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2019 Newsletter

Newly Elected Mayor for the City of Port Richey



In June 2019 the City of Port Richey elected Scott Tremblay as Mayor.

Mayor Tremblay is a lawyer and long time City resident. We congratulate Mayor Tremblay on his election.

Fall Clean-up Ended With Great Success!

The City of Port Richey conducted a fall clean-up for the residents who live within the city limits of Port Richey.

The clean-up took place from September 9th through September 20th. Residents were able to drop off unwanted items between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 pm at City Hall (6333 Ridge Road) during the first week. During the second week of the clean-up, curbside pick-up was available for larger items that required heavy equipment for disposal.

The City successfully disposed of 5 dumpster loads at 20 cubic yards each filled with debris, as well as appx. 10 cubic yards of electronics.

Re-Surfacing City Hall Parking Lot

After many years of wear and tear, we were finally able to resurface and seal the parking lot for City Hall and the water plant. The resurfacing will add many more years to the use of the parking areas for employees and residents of Port Richey.





Council Members

Scott Tremblay Mayor

William Dittmer Vice Mayor

Jennie Sorrell Council Member

Todd Maklary Council Member

Thomas Kinsella Council Member

Vincent Lupo City Manager

Council Meetings

City Council meetings can be viewed online at www.cityofportrichey.com or on the City's YouTube channel.

E-Newsletter

Would you like to receive the City newsletter in an electronic format? Please email Jocilyn Martinez at j.martinez@cityofportrichey.com

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HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday—Friday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Utility Billing Drop Box Available 24 hours

DEPARTMENT CONTACT INFORMATION

Administration: 816-1901

Building: 835-1098

Code Compliance: 816-1900 Ext. 220

Finance/HR: 835-1269

Fire: 816-1910

Non-Emergency Police Dispatch : 816-1919

Public Works: 835-1241

Utilities: 835-1243

Utility Billing: 816-1900 Ext. 183

New CAD SYSTEM For Port Richey Police Department

A new CAD SYSTEM (Computer Aided Dispatch/Mobile System) for PRPD and PRFD was approved by City Council and is now being implemented. The new system will be linked with Pasco Sheriff's Office and other agencies in Pasco County. The ultimate goal of this initiative is to provide the City with a state of the art, integrated, system that is commercially available and will collectively satisfy the needs of PRFD and PRPD, as well as, the public safety needs of the citizens of the City. The new System will provide all necessary public safety functionality including closest unit dispatching, this unified system will maximize operational efficiencies across agencies leading to increased situational awareness, improved first responder safety, enhanced interoperability across supporting systems, which will ultimately reduce response times. The overall mission, goals, and objectives of the City is to make public safety personnel more effective in preventing, combating, and responding to public safety matters through strategic resource deployment.

Two Vacant City Council Seats Filled

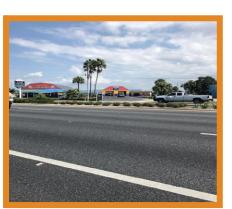
Congratulations to Tom Kinsella and Todd Maklary, who were newly elected on September 10, 2019, filling two vacant City Council seats .

The Swearing In ceremony for the new Council Members took place in Council Chambers on September 16, 2019 at 6 pm.

Photo: Pictured from left to right are Councilman Tom Kinsella, Interim Councilwoman Angel Nally, Councilman Todd Maklary and Vincent Lupo, City Manager.

We would like to express our appreciation to Angel Nally for serving as our Interim Councilwoman.





Beautification of US 19 Median

The City was awarded \$300,000 in grant funding from the Florida Department of Transportation to beautify the medians along the Gulf Coast Highway. Morelli Landscaping was the contractor hired through the public bid process to install the new plants. The plants are Florida-friendly and will require limited watering. This landscaping effort will greatly improve the U.S. Highway 19 corridor in the City limits.