

## October 2018 Town Council Meeting



*From the Desk of*

*Council Member Michael P. Callahan*

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 them to gain greater insight about the needs of our community.

### September 20, 2018– October 11, 2018

Date	Host /Location	Topic	Meeting Summary
09/24	Town of Cutler Bay	Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting	Attended the regularly scheduled Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting.
09/26	Town of Cutler Bay	Monthly Town Council Meeting	Attended the regularly scheduled Town Council Meeting held at Town Hall.
10/01	Town of Cutler Bay	Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting	Attended the regularly scheduled Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting.

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

#### **Other News:**

- Come join us at the next Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting on Monday, November 5, 2018 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall Community Room Suite 220.

**Please Note:** The Town Council will not be holding a regular Council Meeting in the month of November. The next regularly scheduled Council Meeting will take place on Wednesday, December 12, 2018 at 7:00 PM. Please visit our website for additional information at: [www.cutlerbay-fl.gov](http://www.cutlerbay-fl.gov).

# Upcoming Town Events

**CUTLER BAY**  
**Halloween Golf Cart Parade**

**FRIDAY OCTOBER 26, 2018 • 7:00 PM**

After the Parade, join in on the fun at Cutler Ridge Park for the Town's Annual Halloween Event. Enjoy Food Trucks, Music, a Haunted House... and so much more!

Starting Location: Intersection of Holiday Road & Martinique Drive  
Ending Location: Cutler Ridge Park

For additional information please contact Kimberly Thomas at [KThomas@cutlerbay-fl.gov](mailto:KThomas@cutlerbay-fl.gov) or call 786-573-5577  
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**Happy Halloween**

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2018**  
**6 PM - 10 PM**  
**CUTLER RIDGE PARK**  
**10100 SW 200 STREET**

Haunted House  
Trunk or Treat  
Costume Contest  
Photo Booth  
Food Trucks  
Face Painters  
Music  
Bounce Houses

**Golf Cart Parade**  
Golf cart parade begins at 7pm. Starts at the intersection of Holiday Rd & Martinique Dr.

Costume Contest is limited to the first 25 participants in each age group

The groups are as follows:  
- Infants- 2 years  
- 3-6 years  
- 7-9 years  
- 10-13 years  
- 14 and up  
- Pets

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**VETERANS DAY**  
**BREAKFAST**  
Calling all Veterans!

The Town of Cutler Bay would like to invite you to join us at Macita's Restaurant & Bakery for a free breakfast honoring those who have served or are currently serving in our Armed Forces.

**Saturday November 10, 2018**  
**9:00 AM**

18533 S Dixie Hwy  
(Located in the South Dade Shopping Center)

Space is limited to the first 20 RSVP's. Please contact [KThomas@cutlerbay-fl.gov](mailto:KThomas@cutlerbay-fl.gov) or call 786-573-5577 to reserve your seat.

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MAYOR PEGGY R. BELL  
INVITES YOU TO ATTEND THE CUTLER BAY  
2018 STATE OF THE TOWN ADDRESS  
ON  
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2018  
6:30 PM

AT:  
CUTLER BAY TOWN CENTER  
TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
10720 CARIBBEAN BLVD.  
CUTLER BAY, FL 33189

PLEASE RSVP TO [RSVP@CUTLERBAY-FL.GOV](mailto:RSVP@CUTLERBAY-FL.GOV) OR  
CALL (305) 234-4262 BY OCTOBER 5, 2018

## Be Prepared: What You'll See at the Ballot Box on November 6, 2018

Cutler Bay residents will have the opportunity to vote on the following items for the General Election Ballot on November 6, 2018. For questions regarding the election, please contact the Town Clerk's Office at (305) 234-4262 or via email at [DEastman@cutlerbay-fl.gov](mailto:DEastman@cutlerbay-fl.gov). For general inquiries, you can also visit the Miami-Dade Elections Department website at <https://www8.miamidade.gov/departments/elections/home.page> or call 3-1-1.

<b>Cutler Bay – Mayor</b> (Vote for One)	<b>Cutler Bay – Residential Area Council Member Seat 3</b> (Vote for One)
Javier Giraud Tim Meerbott William Scott	Roger Coriat Yunior Santana Maggie G. Soriano
<b>Cutler Bay – Referendum 1</b> (Vote Yes or No)	<b>Cutler Bay – Referendum 3</b> (Vote Yes or No)
Candidate Qualifying	Filling Of Councilmember Vacancies Where More Than Six Months Remain In The Unexpired Term
The Town Charter provides that a person who has served the maximum time allowed on the Council shall not qualify to run or hold office again for a period of two years. It is proposed that a person who has served the maximum time shall not be eligible to run for office again until the next Town election in the next even-numbered year or thereafter.	The Town Charter provides that where a Councilmember vacancy occurs and six months or more remain in the unexpired term, the vacancy be filled by resolution until the next regularly scheduled election at which time an election shall be held to fill the vacancy. It is proposed that a vacancy be filled by a special election held no later than 90 days following the occurrence of the vacancy.
Shall the above Charter Amendment be adopted?	Shall the above Charter Amendment be adopted?
<b>Cutler Bay – Referendum 2</b> (Vote Yes or No)	<b>Cutler Bay – Referendum 4</b> (Vote Yes or No)
Forfeiture Of Office And Filling Of Vacancies	Charter Non-Substantive Technical Updates
The Town Charter provides that a Councilmember forfeits his or her office if he or she ceases to reside in his or her respective residential area. It is proposed that if a Councilmember ceases to reside within his or her residential area, but continues residing within the Town, the Councilmember would not forfeit the office but would continue to serve until the next regularly scheduled Town election.	It is proposed that the Charter be amended to 1) remove obsolete provisions and 2) reflect non substantive stylistic and technical changes, along with any amendments needed for conformity, implementation and consistency of Charter amendments.
Shall the above Charter Amendment be adopted?	Shall the above Charter Amendment be adopted?