



Lauderdale Isles

Civic Improvement Association, Inc
P.O. Box 121255 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312

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Nonprofit Organization since 1959

President's Message

By Dirk Lowry

Summer is here with all the rain and heat that comes with it. The pool ranges from 86 to 90 degrees. I can hear the grass growing in the evening when I'm trying to sleep. But things are green and I'm sure most of you are looking forward to a great vacation period if you haven't already had one.

The criminal activity in the neighborhood has been minimal to almost nonexistent. The Police reports at our monthly meetings show little activity. Remember: if you see something, say something, and don't be concerned about calling the police. That's what they are there for and they will not stop at your house if you don't want them to unless you ask to see them.

The Hurricane Season is well under way with no problems so far. As long as the "Alberta Clipper", which is the cold air coming down from Canada keeps pushing south all of our storms should be off shore.

We have the web site ourlicia.com up and running. This is thanks to Chad Hodder, our VP, whose daughter has volunteered her time and energy to making it a success. We have made information available for our members and all residents of the Isles through this site.

There has been more gator activity in the area with a sighting of a six-footer in Albacore Canal (between Andros and Bimini).

Many of the residents have placed their address number behind their houses, which are visible from the water. It doesn't take much to get this accomplished. As long as it is visible from the water, they can be on the house, the dock, or the bulkhead. They need to be at least three inches high and of a contrasting color.

During the final stages of the Airport runway completion, the diagonal runway which, on occasion, puts planes over our neighborhood, will be utilized from time to time.

With the printing of the Newsletter in color we are trying to promote some local advertising to defray the additional cost of the color printing. If you know of a local business or you would like to promote your own business please contact me at 954-584-3783. All that's necessary is a printable copy and the check. This can be worked out with a minimal time investment. Remember, if you are a paid member and want to run a two line ad for an item you want to dispose of, please use the free ad service available to you through your membership.

Your board is trying to stay on top of the All Aboard Florida (AAF) Project as best as possible. At this writing the AAF spokesperson Ali Soule and a Board member will be at this meeting to give a presentation. There have been suggestions ranging from joining a coalition already in adversary with the project to retaining a lawyer. However at this time the board is awaiting the release of the EIS (Environmental Impact Statement). Once this is released, which at this time is overdue, your

Association, along with many of the groups already involved, will step up to the plate and go to bat against the project. Whether it has an effect on the final outcome or not, at least we will have done our part to mitigate the potential problems with the project. If any residents of the Isles would like to be on a committee for this purpose advise using the above number. With a committee we can call a meeting and discuss options.

The November Meeting will be an election meeting. If anyone is interested in running for any of the four Executive Offices (President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer) please reach out to your Lane Representative and let he or she know. We will be setting up an election committee to gather nominations, organize the election portion of the meeting and count the ballots. We need new ideas and an executive Committee that will be energetic, increase membership and initiate activities for the membership. There will be a complete explanation of the election process in the next Newsletter on November 1st. As always there will be no absentee ballots. I hope to see you at the meeting on Thursday August 21st. Coffee, sweet rolls, soda and water will be available.

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Business

Agenda

Financial Statement

LICIA General Meeting
Thursday, August 21st, 2014
7:00 p.m.
Lauderdale Isles Yacht Club

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
FOR FISCAL PERIOD
11/01/13 THRU 6/30/14

- Sign In
- Opening Statement (President)
- Police Reports
- Minutes Approval
- All Aboard Florida Presentation
- Treasurers Report
- Committee Reports
 - Beautification Committee
 - Airport Committee
 - Welcoming Committee
- Old Business
 - Alligator update
 - Update on dredging
 - Web Page Update
- New Business
 - Functions and Activities Ideas
 - Open for questions and concerns
- Motion to Adjourn

<u>INCOME:</u>	
DUES COLLECTED	\$ 1,435.00
ADVERTISING	860.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 2,295.00
<u>EXPENSES:</u>	
LANE SIGN EXPENSE	0.00
MEETING REFRESHMENTS	153.83
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CIVIC ASSOC DUES	50.00
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EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENSE	\$ 672.40
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I HAVE EXAMINED THE BOOKS AND RECORDS OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR THE STATED PERIOD AND HAVE FOUND THEM TO PROPERLY REFLECT THE ACTIVITY FOR THE PERIOD.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

KEITH LINDGREN, TREASURER
 JULY 17, 2014

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Last Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the General Meeting of the Lauderdale Isles Civic Improvement Association, May 15, 2014

President Dirk Lowry called the meeting to order at 7:15 pm. A quorum was present.

1. Police Report: No police report was provided.
2. "Smart Water" presentation: President Lowry introduced Brenda Bailey from the Smart Water company. She provided a presentation on Smart Water, which is a sophisticated method of marking items invisibly so that they may be identified if they are stolen. The Fort Lauderdale Police Department has been using the program in several neighborhoods, one of which experienced a 17% reduction in burglaries. Anyone wishing to purchase a Smart Water kit for the special price of \$30 may do so by notifying President Lowry by email. Info about purchasing these kits will be placed in the next newsletter and on the LICIA website.
3. Approval of Minutes of the Feb 20, 2014 meeting, as published in the newsletter: Motion: Bill Gray, Seconded: Chad Hodder. Approved unanimously.
4. Newsletter Advertising: The cost of color printing of the newsletter is not that much more than that for black & white printing. The goal is to pay for the newsletter through the advertising.
5. Treasurer's Report, as published in the newsletter: Motion to approve: Bill Gray, Seconded: Chad Hodder. Approved unanimously.
6. Beautification Committee: No report
7. Airport Committee: George Counts reported that the new runway is on schedule, and helicopter flyovers are decreasing.
8. Welcoming Committee: No report. President Lowry introduced the person who originally started the Welcoming Committee years ago.

OLD BUSINESS

9. Alligator Update: As of this date, the alligator "Wiley," has not been seen since February. George Counts stated that alligators have been in these waters for thousands of years, and these waters are their home.
10. Dredging Update: Despite the request for volunteers to allow the FLPD Dive Team access to the canals as published in the newsletter, it appears that the sea grass surveys will not be necessary for our canals.
11. LICIA Website Update: Chad Hodder reported that the website, ourlicia.com, is now up and running. His daughter Abbey was introduced as the webmaster. The old licia.org domain will be set up to forward automatically to the new website. Chad advised that information would be updated on a weekly basis. The current newsletter is on the website. Chad graciously paid the costs to establish the website.

NEW BUSINESS

12. All Aboard Florida: President Lowry has scheduled a presentation by All Aboard Florida for the next General Meeting in August. Questions can be posed to the AAF Public Relations staff at the meeting. This meeting should help dispel the many rumors regarding the project. A lively discussion about the project ensued. One person stated that someday we may be limited to one boat per household due to population growth.
13. Activities: President Lowry asked for fresh ideas for events and activities, like a big yard sale or picnic.
14. September Waterway Cleanup: There will be a waterway cleanup event just for Lauderdale Isles in September. It was suggested to schedule the cleanup so that it occurs at low tide.
15. Puppies Available: Ryan St. George announced that he has thirteen beautiful puppies available for adoption, boxer/labrador mix. Dirk advised that they are a good burglar deterrent, and are excellent for iguana control.
16. I-95 bridge: Ken Stauch asked if anyone had accurate information regarding the I-95 bridge repair and the height restriction due to the construction. The project at this bridge is preventing passage by sailboats. There being no further business before the group, the motion was made by Bill Gray to adjourn. Seconded by Chad Hodder, approved unanimously.

Note: Post-meeting, President Lowry asked Karen Rames and Glori Stauch to re-activate the Welcoming Committee. They agreed to do so.

Respectfully submitted, Geoff Rames, LICIA Secretary

ACTION IN THE ISLES

“I WAS ONLY DOING 10 MILES PER HOUR”

With our nice, quiet dead-end streets, and 25 mile per hour speed limits, you’d never think there would be a serious accident on one of our lanes. But take a look at the pictures of what took place on Gulfstream Lane earlier this year. A van driving north at 10pm - - -



First he sideswipes this Honda parked on the swale.



Next he smashes into the red Toyota that’s parked in the driveway. And then he takes out the fire hydrant.



Finally comes to rest just a few feet from a house.



By the time the firefighters arrived and shut it off, there was over a foot of water in the street. Lauderdale Isles had a new canal (for a few hours). Yes, the driver claimed he was doing 10 miles per hour. It’s a good thing no one was out walking their dog.

LET’S TAKE THE TRUCK FOR A SPIN OUT ON THE RIVER

You never know what you’ll see at the Riverland Woods boat ramp, especially on Sunday afternoons.



That’s a fully submerged silver Ford F150 pickup truck



The diver has attached the harness and the tow truck starts the pull. In the boat across the river is Ken Stauch of LIWMD, keeping a watchful eye for any pollution issues.



Some comments heard from the bystanders:
“Looks like he forgot to put the plug in before launching.”
“I think he needs flotation tires.”
“Don’t text while driving by a boat ramp, it’s the law”
“That’s one helluva crab trap.”

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Neighborhood News

Getting Noisy Out There! The State of Real Estate

By a Concerned Citizen

While recently taking a swim and enjoying the back yard, I noticed more than a few jets passing close to the house. I took a moment and sent in a complaint (it's now been renamed an inquiry form), and was shocked at what came back!

From the county: **This responds to your inquiries you submitted on July 29, 2014 at 2:09pm, 2:35pm and 10:08pm.**

I have attached the printouts for the aircraft operations for these times, with your location also depicted. During the times of inquiries, departures from the airport were to the west from Runway 28R. The assigned headings being issued are the headings that will be utilized in conjunction with the new south runway.

The diagram shows the departure path of a Delta Airlines B757 aircraft to the west from Runway 28R. This aircraft was given ATC assigned heading of 285 to the west and was at an altitude of 2,208 feet south of your area at 2:09pm.

To clarify, all jets departing the north runway when Lauderdale is departing west will be assigned a mandatory heading of 285. Not a 270 or 275 heading that was used until recently. But a heading that with a little wind will put it over Lauderdale Isles. This can and has been happening at all hours, not even with the excuse of traffic or weather as it used to be.

This will be the heading for all departures off the north runway. Most every jet on a west operation departs with a north departure area. And air traffic can assign what every runway is closest or easiest for them. And if its midnight, here comes FEDEX!

I contacted Romney Roger's office. He advised that they had no sway and that this was a county matter.

These are the contacts for the county:

BCAD Noise complaint line 954-359-1200

or via internet:

<http://www.broward.org/Airport/Community/Pages/NoiseInquiryForm.aspx>

This is something that will take some time for us to get off our backs. The FAA has just declared that our community doesn't matter. Let's take the time to voice our opinions to the county and the FAA

By Rich Thompson

Florida homes took 5 of 10 top spots for CEOs. Five Florida towns make the Top 10 List of areas favored by corporate CEOs and Legislators, with south Florida having the following areas: Fort Lauderdale, Pompano Beach, and Deerfield Beach with 1.20% resident CEO's. These hometown CEOs did not get to where they are by making poor financial decisions.

The average 30 year mortgage rate is at 4.14%. The 30-year FPM rose very slightly compared to last week's average. More experts predict relative stability in rates over the short term.

First phase of housing recovery slows. Fannie Mae: 2014 will be a year of mixed housing outcomes with prices rising more slowly and sales falling slightly, but there is reason for optimism. Those who say it's a good time to buy a house fell to 67 percent and those who say it is a good time to sell a home rose to 43 percent in a recent survey!

Getting Noisy Out There!

(Continued from previous column)

by filling out the above forms or numbers. Our community has members on the noise board for the county. But, they need our help to push back against this new heading and to get it removed.

IMPORTANT
Effective August 1,
the new non-
emergency number
for Fort Lauderdale
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City News

THE TRAIN'S A-COMIN'.



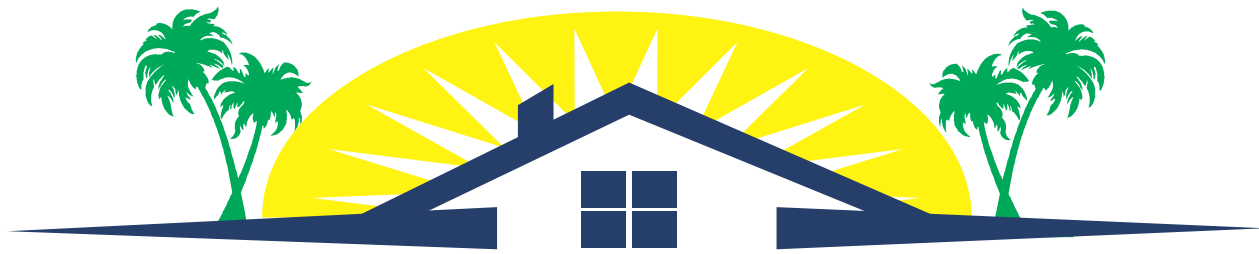
TO OUR NEXT GENERAL MEETING

At the Thursday, August 21st LICIA General Meeting, our guest speakers will be officials from All Aboard Florida. They will provide an overview of the proposed project and will answer questions from the audience. This is the meeting you've been waiting for.

AUGUST 21
7:00 PM

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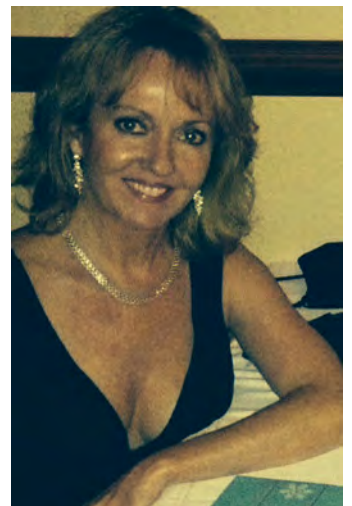
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Vice Mayor and District IV Commissioner Romney Rogers



A Waterpark in Our Future! On July 10, the City Commission approved the waterpark lease proposed by the Schlitterbahn company, touted as **America's First Family of Waterparks** (<http://www.schlitterbahn.com>). Schlitterbahn will invest about \$100 million into improving a 64-acre parcel within the Fort Lauderdale Executive Airport. The attraction, expected to open in 2017, will also include a parking lot, soccer fields, and improvements to Lockhart Stadium.

Telephone Town Hall – My Telephone Town Hall Meeting was held on July 10. There were 13,056 neighbors who joined the call, with 1,500 people on the call at the same time during peak participation. Fifteen people asked questions or made comments on such topics as traffic calming measures, the budget, road maintenance, current and future development, and flooding. Audio recordings of the City Commission's Telephone Town Hall Meetings are at <http://www.fortlauderdale.gov/tth/index.htm>.

FY 2015 Commission Annual Action Plan – The City Manager presented this proposed plan to the Commission for approval on July 1. This action plan includes the City's highest priority strategic initiatives for FY 2015. The steps and foundation used to develop this plan include:

- ❖ *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale: Our City, Our Vision 2035;*
- ❖ *Press Play Fort Lauderdale: Our City, Our Strategic Plan 2018*, which incorporates 42% of the Vision Plan ideas;
- ❖ The citywide, statistically valid Neighbor Survey conducted in November and December of 2013;
- ❖ Department Performance Analysis and Outlook, developed by staff from each City department, highlighting the current and upcoming strategic initiatives, successes, challenges, an environmental scan, and a three- to five-year outlook;
- ❖ A meeting with the Directors and Assistant Directors of the Community Building Leadership Team; and
- ❖ Two prioritization workshops with the Commission: April 17 and June 5.

Project plans, including scopes and milestones, are being developed by key staff in an interdepartmental approach, with preliminary funding allocated through the proposed budget. These initiatives will be integrated as the main **priorities of each Cylinder of Excellence team's annual work plan.** (Teams: Business Development, Infrastructure, Neighborhood Enhancement, Public Places, Public Safety)

- **Top Priority on Policy Agenda:** 17th Street Mobility Plan; Stormwater Management Plan; Comprehensive Homeless Strategy; Beach Renourishment
 - **High Priority on Policy Agenda:** Traffic Flow and Signal Synchronization Analysis; Moving Cars and People; Comprehensive Canal Dredging Master Plan; Riverwalk District Plan; Las Olas Marina; Tunnel Pedestrian Plaza and Intersection Improvements
 - **Top Priority on Management Agenda*:** All Aboard Florida Passenger Rail and Station Area Plan; Soccer and Lacrosse Athletic Fields; Public-Private Boathouse for Crew; Central Beach Master Plan; Marine Industry Strategy
 - **High Priority on Management Agenda*:** Wastewater Infiltration and Inflow; Shared Use of School Facilities; Code Compliance Improvements; Comprehensive Plan Amendments; Emergency Preparedness
- * These items are in progress and must be completed. Progress reports are sent to the Commission quarterly.

FY 2015 Proposed Budget – The City Manager's proposed budget was submitted to the City Commission on July 1; public hearings are set for **September 3rd and 10th at 6 PM in the City Hall Commission Chambers.** The City's property valuation came in 6.9% higher than last year, marking the 3rd consecutive year that our property values have climbed – another indication that our economy is back on track! For the 8th consecutive fiscal year, we're keeping the operating millage rate at 4.1193 per \$1,000 of taxable value. (You would have to go back 28 years – to 1986 – to find a time when Fort Lauderdale had a lower property tax rate than 4.1193.) We have kept the Fire Fee at \$225 per residential dwelling. The proposed General Fund Budget of \$293,765,001, while 2% higher than the current FY budget, exceeds policy with total fund balances of \$65.7 million or 23.7%. I believe the Proposed Budget moves us closer to achieving our citywide Vision of creating a diverse, active, livable, and sustainable community.

Household Hazardous Waste – The City has partnered with neighboring communities for disposal of household hazardous waste and electronics (**proof of residency required with driver's license or utility bill**). The schedule is:

- August 2: City of Fort Lauderdale/Mills Pond Park (9 AM - 2 PM) 2201 NW 9th Avenue
- September 13: City of Coconut Creek (9 AM - 2 PM) 4800 W. Copans Road
- November 8: City of Pompano Beach (9 AM - 2 PM) 1660 NE 10th Street (Community Park)
- December 6: City of Tamarac (9 AM - 2 PM) 6011 Nob Hill Road

Hurricane Season – See <http://www.fortlauderdale.gov/hurricane/index.htm> for useful hurricane information.

- **During the City Commission's 2014 Summer Recess (through August 17), my City Hall Office Hours for appointments are on Tuesdays from 4 - 6 PM.** Please contact MJ Matthews at 954-828-5028 or mjmatthews@fortlauderdale.gov to schedule.

Diversity Makes Us Strong

By Pastor Bill Knott, Abiding Savior Lutheran Church

We know the world is changing, our nation is changing, our state is changing, so it should not be too much of a surprise that our neighborhoods are changing as well. Most people don't like change. We like when things are just the way we like them or just the way they have always been. But truth and reality tell us over and over again that our world is not going to be that way.

By embracing the diversity that we live with each day, everywhere and using the best of who we are as well as developing a clear vision of who we desire to become, we can shape the future using the variety of tools, and in the case of our neighborhoods, the variety of people that our community brings us.

Of course it is a challenge to embrace change and it is a task to develop a vision that includes everyone, but successful communities in the twenty-first century learn to do just that.

Where to begin is often the first challenge that needs to be overcome, especially in older communities that have experienced rapid change. It's like doing what you did long ago all over again. But, it seems to take more work and you do have to be more intentional about making it happen.

First steps include learning to answer the age-old question, "Who is my neighbor?" and then determining what common goals and dreams you may share. Everyone wants to be happy, enjoy a long and happy life, enjoy the fruits of their labor and celebrate the gift of family in whatever expression they may find it.

Local communities that are successful find ways to do that through communication, cooperation, and caring.

Communication is a big first step. Do you talk to your neighbor? Do you know who your neighbors are and can you develop an appreciation for and understanding of where they have been and where they may be going in life and vice-versa?

What have you taken time to share with your neighbors? Have you been intentional in letting them know the same about you and your family? What do you have in common? What differences can you learn to appreciate and celebrate together?

Communities that cooperate in joint ventures grow stronger. Do you participate in your Homeowner's Association? Do you support community actions and endeavors by sharing your time and energy to help to make them a success?

Do you help to care for your neighbor as you might rightly expect them to help care for you? During storm season, the opportunity to plan together for the worst sometimes results in the best outcome. Community preparedness is often a stronger arm than individual preparedness. It just takes some intentional effort and planning.

These are just a few thoughts about what makes a community a strong neighborhood. The spirit that binds people together often knows none of the artificial bounds that we place between ourselves and others. Acting to overcome those boundaries can yield exciting, fun, and mutually beneficial results.



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Odds and Ends

Anchoring Regulations

By Captain Gary Klein

In response to increasing concerns between local governments and boaters related to anchoring in state waters within local jurisdictions, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) conducted a public meeting in Tallahassee on July 21-22, 2014, to discuss anchoring issues and potential ways forward to resolve the conflicts.

Attended by interested persons representing the boating industry, resident and visiting boaters and local and state governments, the two-day meeting focused on complex issues.

“Protecting the rights of people to use the waters kept in public trust by the state is very important,” said Lt. Colonel Jack Daugherty. “We all want to keep Florida a boater-friendly state and maintain that great part of the Florida lifestyle and economy. On the other hand, local governments have the duty to respond to the needs of their citizens. We are committed to a robust dialogue and to seeking balance between boating interests and local governments in an effort to identify points of consensus and to help resolve some of these issues.”

This year, Florida’s Legislature extended the Anchoring and Mooring Pilot Program, which was authorized in 2009 to look for solutions to these problems, for three additional years in order to allow for more time to test various anchoring strategies and to engage stakeholders in exploring possible legislative solutions. During the public meeting, a framework for potential future anchoring legislation was discussed along with several draft regulatory provisions based on components of the pilot program, each aimed at solving or minimizing specific anchoring challenges.

FWC staff will draft language based on comments from this meeting, distribute that language to interested parties and hold at least two additional public meetings to further refine a possible legislative proposal. Meeting notices and reference documents will be posted by mid-August on FWC’s Anchoring and Mooring web page, found at <http://myfwc.com/boating/anchoring-mooring>.



THE WELCOME COMMITTEE IS BACK

The Welcome Committee is again active. The committee has prepared Welcome Kits full of great information for new neighbors in Lauderdale Isles, including which trash can goes out on which day! The kits will help our new friends feel right at home in the neighborhood.

If you have a new neighbor, call your Lane Trustee and let them know. Lane Trustees will pick up a Welcome Kit from the Committee and deliver it to the new neighbor, along with a hearty “Welcome to Paradise.”

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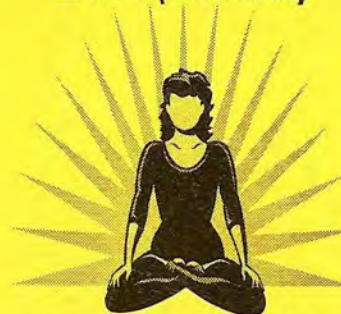
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DILAPIDATED DOCKS

Probably because of the start of hurricane season last month, we've received numerous complaints about dilapidated docks. So on July 26th, we boated down all ten of the canals in Lauderdale Isles to take a look. We spotted 24 docks in extremely poor condition; they would surely break apart in a storm and block navigation on the canals. If your dock looks like one of these, then it's time RIGHT NOW to take care of it, before the peak of hurricane season.



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LIWMD Update August 2014

Alligators

Our resident 8 foot gator, named “Wiley” because he just can’t be caught, was spotted numerous times in June, but hasn’t been seen since. The gator trapper and the Gator Boys have been out twelve times for this alligator. We asked Kevin, the trapper, what he thought. “He’ll be back, sooner or later.” If you spot him, call the FWC at 1-866-FWC-GATOR asap. And tell the kids swimming in our canals this summer to keep an eye out.

Canal Dredging

As part of the permitting process, the benthic survey to determine if any sea grass exists in our canals was completed by the City’s Environmental Services Department in May. They determined there is no sea grass in our canals. They saw lots of crabs, mullet, jacks, checkered puffers, palm fronds, coconuts, etc. You can see a copy of their report with pictures on our website.

The permits were submitted to all the permitting agencies on June 9 and they’re expected to be processed by September 9. Yes, the wheels of permitting turn slowly. Public Works advises that they still expect the dredging to start before the end of the year. We’re getting closer. . . .

Docks

With the beginning of hurricane season, we have gotten numerous inquiries about the condition of some of the docks in Lauderdale Isles. Is your dock in good shape? See the separate article in this newsletter about docks.

Oil Spills

With the rainy season upon us, we are seeing oil spills in the canals frequently. This is probably due to rain filling oily bilges causing bilge pumps to pump the mess out of the boat and into the canal. It is suspected that some of these spills are from boats that are renting dock slips in our neighborhood. (The renting of dock slips is illegal, per the City Code.) Regardless of who owns the boat, the property owner is the responsible party for these spills.

The best thing you can do about an oil spill in your canal is to call it in immediately, and the city will dispatch



Wiley in the Dolphin Canal, June

Environmental Services and/or the FLPD Marine Patrol. The appropriate numbers are listed below. The Marine Patrol has increased their patrols in our neighborhood in response to these spills. They are not going to treat these cases lightly.

September Lauderdale Isles Waterway Cleanup

Our first Lauderdale Isles September Waterway Cleanup is scheduled for Saturday, September 20th, 9am-noon, followed by a barbecue picnic for all the participants. The sponsors are LICIA, LIWMD, and the Yacht Club. Important: You must pre-register to participate, so we know how many boats & people to plan for. See the article elsewhere in this newsletter for details.

Aquatic Weed Growth

Last year at this time, we started to see significant amounts of aquatic weeds in several of the canals. LIWMD, with the City’s support, stands ready to have these weed blooms sprayed, if and when necessary. We are checking the canals weekly now, but if you have a weed problem you think needs immediate attention, let us know through the “Contact Us” page on liwmd.org.

WATERWAY ISSUES-Who to call

- **Alligators (& Crocodiles) Problems**
FWC Nuisance Alligators: 1-866-FWC-GATOR
- **Pollution/ Oil Spills:**
7:30 –5:00 Ft. Laud. Customer Service:954-828-8000
Evenings/Weekends: FLPD 954-764-HELP
- **Large Debris/Dead Animals in the water:**
Ft. Laud. Customer Service 954-828-8000
- **Injured Manatees**
FWC: 1-888-404-FWCC
- **Sinking or Sunk Boats**
FLPD 954-764-HELP or 911 for emergencies
- **Unsightly or Derelict Boats:**
Ft. Laud. Code Enforcement: 954-828-5207
- **Lawn Service Firms disposing debris in canal:**
FLPD 954-764-HELP
- **Illegal Dock Construction/Pilings/Dredging**
Code Enforcement: 954-828-5207
- **Large snook swimming off your dock:**
Don’t call anyone, get your fishing rod fast



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Whale

Tom and Carol Nicholls bought their Gulfstream home from this ad!

I found this in my files and do not know who sent it to me. The present owners of 2612 Whale Harbor Lane have claimed this original floor plan of their home.

GILL

WATERFRONT HOMES

\$10.750 — 2 Bedroom
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Model Home 1491 S.W 18th Terr.
Model Home 2400 Andros Lane
(At Riverland Road)

\$18.250 — 2 Bedroom
\$21.250 — 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath
Model Home 1500 S. E. 14th St.

GILL CONSTR. CO.
113 S.E. 2nd St.

Read it and weep! This early Gill ad was clipped from a January 1951 issue of the *Sun-Sentinel* by Marty Steinberg of Shady Banks.

Shady Banks, the original Lauderdale Isles Unit I, changed its name early in the game to prevent confusion between the two areas.

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Calling All Lauderdale Isles Neighbors

It's time for you to pitch in again and help enhance your waterways

Join us Saturday, September 20th, for the first

SEPTEMBER



WATERWAY CLEANUP

All the participants in the March Waterway Cleanup sponsored by MIA SF did a great job cleaning up our waterways. However, six months later, we need your help for another cleanup.

The waterways of Lauderdale Isles are the heart of our boating community. Here's your chance to step up to help keep our waterways clean and healthy.

Site Location: Lauderdale Isles Yacht Club

Hours: 9:00am to Noon

Free refreshments, snacks, bottled water & soda

Waterway Cleanup T-shirts for all participants

Prizes for the most "unique" trash brought in

You do not need a boat to participate

With your help, we can make this a great annual event!

After the cleanup, there will be a free barbecue picnic for all participants at the Yacht Club

You MUST pre-register to participate (See below)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **You must pre-register for this event.** Do so by going to www.liwmd.org and click on the Waterway Cleanup Registration page. You can pre-register through September 6th. Pre-registration is necessary so we can plan properly for the number of participants.
- Due to very limited dock space at the Yacht Club in September, we cannot accommodate large boats, over 23 feet long, so bring your dinghy instead.
- This cleanup is only for the ten canals and the New River within Lauderdale Isles, and is only open to Lauderdale Isles residents.

ATTENTION Kayakers, Canoeists, and Paddle boarders:
Experience has shown that your crafts are perfectly suited for cleaning debris out of the rocks on the south side of the river.
So please grab your paddle and be there!

This event made possible through the support of:



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FWC: Nuisance Alligators	866-392-4286
Animal Control	954-359-1313
Abandoned Vehicle/in ROW	954-828-5207
Broward Co. Mass Transit	954-357-8400
Building Construction	954-828-5191
City Hall	954-828-5004
Code Enforcement	954-828-5207
Department of Natural Res.	954-519-1400
DNRP Pollution Comp. Hotline	954-519-1499
Fire Non Emergency	954-828-5320
Police Non Emergency	954-828-5700
Planning and Zoning	953-828-5191
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General Meeting

Thursday, August 21st 7:00 PM

At

The Lauderdale Isles Yacht Club

All Neighborhood Residents Welcome!