



CITY DIRECTORY

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Mayor and City Commission
Oficina del Administrador de la Ciudad
Biwo Manadjè Vil-la

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Deputmin Polis

Fire Department 243-7400
Parque de Bomberos
Deputman pou Dife

City Clerk's Office 243-7050
Oficina del Actuario de la Ciudad
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Deputman Bil Dlo/Elektrik

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Parques y Recreación
Deputman Pak & Rekreyasyon

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AWARD-WINNING FINANCE DEPARTMENT EXCELS IN PUBLIC FUNDS MANAGEMENT

The City of Delray Beach Finance Department oversees the financial operations of the City while maintaining a fiscally-sound municipal budget. Under the direction of the Finance Director, the department provides numerous services including the Annual Operating and Capital Improvement budgets, annual and monthly financial reports and analyses, budgetary transactions, accounting processes, computer systems support, utility meter reading, billing and customer support services.

Within this department, services and programs are provided by three (3) divisions:

Finance Administration manages the annual budget (over \$156 million in fiscal year 2009-2010). In addition, this division is responsible for Cash and Debt Administration, Purchasing, Payroll, Grants Administration, Pension Administration and General Accounting functions.

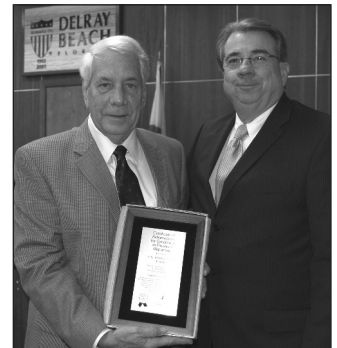
Every year since 1983, the Finance Department has received the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting from the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA), acknowledging that the City maintains the highest standards in government accounting and financial reporting. In addition, the GFOA presented the City with the Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for the 24th consecutive year.

Information Technology Division (IT) maintains the integrity of the City's state-of-the-art management information system and website, www.mydelraybeach.com. IT facilitates real-time communication among City departments through its fiber-optic network and provides current information on the website regarding City services, programs, Advisory Boards and Committee meetings. In addition, the website offers audio/video streaming of Regular City Commission meetings, self-service automated functions (i.e. utilities payments, building permits, business tax receipts, E-mail Subscriptions, etc.) and the City's calendar.

For the past five years, the IT Division has earned national recognition as a top ten Digital City from the Center for Digital Government and the National League of Cities. This prestigious award assesses the use of information technology to deliver quality services to the community. In 2008, the IT Division placed 2nd in the Granicus Digital Governance Award for Excellence in Disseminating Government Information for its use of webcasting technology to distribute public information.

Utilities Customer Service provides utility billing and meter reading services, and the collection of water, sewer and garbage accounts. This division also issues beach parking permits and offers cashier functions for utilities payments and business and development related services.

For information on general finance and/or administration, call (561) 243-7115. To contact Utilities Customer Service, call (561) 243-7103.



Finance Director Joseph Safford and Mayor Nelson S. "Woodie" McDuffie at GFOA award presentation.

CITY SETS CALENDAR TO APPROVE FY 2011 BUDGET AND MILLAGE RATE

The City is in the process of preparing a tentative Budget for Fiscal Year (FY) 2011, which is expected to be presented to the City Commission for review and discussion at upcoming City Commission Regular Meetings and Workshops.

The first Public Hearing to consider the tentative budget and tentative millage rate will be held on September 13th in the City Hall Commission Chambers, 100 NW 1st Avenue. The Second/Final Public Hearing to establish a millage rate and adopt the FY 2011 Budget will be held at the City Commission's Regular Meeting on September 21st in the City Hall Commission Chambers. Public Hearings begin at 7:00 pm and allow time for public comment.

Budget Meetings and Workshops will be listed on the City's website once scheduling has been finalized. In addition, the proposed FY 2011 Budget and related information will be posted online upon availability. Visit www.mydelraybeach.com and select *FY 2011 Millage Rate and Budget Adoption* on the home page for up-to-date information or contact the Public Information Office at (561) 243-7190.

Events & Activities AUGUST 2010

August 3

City Commission
Regular Meeting
City Hall Commission Chambers
6:00 PM
Info: (561) 243-7000

August 6

“Summer Nights on the Avenue”
Summertime Blues Block Party
SW 5th Avenue Plaza
7:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Info: (561) 279-1380

August 14

33rd Annual Bon Festival
Morikami Museum and
Japanese Gardens
4:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Info: (561) 495-0233

August 17

City Commission
Regular Meeting
City Hall Commission Chambers
6:00 PM
Info: (561) 243-7000

August 19

Art and Jazz on the Avenue
Downtown Delray Beach
6:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Info: (561) 279-1380

August 27

“Summer Nights on the Avenue”
Country Music Block Party
500 Section of Atlantic Avenue
7:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Info: (561) 279-1380

CITIZEN SERVICE REQUESTS

Phone: (561) 243-7012
Online: www.mydelraybeach.com
To report a problem, ask a question,
offer a comment or file a complaint.

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Delray Beach Police Department

CRIME TIPS NUMBER

Phone: (561) 243-7839



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PROJECTS, UPDATES & REMINDERS



City Continues to Monitor Gulf of Mexico Oil Spill - Delray Beach officials continue to monitor the Gulf of Mexico Oil Spill. Staff members are working with Palm Beach County's Deepwater Horizon Planning Task Force, a collaborative effort initiated by Palm Beach County Emergency Management and local partners, to respond to the oil spill should it become a threat to our shores. **Anyone finding a tar ball should not touch it! Report tar balls or other evidence of oil on our coastline to Palm Beach County Emergency Operations Center by calling (561) 712-6400.** For additional information on the oil spill and/or Planning Task Force, visit www.mydelraybeach.com and select *City Continues to Monitor Gulf of Mexico Oil Spill*.

Pompey Park “Green” Lighting Project - The Pompey Park athletic fields, tennis courts and outdoor basketball courts are receiving a sports lighting upgrade which will save energy and taxpayer dollars for years to come. The Pompey Park “Green” Lighting Project is federally grant funded through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 “Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG)” which is a formula allocation program that is administered by the U.S. Department of Energy. At the completion of the project, 86 energy efficient “green” lighting fixtures (30 less than the existing lighting fixtures) will improve visibility while providing a cost savings to the City on electricity and maintenance. This project is scheduled to be completed by the end of July and should not impact league play. For more information, contact Rodger R. Ribeiro, Recreation Superintendent, at (561) 243-7256.

City Encourages “Green” Practices with New Recycling Bins – In an effort to promote environmental sustainability and awareness, the City has begun utilizing new recycling bins at special events and within various facilities. These blue containers are marked to collect recycling materials (i.e. aluminum cans and plastic bottles) and the compostable clear bags make it easy to transport and dispose the recyclable contents. All City employees, local businesses, residents and visitors are encouraged to help reduce waste in our landfills by practicing the 3 R's of sustainability: **Reduce, Reuse and Recycle.**

Renovations at Robert P. Miller Park Completed - Robert P. Miller Park baseball complex recently reopened after a \$6 million renovation, which was primarily funded by a 2007 utility tax bond issue. Renovations included three new little league fields, a major-league size field, four batting cages, a practice infield, a pitching and hitting wall as well as a concession stand building. In addition, the newly constructed Anthony V. Pugliese V Miracle League field is equipped with a rubberized surface and flat bases for those athletes with special needs. Parking, storage and fencing were added while a playground area was relocated in the park.

CITY MANAGER WINS PRESTIGIOUS AWARDS

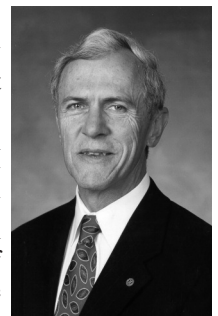
The Florida City and County Management Association (FCCMA) presented the 2010 *Award for Career Excellence* to Delray Beach City Manager David T. Harden for his exceptional service in municipal government at its annual luncheon in Orlando on May 14, 2010.

The *Award for Career Excellence* acknowledges “an outstanding local government administrator who has fostered representative democracy by enhancing the effectiveness of local elected officials and by consistently initiating creative and successful programs.” During his thirty-nine years in municipal government, twenty of which have been dedicated to the City of Delray Beach, Mr. Harden's style of leadership has established a vision for the City that focuses on improving the quality of life in the community. He continually strives to improve upon this vision by working diligently with the City Commission and municipal employees to meet the needs of all residents.

Mr. Harden also received the FCCMA *President's Award* for outstanding professional team building and Managers in Transition (MITS) support. Annually, the FCCMA President awards this prestigious honor to those who, by example, have gone above and beyond in modeling the core practices of local government management. In addition, the City's Grant Team received honorable mention in the *Program Awards Excellence* category for its successful efforts in securing Federal Economic Stimulus Grant Funding which has been used to benefit the community.

David T. Harden began his career in local government in 1971 when he became a Planner for Orange County, Florida. Three years later, he took the position of City Planner for Winter Park and in 1977, rose to the position of City Manager. In 1989, Mr. Harden left Winter Park and in 1990 took on the responsibility of City Manager for Delray Beach. Faced with a city that was plagued with financial challenges and lack of vision, he played a key role in reinventing Delray Beach as a thriving municipality through strategic planning and goal setting. Under his direction, the City has earned many accolades and awards including two-time All America City (1993 and 2001), Preserve America Community (2008) and Playful City USA (2009).

For more information, contact the Public Information Office at (561) 243-7190.



City Manager
David T. Harden