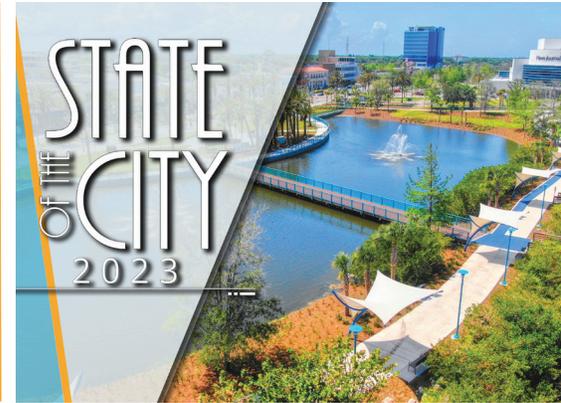


Public invited to State of the City

Join Mayor Derrick L. Henry and city commissioners for the annual State of the City address at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 18, in the Commission Chambers at City Hall, 301 S. Ridgewood Ave. Mayor Henry will highlight accomplishments from the past year and initiatives underway that make Daytona Beach the community of choice and a great place to live, learn, work, play and raise a family. The State of the City will be broadcast on the city's website at www.CODB.us/DBTV and on Spectrum Channel 490.



Banners honoring Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. on display

Street pole banners honoring the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. are adorning International Speedway Blvd. from Nova Road to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Featuring seven of his powerful quotes, the banners will be displayed throughout January.

Citywide road resurfacing program resumes

The city will continue to invest in maintaining, rehabilitating and repaving neighborhood streets in the new year. Roadway maintenance is funded at \$4.1 million with nearly 36 lane miles scheduled for milling, resurfacing and striping. In the past two years, 70 lane miles of neighborhood streets have been resurfaced through the citywide Road Resurfacing and Restoration Program. For more information, visit www.CODB.us/RoadRepaving.



Know about proposed development in Daytona Beach

The city uses an automated notification system designed to improve communication between residents and developers who are proposing projects. The notification system will alert subscribers, by email and/or text, when a developer schedules a neighborhood meeting. The meeting provides a developer an opportunity to share details of a proposed project with citizens and other interested parties and, in turn, receive valuable feedback.

The types of projects requiring a developer-initiated meeting notice include rezonings; special, public or semipublic uses and comprehensive plan amendments. The city requires developers to have a neighborhood meeting as part of its approval process. To sign up for notifications, visit www.CODB.us/NotifyMe.



Restaurants reminded to properly dispose of FOG

More than 300 restaurants and food service providers call Daytona Beach home. With tasty food being the final product, comes the expected byproduct of fats, oils and grease, known as FOG. Unfortunately, most sewer system blockages can be traced to FOG. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency mandates the city have a FOG program, which is implemented and enforced by Dean May, the city's full-time inspector. Good housekeeping is the first step in eliminating FOG in pipes. For more information and tips on properly disposing FOG, visit www.CODB.us/FOG.



Construction of new water tank set to begin

Construction will be starting in January on a new water tank at 700 Heineman St. that will double the storage capacity of the city's water supply. The water kept in the new tank will provide an emergency water supply during peak demand periods including when water is needed for fire suppression, there is a power outage at the plant or during the day when usage is high.

Residents can expect the following during construction:

- Access to the construction location will be off of Clyde Morris Boulevard to avoid impacts to the surrounding residential neighborhood and park.
- Suburbia Park should remain open and accessible during construction.
- Construction will take place during daytime working hours.
- Construction is scheduled to take more than a year based on ideal conditions.

Dickerson Center improvements

A three-year project to improve amenities and functionality of the Dickerson Community Center and adjacent Campbell Aquatic Center is in its third and final phase. Planned upgrades include additional parking, connecting sidewalks, improved exterior lighting and new basketball courts, while the tennis and racquetball courts will be removed. The almost \$1.7 million multi-year project received about \$369,000 in grants from the Daytona Beach Racing and Recreational Facilities District and is scheduled to be completed in 2023.



DICKERSON CENTER & CAMPBELL POOL IMPROVEMENTS



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