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# Central County Community Newsletter

September 2018

## Washington Park Drainage Improvements

Washington Park residents expect construction activities at the NW 9<sup>th</sup> Street and NW 29<sup>th</sup> Terrace intersection. A drainage improvements project is scheduled to begin in mid-September and is expected to be completed by the end of October 2018, barring any unforeseen conditions and/or weather delays. The project will increase the capacity of the existing drainage system with new pipes and drainage structures, restore deteriorated roadway and driveway connections. The estimated project cost is \$200,000.

## Penny For Transportation

On the November 6<sup>th</sup> ballot there is a question about establishing a local option transportation sales tax to fund investments in Broward County's roadways, bridges, school zones, sidewalks, bike paths, community shuttles, on-demand transit service for people with disabling conditions, and general transit system. If approved, the initiative is designed to prioritize projects that will reduce traffic congestion and improve connectivity across the entire county and with neighboring jurisdictions. The collaborative plan includes more than 700 city-requested transportation improvements and almost 500 county projects, including: traffic signal timing, roadway, intersection, and new technology designed to improve the transportation network and options for our residents and millions of visitors, annually. The detailed plan, including information about "Projects in Your City" can be found at [www.broward.org/PennyForTransportation](http://www.broward.org/PennyForTransportation).

## Call to Artists: Harold Reitman Boys and Girls Club Mural

Broward Cultural Division's Public Art & Design program, in collaboration with the Harold Reitman Boys and Girls Club, seeks to commission a professional artist or artist team for a site-specific exterior mural. The commissioned artwork should reflect Boys and Girls Club's core values: good character, citizenship, and healthy lifestyle. The artwork should promote a sense of unity within the community, improve visibility of the facility, provide identity for activities that take place at the facility, and serve to empower and inspire the surrounding neighborhoods. The total budget established for the project is not to exceed \$14,000.

**Application Deadline:** September 24, 2018, 11:59PM

Eligible South Florida Artist(s) are invited to apply through Submittable.com:

<https://browardcountyculturaldivision.submittable.com/submit/124090/harold-reitman-boys-and-girls-club-mural>

Hard copies will not be accepted. For complete call and instructions on how to apply, visit:

[Broward.org/Arts/PublicArt/Pages/Boys-and-girls-club.aspx](http://Broward.org/Arts/PublicArt/Pages/Boys-and-girls-club.aspx)

## BMSD BUSINESS DIRECTORY

**Did You Know** that the BMSD Business Directory is now available on the BMSD website? Contact the Office of Economic and Small Business Development (OESBD) at 954-357-6400 or email [EconDevInfo@broward.org](mailto:EconDevInfo@broward.org) for information on how to get your business listed. Check it out at [Broward.org/MunicipalServicesDistrict](http://Broward.org/MunicipalServicesDistrict)



## BMSD Events & Happenings

**New Ordinance!**  
**BMSD Tree Trimming & Planting Regulations**



**Community Workshop With Broward County & Florida Power & Light**  
**Sept. 22, 10AM-1PM**  
**Roosevelt Gardens Community Center,**  
**2841 NW 11 Street**  
**Find Out How to Comply**  
**Apply for Assistance and Avoid Fines. Contact us at**  
**[AskBMSD@broward.org](mailto:AskBMSD@broward.org) or**  
**954-357-6634**

**RSVP on Eventbrite for Prevent Power Outages: Right Tree, Right Place**

**Free Workshops Starting Your Business**



**Saturdays In September**  
**BMSD ONLY**  
**Call 954-357-6400.**

**Stay Ready!**



**Check Hurricane Supplies**  
**Register all persons with mobility or health issues on the Vulnerable Population Registry. Call 3-1-1 or visit**  
**[www.Broward.org/AtRisk](http://www.Broward.org/AtRisk)**

## Family Success Community Outreach

The Financial Capability Team partnered with community partners including H.O.M.E.S Inc. for a special orientation at the Edgar P. Mills Center. Families received details about the free one-on-one monthly financial coaching available for individuals and families. **Call 954-357-6367 TODAY and start your journey towards financial success.**

## BMSD Neighborhood Watch

The BMSD Neighborhood Watch Program meets on the 3rd Thursdays, 6:45PM to 8PM and rotates throughout the BMSD. For more information about how you can get involved, please contact Wendy Jerkins at [wjerkins@aol.com](mailto:wjerkins@aol.com).

**September 20, 2018**

Roosevelt Gardens Community Center  
2841 NW 11 Street, 33311

Topic: Changing Traffic Patterns to Curb  
Neighborhood Speeding and Crime

**October 18, 2018**

Franklin Park Community Center  
2501 Franklin Drive, 33311

Topic: Safety, Security, and Improvements:  
Resources for Homeowners and Residents

## FREE TRAINING



Urban League of  
Broward County

**C.O.R.E.** Critical Occupation Responses through Education (C.O.R.E.) is a program for work ready individuals ages 16 and older. Free training and certification in the field of Information Technology, White Belt and Manufacturing and Supply Chain Management. More info: 954-584-0777, [www.ulbroward.org](http://www.ulbroward.org)



**SOAR** (Skills • Oppor tunities • Achievement • Responsibility) and The Right Choice programs offer free training and career planning for persons aged 18-24 who are currently or previously in the juvenile or adult justice system. More information: 954-563-3535 or [www.oicsfl.org](http://www.oicsfl.org)

## Central County Neighborhood Associations & Presidents

**Washington Park**

Alverine Brihm

954-551-2329

2<sup>nd</sup> Thursdays

**Franklin Park**

Marquis Curry

954-793-0238

3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays

**Boulevard Gardens**

Rev. Jesse Scipio

954-592-8901

3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays

**Roosevelt Gardens**

Elijah Lewis

954-258-5845

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## STAY CONNECTED

Get information on community meetings, events, job opportunities, programs, and more by connecting with the BMSD on **Facebook: Broward Municipal Services District, Twitter: AskBMSD**

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