage pickup days are Monday & Thursday, your bulk trash days are Thursdays:



July 23 Aug 20 Sept 24
 Recycling Day: Thursday

If your regular garbage pickup days are Tuesday & Friday, your bulk trash days are Tuesdays:

July 21 Aug 18 Sept 22
 Recycling Day: Friday

If your regular garbage pickup days are Wednesday & Saturday, your bulk trash days are Wednesdays:

July 22 Aug 19 Sept 23
 Recycling Day: Wednesday



PLEASE NOTE: Bulk pickup is NOT scheduled for a particular week of the month (such as the third week of the month), but varies from month to month—so it's important to mark your calendar for the actual date each month.

Watering Schedule

Residents and businesses are limited to a two-day-per-week landscape irrigation schedule with two “watering windows”

ODD Street Addresses	Wednesdays & Saturdays	12:00am-10:00am and/or 4:00pm-11:59pm
EVEN Street Addresses	Thursdays & Sundays	12:00am-10:00am and/or 4:00pm-11:59pm

REMEMBER: NO lawn watering is allowed between 10:00 am and 4:00 pm any day of the week! The Code Compliance Unit is issuing citations for violations of the water usage schedule!

For additional information on the water shortage, irrigation restrictions or water conservation, call the South Florida Water Management District's toll-free Water Conservation Hotline at 1-800-662-8876 or visit www.sfwmd.org.

Helpful water conservation tips are available at www.savewaterfl.com.



AROUND TOWN

1. WMPD photo shoot for campaign against drunk driving at Colohatchee Park on June 8th.
2. City Commission proclaimed May as Bike Month at April 28th City Commission Meeting.
3. Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon at Hagen Park Community Center on May 9th.
4. City Commission raised LGBTQ Pride flag in front of City Hall on June 10th.
5. Island City Canoe Race champions receive their trophy after race on May 16th.





The City of Wilton Manors
2020 Wilton Drive
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Your Guide To What's Happening In The Island City.

Have You Visited Yet?

The Island City Art Market

ART SALE!

40 Paintings from 21 Broward County Artists
Oils ♦ Watercolors ♦ Acrylics ♦ Pastels
Landscapes ♦ Portraits ♦ Still Lifes
Priced from \$95 to \$1,250

15% of each sale will be donated by the artist to Art Gallery 21,
a Florida nonprofit organization working in partnership with
the Wilton Manors Leisure Services Department.

Art Gallery 21
at the

Woman's Club of Wilton Manors
600 NE 21 Court, Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Call or text 954-661-4740 to make an appointment to see the art.
Thank you for your support.

