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February 11th City Commission Agenda

City Hall Roof Evaluation and Recommendation

City Manager Recommendation for Police Chief Position

(thought many of you would be interested in this agenda item!)

City Manager Update on Stormwater Projects, Potable Water Improvements, Natural Gas Pipeline Relocation and other of the City's current and future capital projects

Proclamation 16-01 – Tree City USA and Arbor Day Recognition



SOME IMPROVEMENTS ARE TAKING PLACE IN CRESCENT CITY

February 11th City CRA Board Agenda

CRA Board members propose candidate to replace Marcus Hardy on the CRA Advisory Committee

Update on Community Center Working Group

Update on Redevelopment Plan for Miller Property

To Get Your Crescent City Community Event Posted Here,

send it via email with the information as presented above to: newsletter@crescentcity-fl.com

The picture above is a progress photo taken of the new bathroom facility for Harry Banks Community Park. This long overdue improvement for the park on Grove Avenue is funded by the Better Place Plan discretionary sales tax and is being constructed by a local contractor.

But this is not the only improvement taking shape in Crescent City. A \$845,000 stormwater improvement project funded by a CDBG grant and Better Place Plan funds will repair stormwater outfalls along Lake Stella and improve the water quality enter the lake from our streets. It will also result in drainage improvements and new as-

phalt on Randolph Street. (Pictures on Page 2)

Although we do not have pictures, work has also begun on a improvements to the waterlines servicing the northwest, southwest and southeast sectors of our community. These improvements are intended to improve water quality and the pressure and flow of water in these areas. This \$485,000 project is funded through a grant from the EPA and a \$25,000 contribution from the City's Better Place Plan fund.

And there is more on the horizon! See page 2 for future projects.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Crescent City Women's Club Valentine's Day Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser — Saturday Feb.13, 2016 from 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm
604 N Summit St Crescent City, FL 32112

First Presbyterian Church CHILI COOK-OFF — Saturday March 5, 2016 from 2:00 pm until 6:00 pm

First Presbyterian Church Yard Sale — Friday and Saturday March 18 & 19
(Both located at Warner Fellowship Hall Cypress Avenue & South Prospect Street)

South Putnam Animal Network (SPAN) annual "Closet Clean Out" sale for Saturday, March 19. This event will take place in Market Square Park, the corner of S.R. 17 and Central in Crescent City, from 8-1.

{Do I see a City-wide Yard sale forming up for March 19th?! I think so...more is always better for yard sales!}

City Commission Regular Meeting — February 11th @ 7pm City Hall Meeting Room

Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting — February 9th @ 6:00 pm

Code Enforcement Board — February 23rd @ 5:30pm City Hall Meeting Room



Who: Crescent City Women's Club
 What: Valentine's Day Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser
 When: Saturday Feb. 13, 2016 from 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm
 Where: 604 N Summit St Crescent City, FL 32112
 Info: No advance tickets necessary. Pay \$10/person at the door. Dinner include spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, tea, coffee & dessert. Live music. Bring your sweetheart or just friends & family out for a great time for a good cause. Contact Heather Harper @ 386-467-0090 for more info.



Congrats Cescent City - lets get that walking trail built!

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CRESCENT CITY PROJECTS—ONGOING AND FUTURE.

As mentioned on page 1, Crescent City has several infrastructure projects that are currently underway. The pictures above from left to right show a stormwater interceptor that was installed at Lake Stella where Edgewood Avenue drains; a stormwater interceptor at Lake Stella where Florida Avenue drains; and stormwater and road resurfacing improvements taking place on Randolph Street. The "interceptors" help to slow down the flow of stormwater to

prevent washouts and remove litter and debris from the stormwater before it enters the lake. There will be three more installed along Lake Stella: two on S. Main Street and one on Lemon Avenue.

The picture of Randolph Street show the street on February 9th after the old asphalt has been removed. The orange pipe in the foreground one of several stormwater inlets that will help drain the road when it is finished. Randolph has suffered from flooding and washouts for many years now and this fix is long over due.

THE FUTURE holds some more exciting projects...well, for a city manager they are pretty exciting. We have been awarded

a \$500,000 grant to do similar stormwater improvements on Crescent Lake at Florida Avenue, Central Avenue, Lakeview and if the budget permits it, Palmetto and Magnolia Avenue.

We have been awarded another \$375,000 to make the final improvements to Margary Neal Nelson Sunrise Park, which will include a new pier for fishing and boat slips, shoreline stabilization and lighting.

Eva Lyon Park will see some much needed repairs and improvements to the tennis courts, shuffle board courts, and the gazebo; as well as electrical and irrigation improvements.

Comments? Questions? Contact City Hall and ask for Patrick Kennedy: 386-698-2525