

Holiday Review~ The Boat Parade was short and sweet for 2018. Due to bad weather, Treasure Island rescheduled their parade for the same date and several of our boats cancelled because of the conflict. Our annual Christmas tree lighting event was well attended and Santa did not disappoint bringing holiday cheer to the entire crowd! The winners for the Holiday Home Decorating Contest were: 1st Place - Ricky & Oksana Draper of 17085 Dolphin Drive, 2nd Place - William & Susan Bishop of 17067 Dolphin Drive and 3rd Place - John Hyre of 405 173rd Avenue East. Thank you to all that participated.

Mayor's Message for February 2019

Change to Garbage Service~

Our garbage service contract will expire on March 31, 2019. Two companies gave proposals with the Board voting to move the contract to Waste Pro. The new contract is for curbside pickup for both garbage and recycling. Back door service is available at an extra cost. The new cost is a reduction to residential rates from \$16.30 per month to \$15.78. However, commercial accounts will see an increase due to those rates having had very little increase since the original 2007 contract. More information will be provided to you by Waste Pro in the near future.

Town Updates~

The Gulf Boulevard Beautification Project began in January. This project will underground the power, cable and telephone lines on the east side of Gulf Boulevard and new light poles will be installed. The Barrier Islands Governmental Council (BIG-C) is also working closely with Pinellas County to underground the west side of Gulf Boulevard within the next three years.

The Emergency Services/Public Works Building permits should be issued with possible ground breaking by the end of the year.

The Redington Village Project (old wine cellar property) is moving along slowly. The owner and developer will keep us updated on the timeline.

The Sandalwood Resort has been sold and is in the process of a rehab. The new owners are planning a reopen by the year's end.

Pinellas County has filed a lawsuit against the Redington Long Pier to force demolition. As the pier breaks apart it has become a safety hazard for the neighboring beaches.

Movie in the Parks~

Please join the Redingtons for Spring Movie Madness! North Redington Beach will be showing Jumanji - Welcome to the Jungle on Friday, 03/01/2019 at 6:30 pm in Radcliffe Park, Redington Beach will be showing The Incredibles 2 on Friday, 03/15/2019 at 7 PM in Friendship Park and Redington Shores will be showing Ralph Breaks the Internet on Friday, 04/05/2019 at 7:30 PM in Constitution Park. Pack a picnic and cooler, grab your loved ones and bring a chair/blanket for a movie under the stars!

Best regards,

William "Bill" Oueen







Friday, March 1st at 6:30 PM @ Radcliffe Park

Pack a picnic, grab your loved ones and chairs/blanket for a movie under the stars! We will provide the family movie and the popcorn!!

(Rain Date: Friday, March 8th)



