



THE LEON COUNTY

# LINK

Connecting Citizens with  
Leon County Services



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## Annual Neighborhood Recognition Program Kick-Off and State of the Community Meeting

On Monday, March 27 at 5:30 p.m., the Council of Neighborhood Associations (CONA), Leon County Government and the City of Tallahassee will kick-off the 37th annual Neighborhood Recognition Program. The Neighborhood Recognition Program recognizes outstanding neighbors and neighborhood throughout Leon County and the City of Tallahassee.

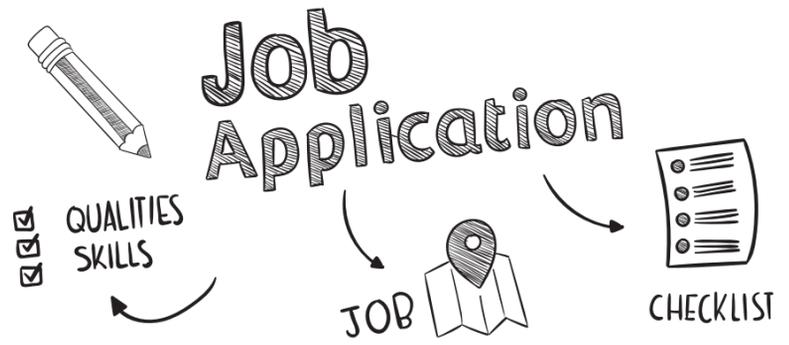
Immediately following the kick-off, CONA will host the 2017 State of the Community Meeting. Beginning at 6:30 p.m., County Administrator Vincent S. Long and City Manager Ricardo Fernandez will update citizens on the state of Leon County and the City of Tallahassee.

The event will take place at the DKO Providence Community Service, 1908 Highland St. at 5:30 p.m.



For more information, please contact Community and Media Relations at (850) 606-5300 or email [CMR@LeonCountyFL.gov](mailto:CMR@LeonCountyFL.gov)

## 2017 Leon County Summer Youth Training Program



Leon County is once again presenting its summer employment opportunity for the County's youth.

The Summer Youth Training Program is designed for Leon County youth ages 14 to 21 who wish to explore enriching career opportunities. Summer Youth have the opportunity to gain experience in a variety of locations and work areas throughout Leon County.

Participants will also take part in civic engagement and community service activities that will enhance their knowledge of public service. All positions offered will require individuals to work 20 hours a week and will pay \$8.10 per hour.

The work period will be from Monday, June 12, through Friday, July 14, at various Leon County departments and divisions.

Applications will be available online on **MONDAY, MARCH 20 AT 8:00 A.M.**

Application deadline is **FRIDAY, APRIL 21 AT 5:00 P.M.**

For more information and access to the application, please visit [www.LeonCountyFL.gov/HR/SummerYouth](http://www.LeonCountyFL.gov/HR/SummerYouth) or call (850) 606-2430

## County Supports The Big Event Tallahassee

The Big Event Tallahassee is a one-day community service event that is designed for students of FSU, FAMU, and TCC to say "thank you" to the Tallahassee/Leon County community through service.

Volunteers can do any project that takes less than four hours and does not involve power tools or specialized skills (e.g. electrical work or plumbing).

Leon County is proud to support and promote The Big Event, a student-led event that has a long history of volunteerism and community engagement.



**Saturday, March 25 from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.**

Sign up today at: [thebigevent.fsu.edu](http://thebigevent.fsu.edu)



### New Downloadable Media Available at the Library

The LeRoy Collins Leon County Main Library has four new downloadable media options available for check out with your library card. The four programs include:

- **Zinio** - full color digital magazines
- **CosmicsPlus** - graphic novels and comic books
- **OnePlay** -PC and Android video games for all ages
- **ArtistWorks** - music and art instructional videos

### Leon County Main Library Displays Student Masterpieces

For the entire month of March, the Main Library will transform into an art gallery in celebration of National Youth Art Month. The exhibit will feature artwork from students in kindergarten through fifth grade from 25 Leon County schools.

For more information, call The Leon County Main Library at (850) 606-2665

## Leon County Presents

# SPRING HOME EXPO

**"Homeowners learning to do it themselves..."**

**March 18 • 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

**Historic Amtrak Station Community Room**  
918 RAILROAD AVENUE

*Refreshments will be served and door prizes will be awarded throughout the day to attendees.*

To register, call: (850) 606-1912

[www.LeonCountyFL.gov](http://www.LeonCountyFL.gov)

## March 2017 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SCHEDULE

- 7 Board of County Commissioners Workshop**  
*Joint City/County Workshop on Cycle 2017 Comprehensive Plan Amendments*  
1:30 p.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams Street  
2nd Floor, City Commission Chambers
- 7 Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting**  
3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe Street  
5th Floor, Commission Chambers
- 7 Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing**  
6 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,  
5th Floor, Commission Chambers
- 21 Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency (CRTPA)**  
1 p.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams Street  
2nd Floor, City Commission Chambers
- 23 Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA)**  
9:30 a.m., City Hall, 300 S. Adams Street  
2nd Floor, City Commission Chambers
- 28 Community Legislative Dialogue Meeting**  
9 a.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,  
5th Floor, Commission Chambers

\*Live television broadcast available on channel 16 on Comcast and Century Link; webcast available anytime at [www.LeonCountyFL.gov](http://www.LeonCountyFL.gov).