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For an appointment with any City Commissioner or the City Manager, please call 863-984-1375 x 238
City Commission Meetings are the **3rd Monday** each month at 7:00 pm

Recap of January 16, 2018 City Commission Meeting

1. Discuss and Select Payment Options for Bryant Property Purchase - Commission approved to use City funds and not finance
2. Discuss Vehicles in Public Works and Utilities - Commission moved to a workshop
3. Ordinance 2018-01 – Hold a Referendum as a required condition before buying or selling a water or wastewater utility; requiring sixty percent of those voting to vote in favor of buying or selling such a utility. Approved on First Reading. Second and Final Reading will at the Regular City Commission Meeting on February 19, 2018.

Polk City Municipal Election

Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with Section 100.021, Florida Statutes, Polk City in Polk County, Florida, will hold a Municipal Election on Tuesday, April 3, 2018. The following seats are up for a four-year term: Seat 2, Seat 4 and Seat 5. The following seat is up to fill an unexpired term ending 4/2020: Seat 3. Qualifying begins at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, February 12, 2018, and ends at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 15, 2018. Candidates must submit qualifying papers and pay qualifying fees and election assessment fees during this period at the Office of the City Clerk, located at 123 Broadway Blvd., SE in Polk City. Candidates shall be qualified electors of Polk City, and all candidates shall have continuously been residents of Polk City for a period of six (6) months. Please contact the City Manager at 863-984-1375, ext. 237, or the Assistant to the City Manager at 863-984-1375, ext. 238 for more information.

Welcome to Polk City



WELCOME AII-IN-BBQ 205 Broadway Blvvd SE (next door to City Hall). Stop in to say hello, meet the owner, Joseph Powell and try some of their delicious BBQ, a variety of sides and ice cream. All-In-BBQ is open seven days a week from 11:00 am – 8:00 pm. Phone number is 863-604-5045.

Utilities – Email Billing

Polk City is excited to announce a new email service feature that will allow customers to receive important information in a timely manner. Taking advantage of this feature will allow you to receive monthly bill, newsletters, information on upcoming events, major water line breaks, boil water notices and much more. You can call us to provide your email address or include it on your payment stub.

If you have any questions, please call 863-874-4808. Thank you for your patience as we continue to improve on providing world class customer service to the residents of Polk City.

Polk City Library



Juvenile Book Club (Grades 3-5) will be held Monday, February 26, 2018 from 4:00 pm - 5:00 p.m. This month's book is "*The Chicken Squad*" by Doreen Cronin. Please stop by the Library and order your copy today.



Story Time (Ages 1-4) will be Wednesday, February 14, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m, followed by a small Valentine Party from 10:30 am – 11:30 am.



Young Adult Book Club (Grades 6-9) will be held Tuesday, February 20, 2018 from 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm. This month's books is "*Ender's Game*" by Orson Scott Card.

Book Club (Adults) will be held Tuesday, February 20, 2018 at 6:00 pm. This month the Book is "*The Doll House*" by Fiona Davis. Please stop by the Library and order your copy today.



Craft Day will be held Wednesday, February 14, 2018 from 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm. Join in for fun creative crafts.

Other Happenings Around Polk City/Polk County

Senior Mobile Services

Date/Time: Every Wednesday, 10 am – 2 pm

Venue: Polk City Activity Center, 203 Lake Shore Drive, Polk City

Catholic Charities Mobile Services program offers outreach services to create a place where seniors 55 years of age or older can come together in a safe environment that helps stimulate the mind and body. This program promotes the concept of healthy and informed aging by providing opportunities to socialize with other seniors and offering a wide variety of programs designed to address issues relative to keeping our participants healthy and self-sufficient. Free exercise classes, free lunch, free fresh produce distribution once per month, games, activities and crafts, nutritional seminars, free health checks and so much more.

MOSN Yard Sale

Date/Time: March 10, 2018; 8:00 am – 2:00 pm

Venue: Mount Olive Shores North (intersection of Lake Margaret Drive and Hwy 33)

MOSN will hold its Community Yard Sale with over 50 households selling items you may be looking for. Please no early arrivals.

Spring Fling Craft Fair and Car Show

Date/Time: March 17, 2018; 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Venue: Mt. Olive Shores North

Featuring hand crafted items including: Jewelry, handbags, quilts & Embroidered Items, Paper Crats, Knitted Crafts, Woodworking Items.

Chain of Lakes Eggfest

Date/Time: Saturday, February 24, 2018, 10 am – 3 pm

Venue: The Boys & Girls Club, 2400 Havendale Blvd.

What is an Eggfest? An Eggfest is a cooking event where EGGheads, who travel from all over the country, show off their talents on The Big Green Egg. The Big Green Egg is a complete outdoor cooking system that can grill, roast, smoke, bake, and more! Come out and sample food made in The Big Green Egg! For more information, please visit <https://www.mywinterhaven.com/event/chain-of-lakes-eggfest>.

***If you have community activities or news that would be of interest to the Polk City service area, please contact Sheandolen Dunn – sheandolen.dunn@mypolkcity.org – 863-984-1375, extension 238.*