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### Town of Lake Clarke Shores

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

To: Mayor and Town Council

From: Joseph F. Lo Bello, CPA, Town Manager

Date: July 3, 2024

Subject: Status Report for the July 9, 2024 Town Council Meeting

#### **Proposed Upcoming Town Council Meeting Schedule**

July 9<sup>th</sup> – 6:30 pm - Budget Workshop, CRA and Regular Town Council Meetings August 13<sup>th</sup> - 6:30 pm - Regular Town Council Meeting

September 9<sup>th</sup> (Monday) – 6:30 pm – 1<sup>st</sup> Budget Hearing, CRA and Regular Town Council Meetings

September 24<sup>th</sup> – 6:30 pm – 2<sup>nd</sup> Budget Hearing and Regular Town Council

#### **Upcoming Town Events**

July 15th – 1:30 pm - Septic-to-Sewer Conversion Informational Session July 17<sup>th</sup> – 11:00am – Footprints Senior Club: Palm Beach County Library Services for Seniors Presentation

August  $11^{th}$  – 11:00am – Footprints Senior Club: Fall Prevention Presentation by the Red Cross

September 21st – 8:00am – International Coastal Cleanup

## Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) – Signal Safety Crossing Upgrade The Town was notified and is working with FDOT on their railroad signal crossing upgrade project. Forest Hill Boulevard will be closed to vehicular traffic from Tuesday,

July 9th at 5 a.m. to Saturday, July 13th, 2024.



#### **Septic to Sewer Informational Session**

Residents submitted approximately 40 questions on the topic online and at Town Hall. The questions will be reviewed by staff for any duplicate questions and submitted to the panel of experts in preparation for the virtual Septic to Sewer Informational Session. Please note this meeting is virtual only, but will be available on our website and YouTube channel. There will be no audience at Town Hall.

#### **Hurricane Preparedness**

Staff reviewed our policies and procedures for the upcoming hurricane season. The July edition of the Buzz provided hurricane preparedness information to our residents. If residents have questions or need more information, you can refer them to the Hurricane Guide on our website and the Palm Beach County Hurricane Planning Guide, which is available on the County website or call the Town.

#### **Summer Camps**

The summer tennis and fishing camps were a success. We had 6 participants for the tennis camp and 43 participants for the fishing camp. The fishing camp ended with an award ceremony and a hot dog lunch for the campers.



#### **Summer Food Truck Event**

The food truck event had a great turnout. The kids enjoyed the water slide.



#### Other items to report:

- FPL reached out to me about their efforts to implement the Storm Secure Ungrounding Project and some of the upcoming projects involving the overhead lines in Town.
- Staff is working on changing the Town's phone system to the Palm Beach County's Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) phone system
- Lake Clarke Shores system has been inspected on both the Utility side and customer side of the meter for lead pipe. Staff expects the inspections to be completed by late summer.
- Water Meter Change Outs is scheduled to be completed by the end of summer.
- Staff acid washed and painted the entrance signs on Forest Hill Boulevard. Flowers will be installed next week.
- We were informed by Lake Worth Beach that they took out a loan to pay for the sewer spill damages and are currently seeking reimbursement from the AT&T subcontractor. I thanked them at the meeting.