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Clean Up!

The City of Pompano Beach Animal Control Division receives one messy complaint more than any other. We receive at least one complaint every day related to...dog pooh. The typical attitude of the complaining party is anger with a twist. They are not only angry at the dog owners who do not clean up after their dogs, but they also blame Animal Control personally, as if we are the ones walking the dog! Here is a list of the most frequent dogged offenses:

- Early riser: The justification is while everyone is asleep, no one will notice.
- Jogger: Most dogs try to stop or even slow down to defecate during the jog, but that requires the owner to slow down therefore allowing people to notice the offense, so they drag the dog until he learns to go on the run. Once he is trained to go on the run, owners justify, it didn't really happen.
- Swale walkers: This is the owner that believes that if the dog goes in the city swale, it is okay because it is not technically a home owner's property.
- Park and beach walker: This is one of my favorites! Mom calls Animal Control furious because her child rolled in pooh and we weren't there to catch the culprit.
- Midnight walker: This one either walks without a leash or uses a very long retractable leash after dark when no one can see the violation.

We live in a highly dense community. What you do with your pet will certainly have an affect on your neighbor. Although it is something everyone should know, we do have pooper scooper laws in place to insure owners pick up after their pets.

The current ordinance 90.07 Animal Committing a Nuisance (6) pertains to cleaning up on public property or upon premises not owned or controlled by the owner unless promptly removed. This section has a \$250 first offense and \$500 second and subsequent offenses penalty. Subsection (7) of the same ordinance pertains to urination whereas damage would occur and or on the living area not owned or controlled by the animal owner to include: porches, patios, balconies, and or furnishings contained thereon. Subsection (B) requires that when walking your pet you must carry a reasonable method of removal of defecation and this subsection carries a \$100 first offense penalty. 90.19 Cleaning of enclosure requires the owner to clean their own yard or pen and does not allow for more fecal matter to accumulate than what can reasonably be produced in a 24-hour period.

The advent of the retractable dog leash has not helped the problem. Many times an owner is standing in one place such as the sidewalk and their dog is 20 feet away due to the retractable leash. The owner does not retrieve the feces due to the distance - which might be by your front door. Dogs as well as cats tend to relieve themselves in heavily traveled areas because they are marking their territory. Front doors make especially good markers. There are many other motives that prevent some owners from cleaning up, but I think the most common is that it is messy and not in their front yard.

So how do we get the stubborn pet owner to have a sense of community pride? By example. Carry your bags so everyone can see them when you are walking your dog. If you see someone without a bag, offer them one of yours, politely. If all else fails, contact Animal Control and we can patrol your neighborhood during the times you specify. Some people have even resorted to taking video or still pictures. A picture and a sworn statement has actually been enough evidence to issue a citation.

Proper disposal, once it is bagged, is the trash receptacle. It is not against the law and is much better than trying to wash it down. Many residents are responsible pet owners and do clean up after their pets. Hopefully, those who do not will read this article and think twice about bagging this messy situation.



by David Aycock
Animal Control Officer



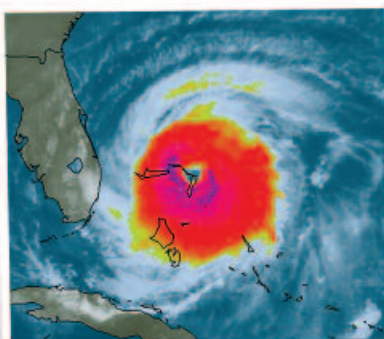
Become CERT-ified!

The 2004 hurricane season brought one storm after another to the State of Florida. The photos below show Hurricane Francis pounding the Pompano Fishing Pier and Hurricane Jeanne approaching the Florida coast. How can you be better prepared for emergencies such as hurricanes?

The City of Pompano Beach Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Program is an educational program for local citizens that prepare you to help yourself, family, and neighborhood in the event of a disaster. Pompano Beach Fire-Rescue is hosting an accelerated CERT class where you can become a CERT member in only 4 weeks!

Twenty-five Pompano Beach Citizens completed five weeks of disaster preparation training with Pompano Beach Fire-Rescue. Graduation for the CERT Training Class was held on July 9, 2005. Pictured below in the front row (left to right): Mark Trezona, Roger Panther, Mary Howell, Cindy Trezona, Grazia Damasceno, and Mary Lou Gillis. Pictured below in the back row (left to right): Fire Chief Harry Small, Robert Becker, Mary Chambers, George Lijeron, Mary Saddler, Troy Weiss, Maria Quinones, Bryan Melhado, Kelly Parish, Nick Damasceno, Arianna Chingari, Kevin Brererton, and Training Officer Ted Martin.

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PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

What's inside...

As many of you have noticed, Pompano Community Park is currently under renovation. Phase one of the project started in July and includes many items such as renovation of the basketball court, jogging trail resurfacing, placement of new equipment along the jogging trail, construction of two new parking areas, landscaping along with many improvements to the tennis courts and Tennis Center. We plan to have phase one completed by January 2006 and will begin with phase two of the Community Park Project shortly after phase one is completed. Phase two will consist of ballfield and playground improvements. The park renovation project will be gradually completed over a three to four year period. We encourage residents to continue enjoying Community Park and look forward to when the park renovation project is completed.

The Parks and Recreation Department has many projects taking place in the near future including renovations at Mitchell/Moore Park scheduled to begin in December of 2005. Hunters Manor Park is currently in the design phase. We are also very excited about the completion of Avondale Park and Weaver Community Park which are scheduled to be open in late August or early September and contain such amenities as playgrounds, restrooms, pavilions, jogging trails, basketball courts and much more. Construction of the new Community Park Pool will begin in October of 2005. Due to grant funding deadlines, the new Mitchell/Moore Pool will begin as soon as the Community Park Pool is finished. As you receive this magazine, the Parks and Recreation Department is making plans to open the E. Pat Larkins Community Center located at 520 Martin Luther King, Jr., Boulevard. The new Community Center consists of meeting rooms, auditorium/banquet facility and full service kitchen. As you can see our future is bright in Pompano Beach and the Parks and Recreation Department remains committed to providing you with outstanding programs and facilities.

The Parks and Recreation Department will host a number of special events during the fall/winter season such as the Halloween Fun Fair, Nautical Flea Market, Yuletide On Atlantic, Breakfast With Santa, Winter Concert Series and Showtime at the Skolnick Center. I would like to encourage you and your family to join us for one or more of our special events. Please see the Calendar of Events page for dates, times and locations of our special events.

The Parks and Recreation Department is always looking for volunteers to assist with our special events. If you would like to volunteer, please call Chris Sisto at 954-786-4575. We are also looking for dedicated people who would like to join the Yuletide On Atlantic Committee. If you are interested in joining the Yuletide Committee please call Anne Hollady at 954-786-4191.

If you have any questions or suggestions regarding the programs and activities we offer, please call me at 954-786-4191.

Sincerely,

Tim Tracey
Parks and Recreation Director



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Registration Fees

A registration fee is charged for all adult programs held at all Centers.

Residents \$5.00 per class
Non-residents \$10.00 per class.

Disclaimer

All classes, programs, dates and fees shown in this brochure are subject to change.

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Hours of Operation: Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.; Friday & Saturday, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Closed on Sunday;

Pompano Beach Highlands Park and Recreation Center consists of 3.3 acres.

Park Facilities: basketball, multipurpose field, picnicking, playground, small shelter, and volleyball. The Center is the perfect location for meetings and special events as well as classes and private parties. Space is available on a first-come, first-serve basis and can be reserved by calling Scott Moore at 954-363-3313.

TINY TOTS

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AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Ages 6 and up; 2-5:30 p.m.; Mon.-Fri. Fees: \$80/month plus a one time non-refundable \$15 registration fee. Extended hours during school holidays and teacher planning days. Extended hour fees: \$20 - full days; \$12 - half day. Program includes planned schedule, time for homework, recreational activities, arts and crafts and other enrichment activities. For more info. call 954-363-3313.

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RED CROSS BABYSITTER TRAINING COURSE

The Babysitter's Training Course from the Red Cross will teach 11-15 year olds everything they will need to be a great babysitter. Learn how to perform first aid and get professional medical help fast, identify common safety hazards and prevent injuries and supervise infants through school. This class combines video, activities, hands-on skills training and discussion for the most complete learning experience. For more info. on upcoming classes call 954-363-3313.

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DYNAMITE CHEER AND DANCE

This program is for children ages 7-12. Children will learn cheer and dance routines incorporating cheers, stunts, chants and tumbling. All participants must wear red shorts, cheer t-shirt (\$10) and sneakers. Cost: \$45 every 4 weeks. Class meets Wed. 6:50-8 p.m. *Participants in the Dynamite Cheer and Dance will have the opportunity to perform at competitions and special events.

CHEER, CHANT AND POM POM DANCE

This program is for children ages 4-6. Children will learn cheers, chants, pom pom routines, tumbling skills and small stunts. All participants must wear red shorts, cheer t-shirt (\$10) and sneakers. Cost: \$35/child every 4 weeks. Class Meets Wed. 6-6:45 p.m.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETINGS AT THE HIGHLANDS

Bass Masters	2nd Wed. of month	7:30-9 p.m.
Health Alliance	4th Wed. of month	7:30-9 p.m.
Pompano Highlands Civic	1st Thu. of month	7:30-9 p.m.
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Business Hours: See below for more detailed information



All the staff at the pools are certified through the American Red Cross in First Aid, Lifeguard Training (LGT), Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation for the Professional Rescuer (CPR PR), Automated External Defibrillator (AED), Water Safety Instructor (WSI) and Oxygen Administration.



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 Residents: \$3/Class or \$25 for 10 Classes
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PRIVATE LESSONS - One of our staff members will give you private swim lessons at your convenience. Offered at Mitchell/Moore or Aquatic Center. Lessons will be offered at 10 and 10:30 a.m. or 3 and 3:30 p.m. Residents: \$45; Three 30-minute lessons; Non-Res.: \$50; Three 30-minute lessons. Please call 954-786-4128 for availability.

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The Municipal Pier, 222 N. Pompano Beach Boulevard is open 24 hours a day. Bait is available in the tackle shop. Food and beverages can be purchased at the Pier. North Ocean Park, NE 16 Street also offers a picnic area.

The public beach has two beach chairs which provides access to the beach for our special needs residents and visitors. The beach chairs are available at the Main Lifeguard Headquarters seven days a week on a first-come, first-served basis.



SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Boogie Boarding is allowed everywhere on the beach, however, surfing is only allowed in designated areas. Wrist or ankle leashes are mandatory.

Hobie Cats, Wind Surfers, and paddle and wind driven vessels can be launched at NE 16 Street only and must stay 100 yards off the public beach. Boats (both sail and motor) must also stay 100 yards off the public beach.

Boat and Jet Ski launching is available at Alsdorf Park on NE 14 Street Causeway and the Intracoastal Waterway. A playground picnic area is also available at this site.

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OCEAN RESCUE

The Beach Patrol consists of 17 highly trained men and women who protect swimmers along 1,000 yards of beach. Our Ocean Lifeguards are certified First Responders or licensed EMT's who are trained to handle any emergency and are equipped with full basic life support supplies such as AED's and oxygen. Our agency's lifeguard certification is provided through the United States Lifesaving Association (USLA). Our Ocean Lifeguards also have extensive knowledge of the ocean and beach environment and are always happy to answer questions from the public. For more information or comments please email Lifeguard Captain James Gray at james.gray@copbfl.com

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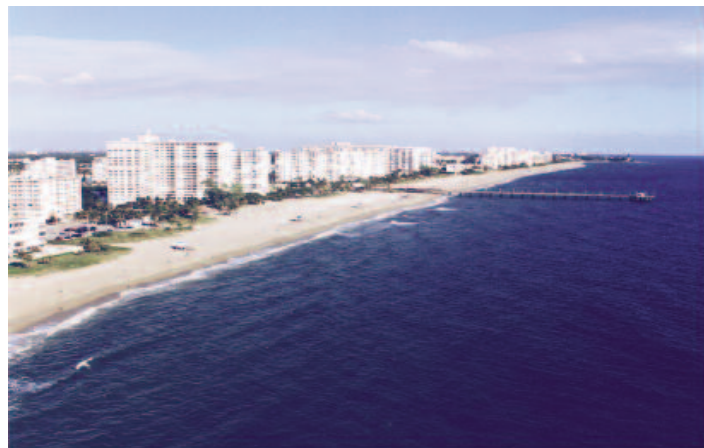
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PETS are not allowed on the beach.

FALL JUNIOR LIFEGUARD INVITATIONAL CAMP

The Fall Junior Lifeguard Camp is open to veteran participants of the program only. Camp will be Sat. Oct. 8, 22, Nov. 5, 19 & Dec. 3 from 8:30 a.m.-Noon. Costs: \$30/Residents \$35/Non-Res. plus a \$15 Registration Fee. (No registration fee if you participated in the 2005 Summer Program.) Registration will be taken at the Aquatic Center or Civic Center beginning Sept. 3. Registration Deadline: Oct. 1. For more info. call 954-786-4111 or Email questions to james.gray@copbfl.com.

BEACH CONDITION INFORMATION - 954-786-4005

Information is provided daily regarding swimming conditions at Pompano Beach. After 9 a.m. daily, call the above telephone number for a recording describing water and weather conditions as well as the presence of Man-O-War or Sea Lice.

BEACH CONDITION FLAGS

■ Green - Good ■ Yellow - Caution ■ Red - Hazardous

■ Two Red - Very Hazardous (Water is closed to the public)

■ Purple - Sea Pests

PORTUGUESE MAN-O-WAR

The Man-O-War is a member of the jellyfish family. It resembles a small blue-purple oblong balloon with dark purple long hanging tentacles. Avoid contact with these tentacles at all cost. A small piece will cause a bee sting sensation. More extensive contact will cause excruciating pain and may require a trip to the emergency room. Symptoms include: Respiratory difficulty, cramps, vomiting and allergic reaction. Spray area stung with vinegar and scrape or pick the tentacles off. Pain can last several hours.

SEA BATHER ERUPTION (SEA LICE)

Sea Lice is caused by the juvenile stage of the Lunche Unguiculata jellyfish. It occurs sporadically from March to August, peaking in May. Symptoms can last two to four days and include itching, red welts or blotches, fever, nausea and infected blisters. In rare cases it can last two weeks. The area affected is usually concentrated under bathing attire and where skin rubs together. Treatment: Over-the-counter one percent cortisone cream. An oral antihistamine will help. For severe reactions, call your physician.

951 NW 27 Ave., Telephone: (954) 974-7394

Business Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m., Saturday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

The McNair Recreation Center, named in honor of the astronaut who flew the fatal Challenger mission, is located between Atlantic Boulevard and Martin Luther King Boulevard, on NW 27 Avenue.

The Center has an arts and crafts, game and club room as well as a gymnasium, and offers recreation programs for city residents of all ages. The facilities are available to rent on a limited basis by community groups or individuals. To reserve a room call Jesse Smith at 954-974-7394.

AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM - FREE

Ages 6-12. Mon.-Fri., 2-5:30 p.m. Your child will be involved in a variety of supervised activities such as arts and crafts, homework assistance, reading, game room activities and much more.

GIRLS' CLUB - FREE

Ages 8-13. Mon.-Thur., 3:30-5:30 p.m. Develop self-confidence. Join your friends for girl talk and lots of fun. Be involved in various activities, art projects and workshops.

YOUTH SEWING CLASS - FREE

Ages 9-16. Mon. 6-8 p.m. Create your own style! Discover how much fun sewing can be. Help yourself and mom make easy alterations.

OPEN GYM & GAME ROOM - FREE

Shoot a few baskets or pick up a basketball game.

The gym is supervised.

Ages 13 and under; Mon.-Thur. 6-7:00 p.m.; Sat. 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Ages 14 and over; Mon.-Thur. 7-8:30 p.m.; Sat., 2-4 p.m.

FREE PROGRAMS are funded by a Community Development Block Grant.

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Ages 8-15. Registration starts Dec. 2005. League begins Jan. 2006. Cost. \$35/Resident; \$70/Non-Res. Learn basketball fundamentals and skills while traveling throughout the city.

HAPKIDO CLASS

Ages 6-13. Learn basic self-defense and mental discipline. Class is for beginners. Uniforms cost \$20. For more info. and class dates call 954-974-7394.

KIDZ 'N THE HOOD - FREE

Ages 13-18. Wed., 6-7:30 p.m. This is a variety and talk show geared towards helping kids talk about problems and solutions in their community, school, and neighborhood.

ELEGANT DIVAS' DRILL SQUAD - FREE

Ages 4-17. Registration fee \$5. Starts Sept. Thur., 5:30-7:30 p.m. Through this program, members will develop leadership skills, enhance their social and coordination skills as well as build their self-esteem. Members will receive the foundation for setting, pursuing and achieving their goals. For more info. call Instructor Patricia Williams at 754-246-9288.

COMPUTER LAB - FREE

Ages 9-12. This is a basic class designed to increase computer knowledge among youngsters. Mon.-Fri., 3:30-5:30 p.m.

READING PROGRAM - FREE

Ages 6-13. This program enhances the reading skills of young children. Tue. - Thur., 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Advertisement

Shuffleboard Club

McNab Park
2250 East Atlantic Boulevard

Come and join the men and women who enjoy the fun of shuffleboard at McNab Park located one block east of US 1 at 2250 E. Atlantic Boulevard. The club meets every Mon., Wed. and Fri., 12:15 - 3:30 p.m. Oct. through Apr. and Mon., Wed. and Fri., 9 - 11:30 a.m. May through Sept.

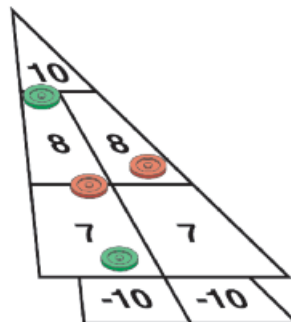
Shuffleboard is a game of shooting skills and numerous playing strategies. The club members are always willing to share their enthusiasm and experience with new members.

Whether you are an accomplished player or simply want to learn, you are sure to make new friends and enjoy the fun and challenge of this international sport.

Annual membership is \$15 and your first day is free. Occasional pizza parties and an annual Christmas party are included in the fun.

The club is open year round, offering play to all residents. For club info. call Keith at 954-783-7177.

McNab Park has tennis, racquetball and basketball courts, restrooms and a children's playground.



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OASIS (Our Alternate Supply Irrigation System) City Resident's Logo & Slogan Contest

The City of Pompano Beach Utilities Department is holding a contest to create a logo and slogan for the City's Reuse Utility.....What? You ask, "What is reuse?"

Reuse starts as treated wastewater that would have been discharged into the ocean from the County wastewater plant. Past and present city commissions have had the foresight to invest in a reuse treatment facility.

The Reuse Treatment Plant takes the County's treated wastewater plant discharge and further treats and disinfects the water for use as irrigation water. Hence, the water is reclaimed or reused in place of wasting drinking water for irrigation at the city golf course, road medians and homes. For every gallon of reuse water used, a gallon of drinking water is saved. Reuse:

- Enhances water resources
- Ensures a supply of fresh drinking water for our citizens
- Battles saltwater intrusion into the drinking water aquifer
- Provides a means of irrigation during times of drought
- Cost .39 cents per 1,000 gallons vs. a minimum \$1.48 - \$2.51 per 1,000 gallons of drinking water.
- Protects the environment

Look for the **PURPLE PIPE** and **METER LIDS**! Purple is the universal color of reuse water. The system is located from the Airpark to the intracoastal. As the system grows look for PURPLE! For more information on reuse, go to the city website - www.mypompanobeach.org.

YOU CAN WIN!!!!

There will be two winners! One for the best slogan and one for the best logo!

The winning entries will receive:

- **A \$100 gift certificate from Lowe's**
- **Special recognition at a City Commission Meeting**
 - **Tour of the Reuse Water Treatment Plant**
 - **T-shirt with your winning logo and slogan**

Rules and Guidelines

The Logo should follow these guidelines:

- Be clearly visible when reduced to a 1" size
- Contain the colors **purple** and **green**
- Consist of original artwork

The Slogan should follow these guidelines:

- Limited to 10 words
- Include the word OASIS and/or POMPANO BEACH
- Inspire thoughts of environment, reuse, green, conservation, etc.

Contest Rules:

1. You must be a City of Pompano Beach resident.
2. Entries can be submitted via email to: Oasis.reuse@copbfl.com All entries must include your name, address, and phone number. E-mailed art work should be attached in a .jpg format.
3. Entries may also be mailed to: City of Pompano Beach OASIS Contest
c/o. Utilities Department P.O. Drawer 1300, Pompano Beach, FL 33061. Use entry form below.
4. Enter as often as you like; each entry should be submitted separately.
5. Entries must be received prior to 5:00 p.m on November 15, 2005.
6. To ensure a fair contest, entries will be assigned a consecutive number as they are received. The identity of the submitter will not be included for judges' viewing. All entries will be viewed and voted on by the City of Pompano Beach Commissioners and a team of Utilities employees who will judge the entries and select the winning logo and slogan.
7. All submissions become the property of the City of Pompano Beach.
8. Only winning entrants will be notified directly by Utilities staff.
9. Winners will be announced in the January issue of Trade Winds.
10. City Commissioners, judging team members and non-city residents are not eligible to be winners.

OASIS CONTEST MAIL-IN ENTRY FORM

☐ **SLOGAN**

☐ **LOGO**

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Email (Optional) _____

PROTECT YOUR HOME AND PROPERTY FROM FLOOD DAMAGE

This article is required by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to satisfy provisions in the Community Rating System (CRS) for reduced costs for flood insurance. The following is offered to Pompano Beach residents to help prevent and minimize the impact on lives and property caused by floodwaters.

Flood Hazard Map - The City's Engineering Department has prepared a Flood Criteria Map identifying flood zones for all properties in the city; it determines the flood hazard associated with any parcel in the city. The map is located in the Building Department at City Hall.

Flood Risk - Although we have been fortunate for the past 30 years, Hurricane Andrew and the 17 inches of rain that fell from Hurricane Irene, remind us the possibility of flooding exists with every major storm.

Flood Warning System - The City of Pompano Beach, in coordination with Broward County, has a warning system to notify residents of impending flood danger. Warnings will be transmitted on public address systems, television, radio, telephone and on a door-to-door basis. Listen for instructions during times of flood risk.

Flood Safety - These are precautionary steps to consider before possible flooding:

- Listen to radio or television for warnings.
- Obey warning and evacuation instructions from disaster officials.
- Know your evacuation zone and route.
- Take your own essentials (food, toiletries, clothes, blankets, etc.).
- Turn off the electricity and gas before leaving your home.
- Bring a battery-operated flashlight.
- Be careful at all times, particularly at night, and try to remain calm.

Flood Insurance - Most homeowners' insurance policies do not cover property losses due to flood waters. To insure your property for flood damage, you need a flood insurance policy. If you do not have valid flood insurance, contact an agent immediately. Property owners can insure property; renters can insure possessions. The City of Pompano Beach participates in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) to provide city residents with the initial qualification to purchase flood insurance. We applied to FEMA for participation in the CRS program to enable our residents to qualify for lower flood insurance premiums.

Property Protection - There are ways to minimize property losses from flood damage, including:

- Move furniture and other household valuables to rooms or spaces in the upper story of a two-story dwelling or a location higher than the regular floor elevation in a single story home.
- Place sandbags in strategic places around your property prior to flood status. When sandbags are placed correctly at proper locations, that can slow up and divert flood waters.

- Upgrading your property can include building flood walls or elevating a structure.

Development Permits - All development (new construction, additions, renovations, alterations to properties, etc.) in the City of Pompano Beach require a construction permit.

Major Improvements - The NFIP and the South Florida Building Code require the entire building to conform to the requirements for a new building when building repairs or alterations exceed 50 percent of the building's market value. All applicable building permit applications must conform to this requirement when submitted to the Building Department. The requirement may also apply if a building is substantially damaged due to flooding.

Stormwater Management - Stormwater is managed through a system of drainage canals maintained regularly by our Public Works Department and the Broward County Office of Environmental Services. Constant water flow through these canals, especially during heavy storms, is essential to flood prevention in the city. City and state laws prohibit dumping trash in waterways. Report violators to Public Works Department at (954) 786-4060.

Natural Habitat - State regulations protect those natural areas that help to reduce the risks associated with flooding. Along the beach, no new structures are permitted seaward of the Coastal Construction Line without permission. Other restrictions prevent some wetland areas from development.

Additional Information - We urge city residents to contact or visit the Building Department to determine the flood zone and flood elevation for their property. The library at the Building Department is available for your reference. Pompano Beach City Hall is at 100 West Atlantic Boulevard, Pompano Beach, Florida. The Pompano Beach Branch of the Broward County Library, located at 1300 East Atlantic Boulevard, has information on flood insurance, flood protection and flood plain management.

Rate Reductions - On June 11, 1993, the city received a letter from FEMA commending our efforts to exceed minimum standards of the National Flood Insurance Program to meet the requirements for a Class 9 rating in the CRS. These actions earned Pompano Beach residents a five percent discount for NFIP policies issued or renewed on or after October 1, 1993. In September 1994, the city received official notification that Pompano Beach residents are eligible for an additional five percent discount, or 10 percent total, on flood insurance based on the city complying with the requirements for a Class 8 rating in the CRS.

More Information - Call Larry Schuster, City of Pompano Beach Planner, at (954) 786-4654.

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