



TOWN COUNCIL MEMBER SEAT 1 REPORT

February 2020

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From the Desk of Council Member Robert "BJ" Duncan

Dear Residents:

I am committed to operating in a manner that is transparent. Each month, the Town Council has the privilege and honor to represent the Town at various intergovernmental and community meetings, workshops and events that allow us to gain greater insight about the needs of our community. Below you will find a list of the events I attended within the time frame listed.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions about the monthly report via email at rduncan@cutlerbay-fl.gov or (305) 234-4262.

January 9, 2020 – February 12, 2020

DATE	HOST/LOCATION	TOPIC	MEETING SUMMARY
01/14	Town of Cutler Bay	Youth Council Committee Meeting	Attended the regularly scheduled Youth Council Committee Meeting.
01/15	Town of Cutler Bay	Monthly Town Council Meeting	Attended the regularly scheduled Town Council Meeting held at Town Hall.
01/18	West Perrine	Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK) Holiday Parade	Participated in the City of Florida City and City of Homestead MLK Parade with Vice Mayor Loyzelle and various neighboring elected officials.
01/22	Town of Cutler Bay	Town Council Workshop	Attended the Town Council Workshop to discuss the Moratorium on Development Applications and review Town Consultants' presentations.
01/25	Cutler Ridge Park	11 th Annual Chili Day in Cutler Bay	Attended the 11 th Annual Chili Day in Cutler Bay Cook-Off with Mayor Meerbott, Council Member Callahan, and Council Member Coriat.
01/26	Biscayne Bay Coastal Wetlands Restoration Site	Volunteer Days at Biscayne Bay Coastal Wetlands Restoration	Attended the Volunteer Days at Biscayne Bay Coastal Wetlands Restoration site and helped in a coastal clean-up, planted native plants, created walking paths, removed weeds, and cleared brushes with Council Member Coriat.

OTHER NEWS: Join us at the next Youth Council Committee Meeting on Tuesday, March 17, 2020 at 6:00 PM in the Town Hall Community Room Suite 220.
[Click here to learn about the Youth Council Committee](#)

PLEASE NOTE: The next regularly scheduled Council Meeting will take place on Wednesday, March 18, 2020 at 7:00 PM. Please visit our website for additional information at:
www.cutlerbay-fl.gov

Upcoming Town Events



ACTIVE ADULTS
(55+)

ACTIVE ADULTS FITNESS CLASS

Mondays:
SILVERNEAKERS BOOM MUSCLE
 11:15 AM-12:00 PM

Location: Recreation Building at Cutler Ridge Park, 10100 SW 200 St., Cutler Bay, FL 33189
 Price: Class is \$7, or it is free with the Silversneakers insurance benefit.
 For more information contact Kimberly Thomas in the Parks & Recreation Department at kthomas@cutlerbay-fl.gov or (786) 573-5502.
 *Active Adults series of events are designed for Town Residents aged 55 and over.
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Cutler Bay
Movie Night
at the park
 EXPLORER IS HER MIDDLE NAME
DORA
 THE LOST CITY OF GOLD
 Friday, February 21, 2020 | 6:00 p.m.
 Cutler Ridge Park | 10100 SW 200 Street
ADMISSION IS FREE! Bring your lawn chairs & blankets
 Food will be available.
 For additional information, contact Kimberly Thomas at kthomas@cutlerbay-fl.gov or call (786) 573-5502



ACTIVE ADULTS
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DIABETES SELF-MANAGEMENT PROGRAM*

Classes begin the week of February 25, 2020
Topics Include:
 • What is Diabetes?
 • Monitoring Blood Sugars
 • Setting Short-Term Goals
 • Healthy Eating / Meal Planning
 • Preventing / Delaying Complications
Benefits of Workshop:
 • Better Health & Increased Confidence
 • Improvements in Blood Sugar Levels
 • Decrease in Health Distress
 • Minimize Adverse Effects of Diabetes
 • Fewer Doctor & Emergency Room Visits

Location: East Ridge of Cutler Bay | 19901 SW 67th Ave, Lifestyle Room, Cutler Bay, FL 33157
 Duration: This is a free six-week program. Classes will take place every Tuesday, starting on February 25, 2020 from 10:00 AM- 12:30 PM.
 Dates: February 25, March 2, March 23, March 30, April 6, April 13, April 20, April 27, May 4, May 11, May 18, May 25

*This Program does not replace existing medical care, but serves to complement a participant's current medical plan.
 Registration is required prior to the start of class to receive your spot. For more information, contact Kimberly Thomas in the Parks & Recreation Department at (786) 573-5517 or kthomas@cutlerbay-fl.gov
 East Ridge Alliance for Aging, Inc. Answers on Aging Florida Health Network

THE SOUTH MIAMI-DADE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER PRESENTS
PEKING ACROBATS
 For over 30 years, The Peking Acrobats' jaw-dropping acrobatic skills and colorful productions have enchanted audiences worldwide. Based on centuries old Chinese folk traditions, their impossible-seeming feats of balance, juggling, trick cycling, and precision tumbling stretch the limits of human ability, while beautiful traditional costumes and music recreate the atmosphere of an exuberant Chinese carnival. The troupe usually performs at much larger venues - don't miss this chance to see them up close!
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2019 AT 8:00 P.M.
 South Miami Dade Cultural Arts Center
 10950 SW 211 Street, Cutler Bay, FL 33189
 The Town of Cutler Bay is proud to offer a **\$10 Special Ticket Rate** for Town residents to the show **Peking Acrobats**. To reserve tickets, visit SMDCAC.org or call the box office at (786) 573-5300.
 Use *coupon code: **CEPEKING**
 *Open to valid only for 8 p.m. performance. Not valid on VIP tickets. Limit of four per person. LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE

For more information regarding special events, please contact the Town's Parks & Recreation Department at (786) 573-5502.
 10720 Caribbean Blvd, Suite 105 | Cutler Bay, FL, 33189 | www.cutlerbay-fl.gov

Cutler Bay
FLOODPLAIN MITIGATION PLAN
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
 The Town of Cutler Bay will hold a public meeting of the Floodplain Mitigation Advisory Committee on **Tuesday, February 25, 2020 at 5:30 PM** in the Cutler Bay Town Center Community Room, 10720 Caribbean Blvd, Suite 220, Cutler Bay, FL 33189.
 The Committee meeting will be followed at 7:00 PM by a Community Meeting to discuss updates to the Town's adopted 2015 Floodplain Mitigation Plan and to inform property owners how to save on your flood insurance policies. The Town has achieved a Community Rating System Class 4 Rating. This program rewards communities with flood insurance premium discounts for going above and beyond the minimum requirements of the National Flood Insurance Program.
 Effective October 1, 2019, all flood insurance policy holders within the Town of Cutler Bay are eligible to receive a thirty percent (30%) discount each year on the cost of flood insurance.
 In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), persons needing special accommodations to participate in these proceedings should contact the Town Clerk's Office for assistance at (305) 234-4262, no later than four (4) business days prior to such proceeding.
 Debra E. Eastman, MMC
 Town Clerk

Shamrock in the Park
 Benefiting the Relay for Life of South Dade
RELAY FOR LIFE
 American Cancer Society
Cutler Bay
Come out and support Cutler Bay's Relay team, "Green Lantern"
Join Now!
 Location: Coral Reef Park
 7895 SW 152 Street
 Palmetto Bay, FL 33157
 Date: Saturday, March 14, 2020
 Time: 2:00 pm - 9:00 pm
<https://www.relayforlife.org/usa/locations/fl/cutler-bay>
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