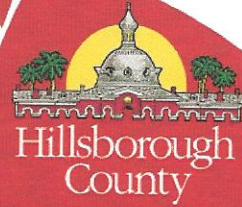




Community Update



Monthly News and Happenings from Hillsborough County Commissioner, Sandra Murman, District 1

The Board of County Commissioners is made up of 7 County Commissioners who are elected by voters. Sandy is passionate about responsible solutions for the people of Hillsborough County. This newsletter shares her commitments and schedules as an advocate for Hillsborough County, District 1.

Murman wants improvements to enhance jobs, business development

County Commissioner Sandy Murman has requested that county staff present an interim report on the status of all county business incentive programs. She has requested funds expended, number of businesses involved, number of jobs created and any other measurable outcomes. Commissioner Murman has also asked for staff to evaluate improvements to enhance job creation and business development in their report.

Commissioner Sandy Murman pushes to secure soccer goals for safety

Thousands of county kids are now safer. City and county workers have anchored down heavy soccer goals left unsecured. County Commissioner Sandy Murman stepped up with fast fixes for both the short- and long-terms. She asked county staff to survey its fields. Of 106 soccer goals, only 12 were secured. "I was completely alarmed," Murman said. "We're taking every step we can to make sure we're going to have a permanent solution in place and that we're following the guidelines."



Commissioner Sandy Murman speaks at a recent ribbon-cutting and open house for Friendship Village on March 13.



Where's Sandy?

Community Office Hours:

Tuesday, May 8th
4:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.
Jan Platt Library

Friday, May 25th
10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
West Park Village YMCA

Coffee with Commissioner:

Friday, May 18th
8:30 a.m. at Nola's Cafe,
301 W. Platt Street, Tampa

Commissioner Sandy Murman helps dedicate Affordable Housing in county

Friendship Village is a multi-family project in the County's Affordable Housing Services Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP). The building dedicated was abandoned and dilapidated. The County acquired the complex with NSP funding, brought it up to meet code standards, and remodeled and renovated the units. "Home ownership is the American dream, and today we have provided these families with the opportunity to take part in that dream," Murman said. Follow this link to watch the ceremony: <http://youtu.be/zMpgFmdSITA>

Murman honored with YMCA Impact Award

Commissioner Sandy Murman was recognized recently by the Greater Tampa YMCA with its Community Impact Award. "She's always ready to roll up her sleeves and get to work," said Liz Kennedy, who presented her with the award. "She's our great community leader, who fights for our most vulnerable neighbors," added Kennedy.



Liz Kennedy presents award to Commissioner Murman.

Important Numbers:

Affordable Housing: 274-6600
Animal Services: 744-5660
Job News Line: 272-6975
Code Enforcement: 274-6600
County Information Line: 272-5900
Emergency: 9-1-1
Emergency Management: 272-6900
Environmental Protection (EPC): 627-2600
Family & Aging Services: 272-5040
Fire Rescue: 272-6600
Libraries: 273-3652
Neighborhoods: 272-5860
Parks, Recreation & Conservation: 635-3500
Public Works Construction—Hotline: 272-5275
Sheriff's Office: 247-8000
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