

MIAMI SPRINGS

WEEKLY E-NEWS



**WELCOME TO OUR NEWSLETTER!
THIS IS A WEEKLY ADDED FEATURE TO THE
CITY'S COMMUNICATION. OUR GOAL IS TO
KEEP YOU INFORMED ON UPCOMING CITY
EVENTS AND NEWS WORTHY HIGHLIGHTS.**

"Thousands of candles can be lighted from a single candle, and the life of the candle will not be shortened. Happiness never decreases by being shared." –**Buddha**



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Key Messages for Tropical Depression Nine



Advisory 2: 11:00 AM EDT Fri Sep 23, 2022

1. The depression is expected to produce heavy rainfall and instances of flash flooding and possible mudslides in areas of higher terrain in Aruba, Bonaire, and Curacao. Heavy rains are also likely to spread into Jamaica, the Cayman Islands, and Cuba in the coming days.

2. The depression is expected to approach Jamaica as a tropical storm on Sunday and the Cayman islands as a hurricane on Monday. Watches for these locations may be required later today or on Saturday.

3. Early next week the system is forecast to move near or over western Cuba as a strengthening hurricane and then approach the Florida peninsula at or near major hurricane strength, with the potential for significant impacts from storm surge, hurricane-force winds, and heavy rainfall. While it is too soon to determine the exact magnitude and location of these impacts, residents in Cuba, the Florida Keys, and the Florida peninsula should ensure they have their hurricane plan in place and closely monitor forecast updates through the weekend.



For more information go to hurricanes.gov

RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS SHOULD KEEP AN EYE ON THIS STORM DURING THE COMING DAYS AND MAKE SURE YOU HAVE ALL YOU NEED FOR A HURRICANE. TO SEE WHAT YOU NEED FOR YOUR HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS LIST, PLEASE SCROLL UP THROUGH THIS NEWSLETTER.



Hurricane Preparedness List

Supplies You Need to
Stay Safe



Bottled Water & Non-Perishable Food Items

The most important things to have on your hurricane preparedness list are enough bottled water and non-perishable food items to last you and your family at least three days. We recommend securing at least a week's supply to ensure you're covered.

It's better to have more than you need because you can still use these items well after the storm passes. Here are our recommended items for your hurricane checklist:

- **Bottled water (7-day supply – one gallon per person, per day)**
- **Boxed juices and flavored drinks to mix it up**
- **Non-perishable foods (7-day supply)**
- **Ready-to-eat canned soups**
- **Canned vegetables, fruits and meats**
- **Granola, protein or other high-fiber bars**
- **Peanut butter, jerky and other high-energy foods**



Tools & Other Hurricane Supplies

If the power goes out, which it regularly does during hurricanes, you'll need enough tools, batteries and battery-powered devices to keep you comfortable after the sun goes down and without the electricity.

From emergency repairs to simply getting through the night without being bored, these tools and other supplies should be added to your hurricane checklist to get you through the storm.

- AA, AAA and D batteries
- Flashlight and headlamp (free up hands in the dark)
- Battery-powered radio (tuned to National Hurricane Center channel)
- Battery-powered phone charger
- Pliers, hammer and nails, and screwdrivers with screws (Flathead and Phillips)
- Duct tape or another strong adhesive
- Plastic or paper cups, plates and utensils
- Plastic or glass storage containers
- Portable waterproof container (for important documents such as insurance policies, birth certificates and deeds)
- Board games and a deck of cards
- Generator
- Waterproof clothing
- Sleeping bags
- Clean clothes and blankets
- Candles
- Matches, lighters or waterproof fire-starter



First-Aid Kit & Sanitation Items

If you sustain a minor injury a first-aid kit and compilation of sanitation items can help to prevent further injury and disastrous infections. Similar to your hurricane supply of water and non-perishable food items, you should also have a seven-day – hurricane supply of all the following first-aid and sanitation items.

- **Adhesive and gauze bandages**
- **Gauze pads and adhesive cloth tape**
- **Hydrogen peroxide and antibacterial ointment**
- **Medical scissors and tweezers**
- **Aspirin, ibuprofen or acetaminophen**
- **Recently refilled prescription medications**
- **Non-latex gloves**
- **Antibacterial hand sanitizer, soap and hand wipes**
- **Insect repellent**



Extra Fuel

Gas stations within hurricane-affected areas tend to run out of fuel days or weeks before the initial strike, so it's imperative to ensure you at least have a full tank in your car in the days leading up to landfall. If you have the ability or plan to use a generator, fill up extra containers and keep them in a safe place for later use.

Do not use generators inside your home or garage or near doors, windows or vents, as they emit carbon dioxide, which can become lethal to humans if breathed in.

The safest way to prepare for a hurricane is to get far away from its expected path of destruction. This will ensure you and your family stay safe. After all, you can repair and replace your home and belongings, but you cannot replace your life.



The New Alert Miami Springs is a free service to all Miami Springs residents and business owners. All landline owners will automatically receive a voice-recorded message with important and/or emergency messages.

If you wish to add any other devices, click the button below to register your cell phone, email, home and/or business phone, and hearing-impaired devices. You can enter up to five numbers to receive these alerts (e.g.: home, business, child's school, and/or another family member).

We also encourage you to download the free Everbridge app to stay tuned with the most recent "Alerts".

Remember, if we can't reach you, we can't alert you!

Click the button below to sign up.

CLICK HERE



Individuals across
the nation can
call or text

9888

TO GET SUPPORT FROM THE NATIONAL
SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE WHEN IN
A SUICIDIAL, MENTAL HEALTH, OR
SUBSTANCE CRISIS.

Vaccination Site

Florida Department of Health
Miami Springs Aquatic Center
Multi-Purpose Room

Monday's
&

Friday's

9AM-4PM

Pfizer, & J&J 3rd Dose Booster Available for all



1st, 2nd, doses and booster shots
Walk- Ups Only, No Appointments
Pfizer ONLY Individuals 5+ (with parent or legal guardian)
Photo ID Required
NO PROOF OF FLORIDA RESIDENCY REQUIRED

With Support From
Mayor Maria Mitchell
&
Councilmembers Best,
Fajet, Bravo and
Vazquez



With Support
From
Senator
Bryan Avila



GET THE FLU SHOT

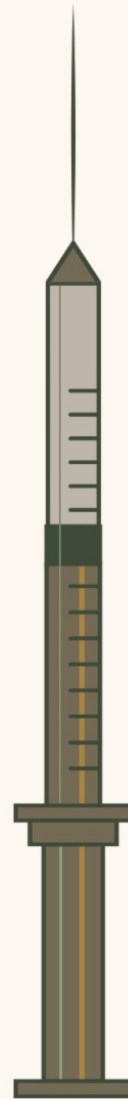
Must be 18 years
of age or older.

Get your flu shot at the Miami
Springs Aquatic Center (Multi-
Purpose Room.

**Monday's &
Friday's ONLY
9AM-4PM**

1401 Westward Drive

For more info call : **305-805-5078**



PCR COVID TESTING

CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS WITH NOMI HEALTH

MONDAY- SATURDAY

8AM-5PM



**MIAMI SPRINGS
COMMUNITY CENTER
PARKING LOT.**

**NO APPOINTMENT
NEEDED**

Pre-Registration Recommended.



**24 HOUR RESULTS
TESTING IS FOR 12 MONTHS OF AGE AND OLDER**



THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS IS HIRING

- MAINTENANCE WORKER I
- POLICE DISPATCHER TRAINEE
- POLICE OFFICER (CERTIFIED)

To apply, please
click the link.

***[https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers
/miamispringsfl](https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/miamispringsfl)***

ADVISORY BOARD **MEMBERS NEEDED**

DO YOU LOVE MIAMI SPRINGS? DO YOU WORK OR HAVE EXPERIENCE IN FIELDS THAT COULD BENEFIT THE CITY? THEN WHY NOT GET INVOLVED AND SERVE ON AN ADVISORY BOARD?!

THE DIFFERENT CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS ADVISORY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS MEET ON A REGULAR BASIS TO REVIEW, ADVISE AND ASSIST THE CITY COUNCIL WITH DECISIONS IN MANY AREAS THAT AFFECT THE WONDERFUL QUALITY OF LIFE THAT WE ENJOY.

CURRENTLY, THE FOLLOWING BOARDS HAVE VACANCIES AND WOULD BE HAPPY TO HAVE YOU:

- ECOLOGY ADVISORY BOARD
- BOARD OF PARKS AND PARKWAYS

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON AN ADVISORY BOARD, PLEASE COMPLETE AN APPLICATION BY FOLLOWING THIS LINK: [HTTPS://WWW.MIAMISPRINGS-FL.GOV/BC](https://www.miamisprings-fl.gov/bc)

PLEASE SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE EMAIL CITYCLERK@MIAMISPRINGS-FL.GOV. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT 3085.805.5005.





City Council Meeting
Monday, September 26
7:00pm
City Hall
in Council Chambers

To view the agenda packet please
[click here.](#)

Miami Springs Adult Community
Center Presents:

TAI CHI

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS

At the Adult Community Center

*Located in the Betty Bray Fitness Room

11:30am-12:30pm

Instructor: Judd Zisquit



**MIAMI SPRINGS
ADULT COMMUNITY
CENTER PRESENTS:**

**MUSIC
APPRECIATION
CLASS**

**EVERY THURSDAY
9:30 AM
ADULT COMMUNITY CENTER**



A FAREWELL EVENING
HONORING COMMISSIONER
REBECA SOSA



MIAMI SPRINGS MAYOR MARIA MITCHELL AND
COUNCILMEMBERS BOB BEST, JACKY BRAVO, WALTER
FAJET AND VICTOR VAZQUEZ CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO
A COCKTAIL RECEPTION AT THE CURTISS MANSION.

TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 28, 2022
FROM 7PM TO 9PM
TO HONOR COMMISSIONER REBECA SOSA FOR ALL OF HER
YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO OUR COUNTY.

EVENT TO BE HELD AT:
THE CURTISS MANSION
500 DEER RUN
MIAMI SPRINGS, FLORIDA 33166



PLEASE RSVP BY SEPTEMBER 23, 2022 BY FOLLOWING
THE LINK BELOW:

[HTTPS://COMMISSIONERREBECASOSA.EVENTBRITE.COM](https://commissionerrebecasosa.eventbrite.com)

TICKETS ARE LIMITED AND ARE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS.

DRESS CODE: BUSINESS CASUAL ATTIRE.



TICKETS FOR THIS
EVENT ARE
COMPLIMENTARY

PLEASE CLICK
HERE TO REGISTER.
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FIRST SERVED
BASIS.



Follow the Miami Springs Parks & Recreation Department

@miamispringsparksandrecreation



Follow to stay up to date on all future events.

Fall Sports

Halloween Events

Thanksgiving Events

Christmas Events

+ Other Fun Events

For more information contact the parks
and recreation department 305-805-5075



HAUNTING SOON...

COSTUME CONTEST

PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST

HOWL -O- SPRINGS

LOOK OUT FOR DATES



CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS

Aquatic Center

FALL HOURS
MONDAY-THURSDAY :
7AM-1PM/ 3PM-7PM
FRIDAY:
9AM-1PM/3PM-7PM
SATURDAY: 10AM-6PM
SUNDAY: 12PM-5PM



FOR MORE INFO
CONTACT THE AQUATIC CENTER: 305.805.5078



MAYOR MITCHELL AND SENATOR-ELECT BRYAN AVILA

IN COLLABORATION WITH:
CONGRESSMAN MARIO DIAZ-BALART
STATE REPRESENTATIVE ALEX RIZO
STATE REPRESENTATIVE TOM FABRICIO
STATE REPRESENTATIVE DAVID BORERRO
CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS COUNCIL

LINDA FENNER 3D MOBILE
MAMMOGRAPHY CENTER

FREE BREAST CANCER SCREENING & ZUMBA CLASS

Uninsured Women Aged 40 & Above
Appointments Encouraged

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2022
9AM-3PM | ZUMBA 10:30AM
MIAMI SPRINGS COMMUNITY CENTER
1401 WESTWARD DRIVE
MIAMI SPRINGS, FL 33166

Zumba Class
Limited to 20 People
RSVP to 305.805.5127



BECAUSE YOU LOVED US, DARLINGS

We're back!

THE WITCHES OF WESTWARD

A family-friendly, wickedly fun experience you
don't want to miss!

New magical surprises & some unexpected visitors!

OCTOBER 20-23

SENSORY FRIENDLY (SF) SHOW ON THURSDAY & FRIDAY

TICKETS ON SALE ON **eventbrite**



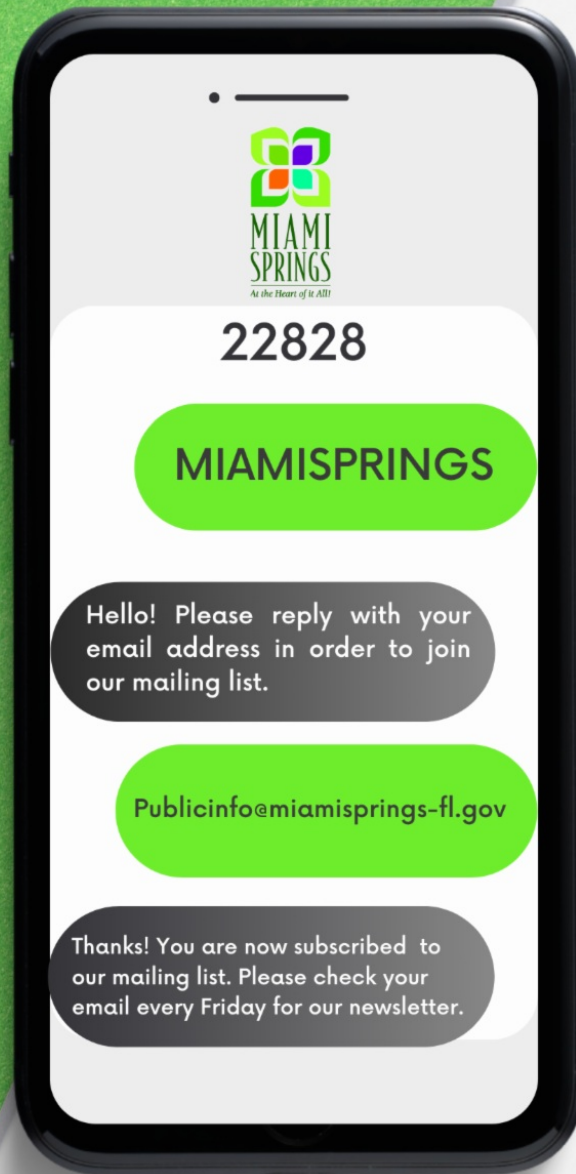
**CLICK HERE
TO
PURCHASE
TICKETS**

PRE-ORDER YOUR CHRISTMAS TREES



Pre- Order your Christmas Tree.
\$50 Deposit.
Send your Deposit Via Zelle
SFCtroop334@gmail.com(Stephen Rabe)
or mail to Troop 334, PO Box 660272,
Miami Springs FL 33266

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IMPORTANT CITY NUMBERS:

Police: 305-888-9711

Public Works: 305-805-5170

City Clerk: 305-805-5005

Building and Code: 305-805-5030

Parks and recreation: 305-805-5075

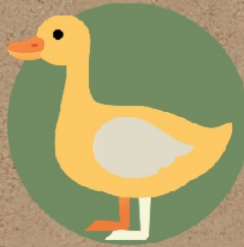
City Hall: 305-805-5000

Senior Center: 305-805-5160

Golf Course: 305-805-5180



Thank you for not feeding us.. Feeding the wildlife...



Prevents us from
gathering proper
wild food



Provides us with
empty calories and
no nutrition



Keeps us in one
location and
dependent on you



May cause over
population and
disease



Pollutes your water



Feeds the rodents
as well

Our Mayor and Council are here to serve you.
You can contact them by email, phone or text



Mayor Maria Mitchell
mitchellm@miamisprings-fl.gov
305-962-5545



**Vice Mayor
Walter Fajet**
fajetw@miamisprings
-fl.gov
786-285-3794



**Councilman
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**Councilwoman
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786-831-3332



**Councilman
Victor Vazquez**
vazquezv@miamisp
rings-fl.gov
305-833-1830

**HAVE A GREAT
WEEKEND!**

&

**MAKE SURE YOU HAVE ALL YOU
NEED FOR A
TROPICAL STORM/HURRICANE.**



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