



THE LEON COUNTY

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Connecting Citizens with
Leon County Services



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LEON WORKS

Define Your Own Success



Leon Works Expo to be held on October 23 • Lively Technical Center

Ready to define your own success? On Friday, October 23 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., Leon County Government will host the Leon Works Expo at the Lively Technical Center, 500 Appleyard Drive. The initiative will prepare our community for 10,000 new local skilled jobs expected to be created within the next seven years.

If you are seeking a career change or a new opportunity, the expo will offer the following free services and workshops:

- Employers seeking workers for skilled jobs
- Academic institutions offering education and career path training
- Networking with peers and professors for new opportunities
- Professional headshots for social media accounts and personal branding
- Mock interview training with industry experts

Connecting those interested in skilled jobs with employers and academic institutions.

For more information about Leon Works, visit: www.LeonWorksExpo.com

Leon County Paints the Town Pink

- Leon County EMS crew members will wear pink medical gloves for all service calls during the month of October.
- The LeRoy Collins Leon County Public Library System, including the Main Library (downtown) and its branch libraries, will feature select books.



For more information about Leon County Government's Pink Initiative, visit:
www.LeonCountyFL.gov/pink

Leon County's Fall Home Expo

"Homeowners learning to do it themselves..."

Saturday, October 17 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Leon County Community Room
Historic Amtrak Railroad Station,
918 Railroad Avenue

Come out, learn and have fun:

- Do It Yourself Painting, Pressure Washing, & Roof Repair
- Resolving Heir Property Issues
- Do it Yourself Affordable Housing – Renovation Purchase
- Mortgage Loans & New Homes Available
- Down Payment Purchase Assistance, Up to \$7,500
- Foreclosure Prevention Assistance, Up to \$42K
- Getting Ahead: How Community Action Can Help
- Fair Housing Education

Refreshments will be served. Come to win door prizes!

For more information, please contact the Housing Services at
(850) 606-1900 or visit: www.LeonCountyFL.gov/Housing



There's a Map for That!

Did you ever want to see what Leon County looked like in 1954? Or did you need to find a park to hike or a bike trail to ride? If so, the Tallahassee-Leon County Geographic Information Systems Program (TLCGIS) has a map for you.

Using the latest in mapping and web application technology, TLCGIS launches a new web mapping site at www.TLCGIS.org. The website works on both mobile phones and in your desktop browser, making the experience perfect for those who are on the go.

So the next time you want to find a new spot in Leon County to explore, or an address or recreational spot, please visit: www.TLCGIS.org

For more information about TLCGIS, contact Geographic Information Services:
(850) 606-5504 • webgis@LeonCountyFL.gov



Library Receives \$102,000 Bequest from Russell Chaney

Mr. Russell Chaney, who passed away on August 28, 2014, recognized the Leon County Library in his will with a very generous bequest of \$102,000.

Mr. Chaney was a Korean War veteran, an actor, and after moving to Tallahassee with his wife in the 70s, he was active in the arts community and he enjoyed using the library. This wonderful bequest will be used to enhance the library's collections as well as for special events programming such as author visits.



For more information about how to donate to your local library, please contact the Main Library at (850) 606-2665.

Big Bend Heartwalk 2015 Sunday, November 8 8 a.m. at Cascades Park

Heart Walk 2015

REGISTER ♥ DONATE ♥ WALK



Help raise funds and awareness.
Support the fight against cardiovascular disease!

You can register and donate at:

www.BigBendHeartwalk.org

October 2015

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SCHEDULE

13 Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting*
3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,
5th Floor, Commission Chambers

Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing*
6 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,
5th Floor, Commission Chambers

19 Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency Workshop
9 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams,
2nd Floor, Commission Chambers

27 Workshop on the MWSBE Program
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,
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29 Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA)
9:30 a.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams,
2nd Floor, Commission Chambers

*Live television broadcast available on channel 16 on Comcast and CenturyLink; webcast available anytime at www.LeonCountyFL.gov.