

# info & updates

July utility bill insert



## Pour-over your thoughts at CoffeeTalk

Even if you've **bean** before, there's still a **latte** to learn. Let's not make the discussion **bland**, join your city leaders for a **robusta** cup of conversation and coffee at this year's CoffeeTalk series. The coffee may be **roasted**, but not our guest speakers. **Affogoto** bring a cup? No worries, Barnies is donating their special **blend**.

### brewing

**Thursdays | 8:30-9:30 a.m.**

Commission Chambers  
@ 401 S. Park Ave.

special thanks to our coffee provider



- AUG 03** City Manager Randy Knight & Assistant City Manager Michelle del Valle
- SEP 21** Vice Mayor Sheila DeCiccio
- OCT 05** Commissioner Marty Sullivan
- NOV 02** Commissioner Kris Cruzada
- DEC 07** Commissioner Todd Weaver
- JAN 11 2024** Mayor Phil Anderson



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## Need a boat permit?

[required on Winter Park Chain of Lakes]



access [cityofwinterpark.org/lakes](https://cityofwinterpark.org/lakes) or scan the code >>>  
**bonus annual passes are now available online!**



also available **in person** [during regular business hours]  
City Hall @ 401 S. Park Ave. | Monday thru Friday | 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Winter Park Library @ 1052 W. Morse Blvd. | [winterparklibrary.org](https://winterparklibrary.org)

## Roll it to the curb

**right thing to do** On collection days, yard waste, garbage and recycling carts are rolled out and placed curbside for pick up.

**wrong thing to do** Sometimes, carts are placed directly in the street.

Not only is placing carts in the street a safety hazard by narrowing the street and making it very difficult for vehicles to safely drive by, but it is also in violation of city code Chapter 82, Section 82-42.



### helpful reminders

- Don't place any carts or bags over a storm drain.
- Don't place refuse and trash in any street, alley or other public place of travel.
- Yard waste and tree trimmings which are not containerized must be neatly bundled or stacked. No yard waste should be placed curbside after a named storm watch or warning has been issued by the National Weather Service until the watch or warning has been lifted.
- If an animal finds yummys in your trash and makes a mess digging for treasure, it's your responsibility to clean it up.

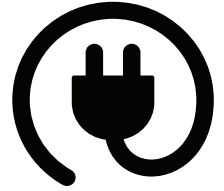
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**cityofwinterpark.org/events**

Thank you for helping keep our city safe and clean!



# ATTENTION: Residents with special needs + hurricane season

Customers on life support systems should **make arrangements in advance** to move to a location where their needs can be met.



## City of Winter Park Medical Essential Service Program

This program provides its electric utility customers with:

1. Limited extension of time to pay utility bills.
2. Special notification\* prior to disconnection of service for non-payment to allow customer to secure funds or make necessary arrangements. [\*Outages due to natural disasters are unexpected, so no prior notification can be provided].

Electric utility customers need to meet the following criteria:

1. Certified by a licensed physician of your medically-essential need.
2. Dependent on electric-powered equipment that must be operated continuously or as circumstances require as specified by a physician to avoid the loss of life or serious medical complications requiring immediate hospitalization.

To receive these benefits, download, complete and submit a Medical Essential Service Information Form by accessing [cityofwinterpark.org/MedicalEssentialService](http://cityofwinterpark.org/MedicalEssentialService).



## Orange County People with Special Needs Program

During periods of evacuation or emergency, if you or a family member require evacuation and/or sheltering assistance due to physical, mental or cognitive impairments, or sensory disabilities, it is important that you are aware of the Orange County People with Special Needs Program [PSN].

### Who is eligible?

Any Orange County resident who meets the established eligibility criteria may register. Registrants need to update their information annually or as the registrant's needs change. Registrants that do not update their information annually will be placed in an inactive status.

### How do you register?

1. Access [snr.floridadisaster.org](http://snr.floridadisaster.org) [Florida Department of Emergency Management]
2. Access [orangecountyfl.net](http://orangecountyfl.net) [Orange County Government]
3. Contact **407-836-9319** to request the form for the Orange County People with Special Needs Program.
4. Contact **407-836-9140** to request the form from the Orange County Office of Emergency Management.
5. Ask your home healthcare agency, hospice agency, medical equipment supplier or senior social service agency to register you.

**please note** Information collected during the registration process is confidential by law and can only be given to emergency responders who may provide for the registrant's needs during an emergency.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Registration with the city's or county's special needs programs **DOES NOT:**

- offer you uninterrupted utility service
- exempt you from payment of electric bills
- make your property a higher priority for restoration

## Shelters

Orange County provides hurricane and storm emergency shelters as part of its comprehensive response to help individuals, families and communities respond to and recover from disasters. In the event of a storm, shelters will be opened as deemed necessary. Residents are asked to **call 311** if they require special-needs sheltering or transportation.



## Preparedness Guide

More information about what to expect and how to stay prepared ahead of a hurricane is available in the city's Hurricane Preparedness Guide accessed at [cityofwinterpark.org/hurricanes](http://cityofwinterpark.org/hurricanes).

