



# The City of DELTONA



*City of Deltona - Proud to be part of it...*

## Learn to be more energy efficient at free seminars

**T**HE CITY OF DELTONA AND VOLUSIA COUNTY HAVE ALREADY CONDUCTED TWO, OUT OF A series of at least six seminars, dedicated to showing residents how to save money through energy conservation. Staff from the Volusia County Extension has provided excellent speakers on various environmental topics, coordinated through the City of Deltona.

The topics of the seminars will include trees to conserve energy, winterizing your home, landscaping to conserve energy, and water conservation in and around the home, among others. A majority of the energy conservation seminars will take place in the Scrub Jay Auditorium, at the Deltona Regional Library at 2150 Eustace Avenue, and will begin at 3:30 p.m.

Because of limited seating, the public is encouraged to pre-register for the seminars. Send your name and contact information to [energy@deltonafl.gov](mailto:energy@deltonafl.gov). People can also register in person at the Deltona Regional Library.

These seminars are sponsored by the City's Energy Efficiency Conservation Block Grant Program, and will continue through June of 2012. Through the program, the City is offering \$10 off coupons for energy efficient light bulbs. Please use the one below, redeemable at three locations in **Deltona only**. Americans could collectively save more than \$8 billion each year by replacing their five most used light fixtures with ENERGY STAR qualified products. In addition to using 75 percent less energy than incandescent bulbs, compact fluorescent bulbs generate less heat and last 10 times longer.

### Future Seminars

- January 13 - Saving Energy at Home/Part 1
- February 10 - Landscaping to Conserve Energy
- March 9 - Water Conservation In & Around the Home
- April 13th- Saving Energy at Home/Part 2
- May 11th- Trees to Conserve Energy
- June 15th- Mold & Mildew: What Every Homeowner Should Know

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### Commitment

*We accept the challenge of change and are committed to the future of this City and this community. We are committed to continually enhancing the safety, environment, quality of life, and economic sustainability of our community. We are problem solvers, and we constantly look for new and better ways to deliver services. We seek to be innovative, take reasonable risks, learn from our mistakes and always strive for excellence.*

Para recibir una copia en Español, favor de llamar al (386) 878-8756.

COUPON PROVIDED BY THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY CONSERVATION BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM.

**Save Energy & Save Money**  
**(and continue to save money)**




**Up to \$10 OFF**

**City of Deltona**  
**Florida's Bright Spot**

Use this coupon for up to \$10 off your purchase of energy efficient light bulbs. Choose from CFL (Compact Fluorescent Lamp) or LED (Light-emitting diode) light bulbs.

CASHIER TO COMPLETE:

INVOICE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT REDEEMED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

LIMIT ONE COUPON PER PERSON PER DAY, WHILE SUPPLIES LAST. EXPIRES Mar. 31, 2012

REDEEMABLE ONLY AT:

\* LOWES HOME IMPROVEMENT  
2470 HOWLAND BLVD  
DELTONA, FL 32725

OR

\* ANDERSON ACE HARDWARE  
1656 PROVIDENCE BLVD  
DELTONA, FL 32725

OR

\* WALMART SUPERSTORE  
101 HOWLAND BLVD  
DELTONA, FL 32725

NO CASH VALUE—NO CASH BACK—EXCLUDES HOLIDAY LIGHTING—LIGHT BULBS ONLY—TAX COMPUTED BEFORE DISCOUNT IS TAKEN

# January - February - March Calendar of Events

## January

**14** MLK Weekend, "Expressing Our Expectations" Celebration Breakfast, 9 a.m., New Hope Baptist Church, 2855 Lake Helen Osteen Road. Dr. Willie Kimmons speaking. \$10. Call (407) 416-4425 or (386) 804-6136 or e-mail DeltonaDreamKeepers@cfl.rr.com.  
**15** MLK Gospel Program, 3:30-5:30 p.m., followed by a candlelight vigil, Deltona Alliance Church, 921 Deltona Blvd.

**16** City Administrative Offices closed for Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

• MLK Expo, noon-5p.m., Campbell Park, 1315 Briarwood Ave. Food, crafts and art.

**17** Regular City Commission Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

## February

**6** Regular City Commission Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

**20** Regular City Commission Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

**24** Water and Energy Conservation Expo, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Commission Chambers and outside of City Hall.

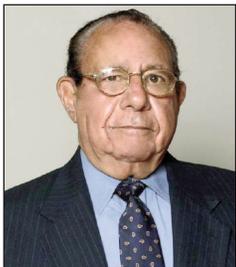
## Worried about money for college? Apply for William S. Harvey Scholarship

**Y**ES, IT'S TRUE THAT RECYCLING IS VALUABLE BUT PERHAPS the biggest value of recycling in Deltona is that those funds are dedicated to the William S. Harvey Scholarship, named after a former Commissioner and Vice Mayor who was always trying to do more for "children and families."

Every year, the scholarship selection committee awards scholarships to deserving Deltona residents pursuing higher education goals.

Applications are currently being accepted for the 2012 selections. An application and a checklist are available at [http://www.deltonafl.gov/Pages/DeltonaFL\\_Depts/DeltonaFL\\_HResources/WSHSSC](http://www.deltonafl.gov/Pages/DeltonaFL_Depts/DeltonaFL_HResources/WSHSSC).

The deadline to submit an application is 5 p.m., Feb. 27. Awards will be announced during a following City Commission meeting.



**Congratulations to Commissioner Michael Carmolingo, for being named Vice President of the Volusia League of Cities!**

## March

**5** Regular City Commission Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

**10** Ability Fair

**19** Regular City Commission Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

**31** Eggstravaganza

• The City Farmer's Market is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturdays, Deltona United Church of Christ, 1649 Providence Blvd.

• Deltona Spring Fest (April 21-22) is looking for crafters, entertainers, sponsors and volunteers. E-mail dspringfest@yahoo.com or visit DeltonaSpringFest.org to find out how you can get involved in the "Celebration of Cultural Heritage and Education."

**F**or updates on these events and information on future City Events "Follow" CityofDeltona on Twitter and "Like" the City of Deltona page on Facebook. The City's government access channel, DeltonaTV is available on BrightHouse Channel 199.

## New businesses in Deltona:

- JCPenney Catalog Store and Shoe Shack, 2091 Saxon Blvd., Suite 101
- Dr. William Von Barga Family Medicine, Florida Hospital Fish Memorial 2783 Elkcam Blvd., Unit 203.
- Quest Diagnostics, 2783 Elkcam Blvd., Unit 208.
- Allstar Karate Academy, 1695 Doyle Road.
- Dr. Malika George, Florida Hospital Fish Memorial, 605 Courtland Blvd., Suite 106-7
- Today Financial Group, 600 Courtland Blvd., Suite 1
- El Pilon Latin Food, 1382 Howland Blvd., Suite 110-112.
- Flooring & Beyond, 1235 Providence Blvd.
- Scorpio's Italian Eatery and Pizzeria, 2742 Elkcam Blvd.
- Lohman's Funeral Home, 1681 Providence Blvd.



Von Barga Family Medicine



Quest Diagnostics



El Pilon Latin Food



Dr. Malika George and Staff

Interested in finding out how the City of Deltona can help you and your business, call the Office of Economic Development, (386) 878-8619.

## The City Manager's Notes: Good Things Happened in 2011

**D**ELTONA NEEDS TO LEARN TO BRAG ON DELTONA, WAS A COMMENT MADE AT our last business forum. We do have a great City and we should be proud of our accomplishments. So let's get it started right here. This is why I believe 2011 was a great year for our home, Deltona:

- As I mentioned, the Office of Economic Development hosted two successful Business Forums reaching out to the business community for advice on how the City can make it easier to do business in Deltona. Staff has responded to the advice and implemented much of what we learned.

- Thornby Park opened on the most southern side of the City at the end of Providence Blvd. and features an all-inclusive playground where children with any sort of challenge can play right along with other children.

- We opened our first LEEDS certified "green building" – our fifth fire station, Station #65 at 2983 Howland Blvd., to respond more timely to emergency calls in the NW section of our City.

- Our Sheriff's Department relocated from rented office space to a City-owned facility more centrally located at 1691 Providence Blvd.

- We undertook a major affordable housing effort in NSP (Neighborhood Stabilization Program) and purchased and rehabilitated over 50 properties, partnered with Habitat for Humanity for three properties, and sold over 30 homes by the end of 2011. Our SHIP (State Housing Initiatives Partnership) program continued to be successful with funds expended to assist residents with basic home repairs to make their homes safe and functional.

- 2011 was the year for Fort Smith Boulevard, one of our main

arteries, as it continued its transformation. One phase of this road widening project, Primrose to Rookery, completed construction in 2010, and the next two phases, Primrose to Providence is under construction with expected completion in the 1st quarter of 2013, and Rookery to Stallings is under construction with expected completion in the 1st quarter of 2012.

- Resurfacing of well-traveled Elckam Blvd. from Providence to Normandy has just recently been completed.

- The City supported Deltona food pantries with a "Spirit of Giving" food and toy drive. City employees, residents and civic groups collected over 2,700 pounds of food and over 400 toys in just a couple of weeks.

- On December 17th, the City hosted our 1st Annual Deltona Christmas Parade to rave reviews and plans to continue such parades in future years.

- Last but not least, activity in our "Activity Center!" Epic Theatres opened over the Christmas holidays. We hope this will be the catalyst for many businesses to look toward developing in or relocating to Deltona! Like most of our residents, I look forward to the opportunity to take my family out to dinner and a movie and not have to leave the City I serve.

*Best wishes to you and yours from all of us here at the City for a safe, healthy and prosperous New Year in Deltona as we do believe that our City is Florida's Bright Spot and We Are Proud To Be a Part of It!*

*Faith G. Miller, City Manager*



## VCSO working to protect our students, pedestrians

**P**ERHAPS YOU'VE SEEN SOME OF THE news coverage lately. This school year, no less than ten Volusia County students have been struck by cars while either walking or riding their bikes to or from school – four of them have been in Deltona.

Fortunately, none of these students have died. But each and every case is heart-breaking, and made all the more so by the fact that these accidents didn't need to happen. In some cases, the drivers were to blame. Other times, children were distracted and not paying attention and initiated the contact by darting into traffic. But when a child is injured, it really doesn't matter who's to blame. These injuries are absolutely preventable.

But it takes a conscious and concerted effort on everyone's part—and that means students, parents, drivers, schools and law enforcement—to put a stop to these preventable accidents. Law enforcement will continue to do our part. In fact, the Sheriff's Office has participated in two special enforcement operations over the last six months targeting drivers who endanger our students by passing stopped school buses. Combined, the operations resulted in 45 drivers being cited for passing stopped buses. Still, enforcement can only go so far. The rest is up to students and drivers to practice good safety habits to ensure that they're not creating dangerous conditions.

Here's a few reminders from your law enforcement provider. Most of this is common-sense advice that we were all taught, but need to be reminded of from time to time. And tragically, with so many children being injured lately, this is the perfect time to reach out to drivers, grab their attention and reinforce these simple safety messages:

- When turning at an intersection, be sure to yield to pedestrians.



Also, when waiting for a gap in the traffic before turning, be careful to watch for pedestrians who might have moved into your intended path.

- Don't overtake cars that are stopped for pedestrians.

- Obey speed limits and slow down in school zones and other populated areas where pedestrians may be present. Not only is speeding against the law, but it causes a car to need more time to brake. If you're speeding, by the time you spot a pedestrian in your path, it could be too late.

- Avoid driver distractions. Making a phone call, texting or eating while driving or even talking to a back-seat passenger can break your concentration and take your eyes and mind off the road. Even a split-second distraction can end in tragedy.

- Don't advance as soon as the light turns green. Instead, take a moment to look both ways. Just because the traffic light is no longer red doesn't mean that pedestrians have made it all the way across the street.

- Don't just keep your eyes glued to the road. Scan along the sides of the road as well while you're driving to help you spot pedestrians and anticipate their movements.

And remember that children are smaller than adults. And that means that they often disappear from view while they're between parked cars, standing by a bus or behind objects. Watch parked cars, neighborhoods and intersections closely and be prepared at all times to make a sudden stop if necessary in case a child darts out in front of your vehicle. Once again, please stay alert at all times while behind the wheel. Paying careful attention saves lives and prevents needless injuries.

# Important City Numbers

**Animal Control**, (386) 878-8701  
**Automated inspection information**,  
(386) 575-6900 or (407) 936-9999  
**Inspections, Permitting and Zoning**,  
(386) 878-8650  
**City Clerk's Office**, (386) 878-8500  
**City Hall**, 2345 Providence Blvd.,  
(386) 878-8100  
**City Manager's Office**, (386) 878-8850  
**Code Compliance**, (386) 878-8700

**Communication and Public Information**,  
(386) 878-8755  
**Fire Department Administration**,  
1685 Providence Blvd., (386) 575-6901  
**Human Resources**, (386) 878-8750  
**Mayor and City Commission**,  
(386) 878-8860  
**Parks & Recreation**, (386) 878-8900  
**Planning & Development Services**,  
(386) 878-8600

**Public Works**, 201 Howland Blvd.,  
(386) 878-8950  
**Solid Waste Services**, (386) 878-8723  
**Volusia County Sheriff's Office**,  
1691 Providence Blvd., (386) 860-7030  
**Water and Sewer**, 255 Enterprise Road,  
(386) 575-6800 (customer service)  
**Waste Pro**, (Recycling bins, garbage pick-  
up and special pick-ups), (386) 574-0778  
or (386) 574-0723  
**Emergencies, 911**

## Know your Mayor and Commission

**Mayor John Masiarczyk**,  
2025 Adelia Blvd.,  
(386) 299-2896,  
jmasiarczyk@deltonafl.gov  
Elected: Nov. 2010  
Term Expires: Nov. 2014

**Vice Mayor Paul Treusch  
(District 4)**,  
1450 Fort Smith Blvd.,  
(386) 878-8860,  
ptreusch@deltonafl.gov  
Elected: Nov. 2007  
Term Expires: Nov. 2012

**District 1, Zenaida Denizac**  
2010 Montecito Ave.,  
(386) 624-8716,  
zdenizac@deltonafl.gov  
Elected: Nov. 2010  
Term Expires: Nov. 2014

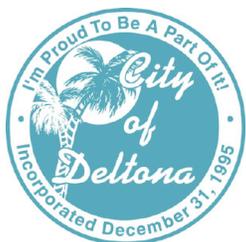
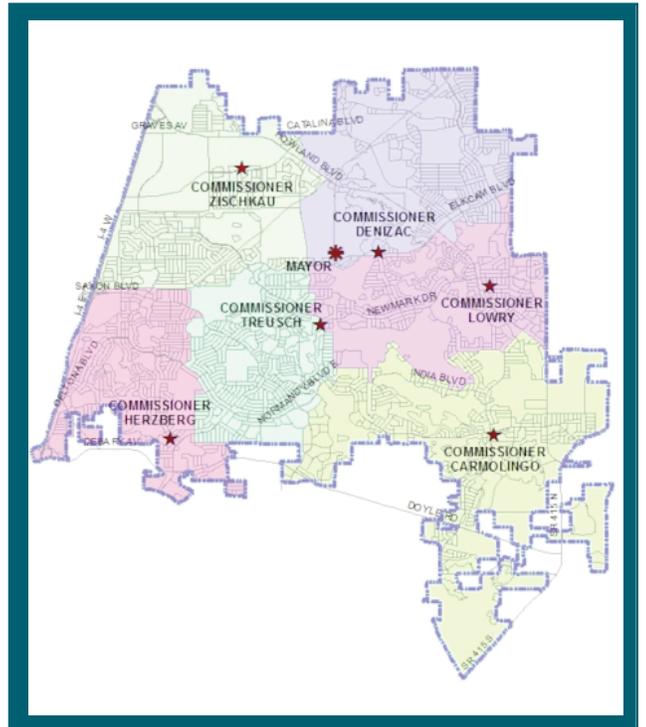
**District 2, Herb Zischkau**  
2760 Pinegrove Ave.,  
(407) 496-7561,  
hzischkau@deltonafl.gov  
Elected: Nov. 2007  
Term Expires: Nov. 2012

**District 3, Heidi K. Herzberg**  
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hherzberg@deltonafl.gov  
Elected: Nov. 2010  
Term Expires: Nov. 2014

**District 5, Fred Lowry**  
1753 Gatewood Dr.,  
(386) 801-1036,  
flowry@deltonafl.gov  
Elected: Nov. 2010  
Term Expires: Nov. 2014

**District 6, Michael Carmolingo**  
3126 Shallowford Street,  
(386) 848-1932,  
mcarmolingo@deltonafl.gov  
Elected: Nov. 2007  
Term Expires: Nov. 2012

*To reach the Mayor &  
Commission's Executive Assistant,  
Mitch Honaker, call  
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