



# Campus Life

The College Park Homeowners Association Newsletter  
October 2009

## **PRESIDENT'S CORNER**

The office of the Mayor and several city commissioners will be on the November 3rd General Election ballot. Among the important issues the city is facing this year is the approved reverse osmosis water plant and its impact on our escalating water bills and the escalating rates the city charges for power. Please note these two important dates on your calendar.

### **Tuesday October 27th**

The College Park and Parrot Cove home owners association will be hosting a candidates forum. All of the candidates have been invited to attend. The forum will be held on October 27<sup>th</sup> at St. Andrews Church, 100 North Palmway (on the corner of Lucerne) at 7:00 pm.

College Park residents will be voting for a new Mayor as well as two city commissioners. Wes Blackman and Jo-Ann Golden are running for commissioner of District 3. Scott Maxwell and Ron Exline are running for commissioner of District 1. The six mayoral candidates include William Coakley, Javier del Sol, John Jordan, Laurence McNamara, Loretta Sharpe and Rene Varella. Each candidate will speak for 5 minutes followed by a Q & A session where the candidates will respond to written questions.

For your information, on October 25<sup>th</sup> the Neighborhood Association President's Council will be holding a city wide candidates forum at the Lake Worth Playhouse at 7 pm.

### **Tuesday November 10th**

Many of your neighbors have been discussing the escalating utility costs and the city's sliding scale rates for electricity, water, and sewage. The College Park and Parrot Cove neighborhood associations have asked the City Manager, Susan Stanton, and Utility Director, Rebecca Matthey, to address our concerns and answer questions regarding this issue. This meeting will also be held at St Andrews Church, 100 North Palmway (on the corner of Lucerne) at 7:00 pm.

It is important to attend both these meetings.

### **College Park Email List**

We continue to maintain our website ([www.collegeparklakeworth.com](http://www.collegeparklakeworth.com)) and email list to relay information about community news and events to our residents. For more information on how to subscribe to the email list please see the information contained on the back page.

*Sincerely,*

*Brent Whitfield*

Other Information

**CITY NEWS**

Some other recent news about Lake Worth:

- **Downtown Publix:** The CRA will reimburse Publix up to \$500,000 as part of an incentive package to develop a Publix on Dixie Hwy north of downtown.
- **Water Supply:** The City Commission has decided to move forward with the construction of a \$16.9 million reverse-osmosis water treatment plant. This decision also requires the City to negotiate a settlement with Palm Beach County regarding the breaking of a previous agreement for the purchase of supplemental water. For the time being, the City Commission has agreed to purchase water from West Palm Beach instead.
- **Palm Beach Cultural Council:** The Council has agreed to move it's headquarters to downtown Lake Worth in 2010.

**COLLEGE PARK EMAIL LIST**

•CPHA is primarily using email and our website to bring information to residents. If you are not already on the email list and would like to sign up, please use the following directions:

Send an email message to the address below with the word 'subscribe' in the subject: field.

**To:** CP\_Neighbors-request@collegeparklakeworth.com

**Subject:** subscribe

•The email list is open to all residents. We will not sell or rent any email addresses to outside vendors or organizations, and we will not be sending any advertisements or junk mail. The email list is for the distribution of neighborhood and City information only. You can unsubscribe from the email list at anytime.

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