



Town of Pomona Park Agenda
Town Council Meeting
Mayor Anthony Cuevas
Councilman Swanson
Mayor Pro-Tem Councilwoman Evans
Councilman Rohrbaugh
Councilwoman Mead
Councilwoman Kuleski
Councilwoman Cooney

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April 14, 2026

6:00 PM

Chambers

Town Staff

Andrea Almeida, Town Clerk
Jennifer Paul, Finance Officer
Don Holmes, Town Attorney

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(2) The Public may provide comments to the Council relative to matters not on the agenda at the times indicated in this Agenda. Following any comments from the public, there may be discussion by the Council.

**(3) When addressing the Council on specific, enumerated Agenda items, speakers shall: direct all comments to the Mayor;
make their comments concise and to the point;
not speak more than once on the same subject;
not, by speech or otherwise, delay or interrupt the proceedings or the peace of the Council;
obey the orders of the Mayor or the Council; and
not make any irrelevant, impertinent or slanderous comments while addressing the Council; which pursuant to Council rules, shall be considered disorderly.**

**4) Any person who becomes disorderly or who fails to confine his or her comments to the identified subject or business, shall be cautioned by the Mayor and thereafter must conclude his or her remarks on the subject within the remaining designated time limit.
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- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**
- 3. MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR Angela Hill and Wil Ward**
- 4. ROLL CALL**
- 5. WELCOME VISITORS**
- 6. CORRESPONDENCE**
- 7. ADOPTION OF MINUTES Regular Council Meeting
3/10/2026**
- 8. PRESENTATIONS/PROCLAMATIONS**
 - SWAT STUDENTS PRESENTATION/Mr. Devitto**
 - Proclamation-2026-07**
 - Proclamation-2026-08**
 - Proclamation-2026-09**
- 9. PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS-None**
- 10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS and Committee Reports**
 - Jennifer Paul, Treasurer: Check Register & Trial Balance**
 - ROAD AND STREETS REPORT Councilman Swanson**
 - CODE ENFORCEMENT Report Councilwoman Kuleski**
 - NEW BUSINESS**
 - 11. Founders Event-Discussion/Workshop**
 - 12. Town Signs Replacement Quote**
 - 13. FDEM Required Training**
 - 14. Clerk School Approval/FMIT Insurance Summit Approval**
 - 15. Cybersecurity Grant**
 - DISCUSSION BY TOWN COUNCIL OF MATTERS**
 - DISCUSSION BY TOWN ATTORNEY OF MATTERS**
 - DISCUSSION BY TOWN CLERK OF MATTERS**
 - PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**
 - Pamela Washington-Closure of Child Development Center**
Remainder of Public Comments is limited to 5 MINUTES
 - UPCOMING EVENTS**
 - ADJOURNMENT**

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TOWN OF POMONA PARK

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

March 10, 2026 – 6:00 PM

Town Hall Council Chambers

1775 Hwy 17 South

Pomona Park, Florida

Mayor: **Anthony Cuevas**

Council Members:

Councilman Swanson

Mayor Pro-Tem Councilwoman Evans

Councilman Rohrbaugh

Councilwoman Mead

Councilwoman Kuleski

Councilwoman Cooney

Staff Present:

Andrea Almeida, Town Clerk

Jennifer Paul, Finance Officer

Leo Villegas, Town Attorney

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Anthony Cuevas called the Town Council Meeting to order at **6:00 PM**.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by **Mayor Cuevas**.

3. MOMENT OF REFLECTION

A moment of reflection was observed.

4. ROLL CALL

Council Members Present:

- Mayor Anthony Cuevas
- Councilwoman Evans
- Councilman Swanson
- Councilman Rohrbaugh
- Councilwoman Mead
- Councilwoman Kuleski
- Councilwoman Cooney

A quorum was established.

5. WELCOME VISITORS

Mayor Cuevas welcomed residents and visitors in attendance.

6. CORRESPONDENCE

Town Clerk **Andrea Almeida** presented correspondence received by the Town since the previous meeting.

7. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Regular Council Meeting – **February 10, 2026**

Motion: Councilwoman Evans

Second: Councilwoman Mead

Vote:

x Unanimous

Motion Passed.

8. PRESENTATIONS / PROCLAMATIONS

Brendan McKitrick, CPA, CISA – James Moore

Mr. McKitrick addressed the Council regarding financial matters and provided information related to municipal financial practices. Mr. McKitrick thanked the staff for all the work that goes into the audit process. Mr. McKitrick address the long-term debt and capital assets. Internal Controls and Compliance review. Mr. McKitrick reviewed the Financial Highlights. The General Fund and the total expenditures. Special Revenue funds reviewed. The comments given to the town are very common.

L. Flaman – River to Sea Loop

Mr. Flaman presented information regarding the **River to Sea Loop project** and its potential benefits to regional recreation and tourism. FDOT is suggesting the path down HWY 17. Councilman Swanson gave his opinion on where the bike path would go.

IEMO Certificate of Completion

Councilman Swanson was recognized for completing the **Institute for Elected Municipal Officials (IEMO)** program.

Proclamation 2026-06

Government Finance Professionals Week

Mayor Cuevas presented **Proclamation 2026-06** recognizing Government Finance Professionals Week and acknowledging Jennifer in her important role of municipal finance professionals in maintaining fiscal accountability and transparency.

9. PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS

None.

10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS & COMMITTEE REPORTS

Treasurer’s Report

Finance Officer **Jennifer Paul** presented the **Check Register and Trial Balance** for Council review.

Council discussed the Town's financial status and current expenditures.

Tree Board Quarterly Report

Councilwoman **Mead** presented the **March Tree Board Quarterly Report**, updating the Council on tree maintenance, planting initiatives, and beautification efforts within the Town. The Town has been approved for its 35 Tree City. Councilwoman recognized all who helped with the Arbor Day Celebration. An Oak Tree was planted in the playground at the ballfield. The Public Works has created a tracking system for all the labor involved in tree activities. Councilwoman **Evans** suggested that a marker is planted with the tree with the year and who it was dedicated too. Councilman **Swanson** would like to see marker for the trees. Mr. **Flaman** asked about a marker for Councilman **Mead**. **Doris Carol** asked about planting flowering trees. Councilwoman **Mead** explained the difficulties involved with the different types of trees. **Charles Behm** suggested planting hibiscus.

NEW BUSINESS

11. Founders Event – Discussion / Workshop

Council discussed planning for the upcoming **Founders Day Event**. Topics included:

- Event themes and activities
- Community participation
- Coordination with local organizations
- Potential vendors and entertainment

Council directed staff to continue planning and bring additional details back for further discussion.

Workshop March 20 8:30am.

12. Property Tax Update

Council discussed recent **state legislative discussions regarding property tax reform** and potential impacts on municipal revenues.

Staff provided preliminary information regarding how changes could affect the Town's budget and services.

Council emphasized the importance of continuing to monitor legislative developments.

Martha Mann- spoke about cost and property taxes.

13. Resolution 2026-03 – FDOT Agreement

Mayor Tony read the maintenance letter

Council reviewed **Resolution 2026-03** regarding an agreement with the **Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT)**.

Motion: Councilwoman Evans

Second: Councilwoman Mead

Vote:

x Unanimous

Motion **Passed**

DISCUSSION BY TOWN COUNCIL OF MATTERS

Council members discussed general matters concerning the Town.

Councilwoman Evans spoke about the low water levels at the beach and the concern of the fence conditions at the swimming area.

Councilman Swanson- questioned the ada parking area.

Councilwoman Cooney- asked about the action committee for the cross walks. Mayor Tony explained that the Town is waiting on County Public Works for what is allowed.

Councilman Roghbaugh- asked about the Catfish Festival and if the Town supports it.

Councilman Swanson- asked about the Burn Ban. Code Enforcement speaker at the County Meeting.

Martha Mann-stated information about the burn ban.

Doris Carol asked about the derelict boat.

DISCUSSION BY TOWN ATTORNEY OF MATTERS

Town Attorney **Leo Villegas** had no legal matters

DISCUSSION BY TOWN CLERK OF MATTERS

Town Clerk **Andrea Almeida** provided administrative updates and announcements.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members of the public were given the opportunity to speak for up to **five minutes** in accordance with Florida Statutes and Town policy.

Charles Behm-would like the Town to focus on the issues for the Town. Commended the Public Works for all the work they do in the parks.

Larry Flaman- stated that he made an inappropriate comment and he would like an apology and the mayor to resign.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Upcoming Town events and meetings were announced.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was **adjourned at 7:54 PM.**

Councilwoman Mead motioned to adjourn.

Approved by the Town Council on: _____

Mayor Anthony Cuevas

Attest:

Andrea Almeida, Town Clerk

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An act relating to the regulation of smoking by counties and municipalities; revising the title of part II of ch. 386, F.S.; amending s. 386.201, F.S.; revising a short title; amending s. 386.209, F.S.; authorizing counties and municipalities to further restrict smoking within the boundaries of public beaches and public parks under certain circumstances; providing an exception; amending ss. 381.84 and 386.211, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Part II of chapter 386, Florida Statutes, entitled "INDOOR AIR: SMOKING AND VAPING," is renamed "SMOKING AND VAPING."

Section 2. Section 386.201, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

386.201 Short title ~~Popular name~~.—This part may be cited as ~~by the popular name~~ the "Florida Clean ~~Indoor~~ Air Act."

Section 3. Section 386.209, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

386.209 Regulation of smoking preempted to state.—This part expressly preempts regulation of smoking to the state and

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26 supersedes any county or municipal ~~municipal or county~~ ordinance
 27 on the subject; however, counties and municipalities may further
 28 restrict smoking within the boundaries of any public beaches and
 29 public parks that they own, except that they may not further
 30 restrict the smoking of unfiltered cigars. A municipality may
 31 further restrict smoking within the boundaries of public beaches
 32 and public parks that are within its jurisdiction but are owned
 33 by the county, unless such restriction conflicts with a county
 34 ordinance, except that they may not further restrict the smoking
 35 of unfiltered cigars. School districts may further restrict
 36 smoking by persons on school district property. This section
 37 does not preclude the adoption of county or municipal ~~municipal~~
 38 ~~or county~~ ordinances that impose more restrictive regulation on
 39 the use of vapor-generating devices than is provided in this
 40 part.

41 Section 4. Paragraph (h) of subsection (3) of section
 42 381.84, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

43 381.84 Comprehensive Statewide Tobacco Education and Use
 44 Prevention Program.—

45 (3) PROGRAM COMPONENTS AND REQUIREMENTS.—The department
 46 shall conduct a comprehensive, statewide tobacco education and
 47 use prevention program consistent with the recommendations for
 48 effective program components contained in the 1999 Best
 49 Practices for Comprehensive Tobacco Control Programs of the CDC,
 50 as amended by the CDC. The program shall include the following

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51 components, each of which shall focus on educating people,
52 particularly youth and their parents, about the health hazards
53 of tobacco and discouraging the use of tobacco:

54 (h) *Enforcement and awareness of related laws.*—In
55 coordination with the Department of Business and Professional
56 Regulation, the program shall monitor the enforcement of laws,
57 rules, and policies prohibiting the sale or other provision of
58 tobacco to minors, as well as the continued enforcement of the
59 Florida Clean ~~Indoor~~ Air Act prescribed in chapter 386. The
60 advertisements produced in accordance with paragraph (a) may
61 also include information designed to make the public aware of
62 these related laws and rules. The departments may enter into
63 interagency agreements to carry out this program component.

64 Section 5. Section 386.211, Florida Statutes, is amended
65 to read:

66 386.211 Public announcements in mass transportation
67 terminals.—Announcements about the Florida Clean ~~Indoor~~ Air Act
68 shall be made regularly over public address systems in terminals
69 of public transportation carriers located in metropolitan
70 statistical areas with populations over 230,000 according to the
71 latest census. These announcements shall be made at least every
72 30 minutes and shall be made in appropriate languages. Each
73 announcement must include a statement to the effect that Florida
74 is a clean ~~indoor~~ air state and that smoking and vaping are
75 prohibited except as provided in this part.

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Section 6. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

MODEL FLORIDA TOBACCO-FREE OUTDOOR ORDINANCE

In June 2022, Governor DeSantis signed legislation that grants city and county governments the ability to ban smoking at public parks and beaches. This new law could potentially impact Florida's 67 county park systems and more than 400 city park systems. This model ordinance includes a number of provisions a local government may choose to adopt in order to ban smoking at public parks and beaches and to further advance public health.

A city or county planning to adopt this model ordinance, in whole or in part, should review it with its attorney beforehand to determine suitability. While the model ordinance language can be modified by adding or omitting content concerning activities that a city or county does or does not seek to regulate, doing so may result in an ordinance that does not conform to state law, federal law, and best public health policy practices.

Because provisions within this model ordinance are controlled by statute and rule, the city or county attorney should review any modifications to ensure they conform to state and federal law. The Public Health Law Center provides legal technical assistance to help communities that wish to adopt commercial tobacco control ordinances. We encourage communities to contact us for assistance when considering this model language.

Notice

In order to properly adopt an ordinance, cities and counties in Florida must follow specific processes set out in state statute. [Section 125.66](#) sets out the process for counties; [Section 166.041](#) sets out the process for other municipalities. These statutes include requirements for notice, publication, and form.

Tips for Using This Model Ordinance

The best possible world is one without the death and health harms associated with commercial tobacco use. Communities differ on their readiness and willingness to adopt certain commercial tobacco control policies that are intended to help make that world a reality. As such, this model ordinance represents a balance between state minimum standards, best public health policy practices, and practicality for local governments in Florida. This model ordinance contains several policy components that go beyond state minimum requirements and communities may or may not choose to adopt at this time

While the Public Health Law Center does not lobby, advocate, or directly represent communities, adopting effective commercial tobacco control policies starts early with education, stakeholder and community engagement, and a strong advocacy plan. If a community is unaware of the resources available to them for engaging the community and developing an advocacy plan, or if a city or county is considering adopting an ordinance and is interested in learning about the range of resources available, the Public Health Law Center can provide

assistance through our publications and referrals to experts in the field. In certain, limited circumstances, Public Health Law Center staff may be able to speak at public hearings or work sessions to provide education about particular policy options.

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- Section 1. FINDINGS.
- Section 2. DEFINITIONS.
- Section 3. PROHIBITION OF TOBACCO USE IN RECREATIONAL AREAS.
- Section 4. OTHER REQUIREMENTS AND PROHIBITIONS.
- Section 5. PENALTIES AND ENFORCEMENT.
- Section 6. STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION & SEVERABILITY.

ORDINANCE NO. [_____]

AN ORDINANCE OF THE [BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF _____ COUNTY, FLORIDA / CITY COUNCIL OF _____, FLORIDA], PROHIBITING SMOKING AND VAPING IN PUBLIC PARKS AND BEACHES WITHIN THE [CITY/COUNTY]

SECTION 1. FINDINGS

WHEREAS, tobacco use causes death and disease and continues to be an urgent public health threat, as evidenced by the following:

- The World Health Organization (WHO) estimates that tobacco kills up to half of its users, amounting to more than 8 million deaths each year worldwide, including nearly half a million people who die prematurely from smoking in the United States alone¹;
- Tobacco use causes disease in nearly all organ systems and is responsible for an estimated 87% of lung cancer deaths, 32% of coronary heart disease deaths, and 79% of all chronic obstructive pulmonary disease deaths in the United States²;

¹ U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. *The Health Consequences of Smoking: 50 Years of Progress. A Report of the Surgeon General*. Atlanta, GA: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Office on Smoking and Health. 2014. Available at: https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK179276/pdf/Bookshelf_NBK179276.pdf

² *Id.*

- The estimated economic damage attributable to smoking and exposure to secondhand smoke in the United States is nearly \$300 billion annually³;
- Despite significant progress, tobacco use remains the leading cause of preventable death and disease in the United States⁴,
- Specifically, in Florida, 29.4% of cancer related deaths are attributable to smoking.⁵
- Electronic vapor products have been found to contain nicotine, lead, formaldehyde, and thousands of other chemicals. These products damage DNA and harm parts of the brain responsible for learning and mental health.⁶

WHEREAS, secondhand smoke exposure is harmful and widespread, as evidenced by the following:

- Children exposed to secondhand tobacco smoke have an increased risk of sudden infant death syndrome, asthma, physical and cognitive developmental abnormalities, and cancer;
- The 2006 U.S. Surgeon General's report, "The Health Consequences of Involuntary Exposure to Tobacco Smoke," concluded that there is no safe level of exposure to secondhand smoke;
- The World Health Organization in 2007 declared that there is indisputable evidence that implementing 100% smoke-free environments is the only effective way to protect the population from the harmful effects of exposure to secondhand smoke;
- In Florida, 59% of children between ages 11 and 17 report being exposed to secondhand smoke from cigarettes or electronic vapor products;

WHEREAS, there is emerging evidence that exposure to the aerosol produced by a vapor-generating electronic device may be harmful, as evidenced by the following:

- E-cigarettes produce an aerosol that contains at least ten chemicals known to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.⁷
- Bystanders exposed to e-cigarette aerosol can also absorb its nicotine.⁸
- The aerosol is made up of a high concentration of ultrafine particles, and the particle concentration is higher than in conventional tobacco cigarette smoke.⁹

³ *Id.*

⁴ *Id.*

⁵ State proportion of cancer deaths attributable to smoking from Lortet-Tieulent, J, et al., "State-Level Cancer Mortality Attributable to Cigarette Smoking in the United States," *JAMA Internal Medicine*, published online October 24, 2016.

⁶ Tehrani et al., 2021; Williams, et al., 2019; Romberg et al., 2019; Ogunwale et al., 2017; Latvala et al., 2014; National Institute on Drug Abuse, 2020.

⁷ California Tobacco Control Program, California Department of Public Health. State Health Officer's Report on E-Cigarettes: A Community Health Threat. Sacramento, CA. 2015. Available at: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CCDC/DCDC/CTCB/CDPH%20Document%20Library/Policy/ElectronicSmokingDevices/StateHealthEcigReport.pdf>.

⁸ Ballbé M, Martínez-Sánchez JM. Cigarettes vs. E-Cigarettes: Passive Exposure at Home Measured by Means of Airborne Marker and Biomarkers. *Environmental Research* 2014;135:76-80 [accessed 2015 Jun 2].

⁹ Fuoco, F.C.; Buonanno, G.; Stabile, L.; Vigo, P., "Influential parameters on particle concentration and size distribution in the mainstream of e-cigarettes," *Environmental Pollution* 184: 523-529, January 2014.

- Exposure to fine and ultrafine particles may exacerbate respiratory ailments like asthma, and constrict arteries which could trigger a heart attack.¹⁰

WHEREAS, tobacco waste is a major, consequential, and persistent source of litter, as evidenced by the following:

- The roughly 6.3 trillion cigarettes smoked globally each year result in 300 billion packs that produce almost 2 million tons of wastepaper, cellophane, foil, and glue as well as trillions of butts littered across roadways, sidewalks, parks, and other green spaces^{11,12}
- Both tobacco industry and peer-reviewed research found that most smokers admit littering their cigarette butts^{13,53,54} for example, one study found 74.1% of smokers admitted littering cigarette butts at least once in their life and 55.7% admitted to littering them in the past month¹⁴;
- In an observational study of nearly 10,000 individuals, 65% of smokers disposed of their cigarette butts as litter¹⁵;
- Cigarette butts are perennially the most common form of litter collected during cleanup programs worldwide. For example, in 2018, cigarette butts made up nearly 16% of all litter collected through cleanup programs in the U.S. (809,538 out of 5,106,515 items)
- Cigarette butts are often cast onto sidewalks and streets, and frequently end up in storm drains that flow into streams, rivers, bays, lagoons, and ultimately the ocean¹⁶;
- As of August 2019, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency recognizes nicotine-containing electronic smoking devices as acute hazardous waste when disposed properly¹⁷;

WHEREAS, cigarette butts, smokeless tobacco, and electronic smoking devices pose a health threat of poisoning to young children, as evidenced by the following:

¹⁰ Grana, R; Benowitz, N; Glantz, S. "Background Paper on E-cigarettes," Center for Tobacco Control Research and Education, University of California, San Francisco and WHO Collaborating Center on Tobacco Control. December 2013.

¹¹ Novotny TE, Lum K, Smith E, Wang V, Barends R. Cigarettes Butts and the Case for an Environmental Policy on Hazardous Cigarette Waste. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*. 2009;6(5):1691-1705. doi: 10.3390/ijerph6051691.

¹² Novotny TE, Aguinaga Bialous S, Burt L, et al. The environmental and health impacts of tobacco agriculture, cigarette manufacture and consumption. *Bull World Health Organ*. 2015;93(12):877-880. doi: 10.2471/BLT.15.152744.

¹³ Smith EA, Novotny TE. Whose Butt Is It? Tobacco Industry Research About Smokers and Cigarette Butt Waste. *Tob Control*. 2011;20(Suppl 1):i2-9. doi: 10.1136/tc.2010.040105.

¹⁴ Rath JM, Rubenstein R a, Curry LE, Shank SE, Cartwright JC. Cigarette litter: Smokers' attitudes and behaviors. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*. 2012;9(6):2189-203. doi:10.3390/ijerph9062189.

¹⁵ *Id.*

¹⁶ Novotny TE, Lum K, Smith E, Wang V, Barends R. Cigarettes Butts and the Case for an Environmental Policy on Hazardous Cigarette Waste. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*. 2009;6(5):1691-1705. doi: 10.3390/ijerph6051691

¹⁷ Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; EPA Management Standards for Hazardous Waste Pharmaceuticals and Amendment to the P075 Listing for Nicotine, 84 Fed. Reg. § 5816 (August 21, 2019) (to be codified at 40 C.F.R. pt. 266(p)).

- In 2018, American poison control centers logged nearly 13,000 cases involving exposure to cigarettes, cigarette butts, electronic smoking devices, or other tobacco products, and of these, more than 10,000 (79.0%) occurred in children aged 5 years and younger¹⁸;
- Among the 10,266 cases of nicotine and tobacco product exposure recorded in 2018 among children 5 years of age and younger by American poison control centers, 50.3% involved cigarettes, 18.4% involved electronic smoking devices, and 8.0% involved other tobacco products¹⁹;
- The annual number of electronic cigarette exposure cases among children less than 5 years of age reported to American poison control centers increased from 10 in 2010 to 1,835 in 2018, a 14,015% increase²⁰; and
- Children who ingest tobacco products can experience vomiting, nausea, lethargy, and gagging, with e-liquids potentially posing a greater risk of toxicity or fatality through either ingestion or transdermal absorption²¹;

WHEREAS, Florida cities and counties have the legal authority to adopt local laws that prohibit smoking in public parks and beaches.

NOW THEREFORE, in order to provide for the public health, safety, and welfare, reduce unwanted and unwelcome exposure to secondhand smoke, assure cleaner and more hygienic parks and beaches for [county/city] its residents and visitors, it is the intent of the [County Board of Supervisors/City Council], in enacting this ordinance, to prohibit smoking in parks and beaches which are used by or open to the public and to prohibit smoking waste in those areas thereby affirming and promoting a healthy environment in [county/city].

Sec. [____ (*2)]. DEFINITIONS. The following words and phrases, whenever used in this [article / chapter] shall have the meanings defined in this section unless the context clearly requires otherwise:

(a) "Beach" means the publicly owned zone of unconsolidated material that extends landward from the mean low-water line to the place where there is marked change in material or physiographic form, or to the line of permanent vegetation, usually the effective limit of storm waves. "Beach" includes a shore of a body of water covered by sand, gravel, or larger rock fragments.

Commented [1]: This somewhat technical definition is drawn from state law (from the sections regarding "coastal zone protection"). See FSA section 161.54.

¹⁸Gummin DD, Mowry JB, Spyker DA, et al. 2018 Annual Report of the American Association of Poison Control Centers' National Poison Data System (NPDS): 36th Annual Report. *Clin Toxicol.* 2019;57(12):1220-1413. doi: 10.1080/15563650.2019.1677022.

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Id.

²⁰ Wang B, Liu S, Peroskie A. Poisoning Exposure Cases Involving E-Cigarettes and E-Liquid in the United States, 2010- 2018. *Clin Toxicol.* 2020;58(6):488-494. doi: 10.1080/15563650.2019.

²¹ Chang JT, Rostron BL. Electronic Nicotine Delivery System (ENDS) Liquid Nicotine Exposure in Young Children Present- ing to US Emergency Departments, 2018. *Inj Epidemiol.* 2019;6:43. doi: 10.1186/s40621-019-0219-6.

(b) "Electronic Smoking Device" means an electronic device that may be used to deliver any aerosolized or vaporized substance to the person inhaling from the device, including, but not limited to, an e-cigarette, e-cigar, e-pipe, vape pen, or e-hookah.

(c) "Park" means all public property specifically designated as being used for outdoor recreational or park purposes and where children regularly congregate. "Outdoor recreational or park purposes" includes, but is not limited to, boating, golfing, camping, swimming, horseback riding, and archaeological, scenic, or scientific sites and applies only to land which is open to the general public.

Commented [2]: This definition is largely drawn from state law.

(d) "Smoking" means inhaling, exhaling, burning, carrying, or possessing any lighted tobacco product, including cigarettes, filtered cigars, pipe tobacco, and any other lighted tobacco product whether natural or synthetic. "Smoking" also means using an electronic smoking device or any other plant product intended for inhalation, including hookah and marijuana. For the purposes of this policy only, smoking does not include the use of unfiltered cigars (pursuant to Florida Statute 386.209).

(e) "Tobacco Product" means:

Commented [3]: This definition is intended to accompany the suggested provision below, prohibiting tobacco product waste on parks and beaches. If a jurisdiction chooses not to include the tobacco product waste provision, this definition may be eliminated.

(1) any product containing, made, or derived from tobacco, nicotine or nicotine analogues that is intended for human consumption or is likely to be consumed, whether inhaled, absorbed, or ingested by any other means, including but not limited to, a cigarette, a cigar, pipe tobacco, chewing tobacco, snuff, or snus;

(2) any electronic smoking device as defined in this [article/chapter] and any substances that may be aerosolized or vaporized by such device, whether or not the substance contains nicotine; or

(3) any component, part, accessory, of (1) or (2), whether or not any of these contains tobacco or nicotine, including but not limited to filters, rolling papers, blunt or hemp wraps, hookahs, and pipes.

"Tobacco Product" does not mean drugs, devices, or combination products authorized for sale by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, as those terms are defined in the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

(f) "Tobacco Product Waste" means any material that is left over and regularly intended to be discarded after the use or consumption of a tobacco product. Tobacco Product Waste includes, but is not limited to, discarded cigarette butt filters, cigar or cigarillo tips, cigarette packs, cigar or cigarillo wrappers, electronic smoking devices of all types, electronic smoking device cartridges or refill containers, plastic packaging, foil, or other disposable tobacco product remnants or tobacco product packaging in any form.

(g) "Vaping" means the inhaling, exhaling, or holding of an activated electronic smoking device.

Sec. [____ (*3)]. PROHIBITION OF TOBACCO USE IN RECREATIONAL AREAS.

(a) Smoking and the use of all other tobacco products is prohibited in all parks and beaches within [County/City]. Unfiltered cigars are exempted under 386.209, Florida Statutes.

Sec. [____ (*4)]. OTHER REQUIREMENTS AND PROHIBITIONS.

(a) No person shall dispose of tobacco product waste in any park or beach.

(b) [The County/City manager or their designee] shall post at least one clear, conspicuous and unambiguous "No Smoking or Vaping" sign at each point of ingress to the area, and in at least one other conspicuous location where individuals congregate (such as restrooms, playgrounds, or buildings) within each recreational area. For purposes of this section, the [County/City Manager or their designee] shall be responsible for the posting of signs in regulated facilities owned or leased in whole or in part by the [County/City]. Notwithstanding this provision, the presence or absence of signs shall not be a defense to a charge of smoking in violation of any other provision of this ordinance.

Sec. [____ (*5)]. COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT.

The success of this policy depends on the consideration and cooperation of both tobacco-users and non-users. Individuals acting in violation of this policy will be reminded and asked to comply. Individuals who violate this policy may be asked to leave the park or beach. Enforcement and fines for violation of this section shall be in accordance with ordinance #XXX.*

Sec. [____ (*6)]. STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION & SEVERABILITY.

If any section, subsection or provision of this ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, is for any reason held to be invalid or unenforceable, such invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining sections or provisions of this ordinance or its application to any other person or circumstance. [The Board of County Commissioners/City Council] hereby declares that it would have adopted each section, subsection or provision hereof independently, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections or provisions hereof be declared invalid or unenforceable.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This policy shall take effect on _____

***TIPS FOR EQUITABLE ENFORCEMENT**

Clear and accessible signage is a key to a successful enforcement strategy. Posting signs throughout parks and beaches will serve as a reminder to visitors, and a deterrent. Additionally, Criminal penalties as punishment for violation of this ordinance are strongly discouraged. Limiting law enforcement involvement with enforcement may be an equity measure for communities that are historically overpoliced. Lastly, if there are any fine structures or community service penalties in place, those accused of violating the ordinance should have Due Process rights and communities may consider a graduated enforcement scheme where fines are minimal (i.e warning first, removal from park or beach second, minimal fine imposed as a last resort).

Commented [4]: This is guidance provided by PHLC and is intended to be included as guidance, not part of the actual ordinance language, much like the "Tips for Using This Model Ordinance" language on page 1.

Proclamation 2026-07

Water Conservation Month

Town of Pomona Park

WHEREAS, water is a basic and essential need of every living creature; and

WHEREAS, The State of Florida, Water Management Districts and the Town of Pomona Park are working together to increase awareness about the importance of water conservation; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Pomona Park and the State of Florida has designated April, typically a dry month when water demands are most acute, Florida's Water Conservation Month, to educate citizens about how they can help save Florida's precious water resources; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Pomona Park has always encouraged and supported water conservation, through various educational programs and special events; and

WHEREAS, every business, industry, school and citizen can make a difference when it comes to conserving water; and

WHEREAS, every business, industry, school and citizen can help by saving water and thus promote a healthy economy and community; and

WHEREAS, efficient irrigation design, programming, and maintenance can conserve water, the Town of Pomona Park will encourage citizens and businesses to evaluate their irrigation systems for potential efficiency enhancements;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor Anthony Cuevas of Pomona Park do hereby proclaim the month of April as

Water Conservation Month

The Town of Pomona Park, Florida is calling upon each citizen and business to help protect our precious resource by practicing water saving

measures and becoming more aware of the need to save water. For this, the 28th year of Water Conservation Month, there will be a special focus on irrigation system evaluations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the Town of Pomona Park to be affixed this 14th day of April 2026.

Attest:

Andrea Almeida, Town Clerk, CMC

Anthony Cuevas, Mayor

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Town of Pomona Park

Proclamation

2026-08

Recognizing April as Organ Donation Month

WHEREAS, organ donation is a generous and life-saving act that provides hope and a second chance at life to thousands of individuals in need; and

WHEREAS, more than 100,000 people in the United States are currently on the national transplant waiting list, including individuals in our community who rely on the kindness and generosity of donors; and

WHEREAS, one donor can save up to eight lives through organ donation and enhance the lives of more than 75 others through tissue donation; and

WHEREAS, raising awareness about the importance of organ and tissue donation encourages more individuals to register as donors and help bridge the gap between the need for transplants and the availability of organs; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Pomona Park supports and recognizes the efforts of healthcare professionals, advocacy organizations, and donor families who work tirelessly to promote organ donation and honor the legacy of those who have given the gift of life; and

WHEREAS, National Donate Life Month, observed each April, serves as a crucial reminder of the life-changing impact of organ donation and the importance of registering as an organ donor;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Anthony Cuevas, Mayor of the Town of Pomona Park, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2026 as Organ

Donation Month in the Town of Pomona Park and encourage all citizens to learn about the benefits of organ and tissue donation, consider registering as donors, and support those whose lives are affected by organ transplantation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the Town of Pomona Park to be affixed this 14th day of April 2026.

Attest:

Andrea Almeida, Town Clerk, CMC

Anthony Cuevas, Mayor

Proclamation

2026-09

56th ANNUAL PROFESSIONAL MUNICIPAL CLERKS WEEK

May 3 - 9, 2026

Whereas, The Office of the Professional Municipal Clerk, a time honored and vital part of local government exists throughout the world, and

Whereas, The Office of the Professional Municipal Clerk is the oldest among public servants, and

Whereas, The Office of the Professional Municipal Clerk provides the professional link between the citizens, the local governing bodies and agencies of government at other levels, and

Whereas, Professional Municipal Clerks have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all.

Whereas, The Professional Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community.

Whereas, Professional Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the administration of the affairs of the Office of the Professional Municipal Clerk through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, provincial, county and international professional organizations.

Whereas, It is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of the Office of the Professional Municipal Clerk.

Now, Therefore, I, Anthony Cuevas, Mayor of Pomona Park, do

recognize the week of May 3 through 09, 2026, as Professional Municipal Clerks

Week, and further extend appreciation to our Professional Municipal Clerk,

Andrea Almeida and Jennifer Paul and to all Professional Municipal Clerks for

the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the Town of Pomona Park to be affixed this 14th day of April 2026.

Attest:

Andrea Almeida, Town Clerk, CMC

Anthony Cuevas, Mayor

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Town of Pomona Park

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From 03/01/2026 through 03/31/2026

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03/01/2026	EFT	FPL	-split-	Utilities Billing...	3,649.76			451,090.81
03/02/2026	EFT	Capital City Bank	-split-		1,870.95			449,219.86
03/02/2026	EFT	Principal Life Insura...	-split-		221.93			448,997.93
03/02/2026	EFT	Florida Blue	-split-		4,677.61			444,320.32
03/02/2026	EFT	Combined Insurance ...	229.000 · Other Curren...		192.92			444,127.40
03/02/2026	EFT	Health Equity	229.000 · Other Curren...		666.64			443,460.76
03/02/2026	EFT	Florida Municipal Pe...	-split-		320.72			443,140.04
03/02/2026	E-pay	United States Treasury	-split-	59-1502925 Q...	1,358.12			441,781.92
03/02/2026	11480	City of Crescent City	540.00 · Public Works:...		30.00			441,751.92
03/02/2026	11481	Midland Credit Mana...	229.000 · Other Curren...		84.70			441,667.22
03/02/2026	11482	Praiseworthy Services	570.00 · Culture & Rec...		695.00			440,972.22
03/03/2026			330.000 · Intergovern...	Deposit			43.50	441,015.72
03/04/2026	EFT	Wells Fargo Vendor ...	510.00 · General Gove...		131.12			440,884.60
03/04/2026	EFT	Waste Pro	540.00 · Public Works:...		159.49			440,725.11
03/04/2026	11483	Putnam County Healt...	540.00 · Public Works:...		45.00			440,680.11
03/04/2026		QuickBooks Payroll ...	-split-	Created by Pay...	4,209.63			436,470.48
03/05/2026	DD1882	Almeida, Andrea J	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		436,470.48
03/05/2026	DD1883	Bernard, Jeffrey G	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		436,470.48
03/05/2026	DD1884	Paul, Jennifer S	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		436,470.48
03/05/2026	DD1885	Robinson, Carl L	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		436,470.48
03/05/2026	DD1886	Williams, Alphonso (...)	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		436,470.48
03/05/2026	DD1887	Wolfred, Bruce	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		436,470.48
03/09/2026			340.000 · Charges for ...	Deposit			13,190.00	449,660.48
03/10/2026	EFT	Florida Municipal Pe...	-split-		320.72			449,339.76
03/10/2026	EFT	Kyocera	510.00 · General Gove...		31.94			449,307.82
03/10/2026	E-pay	United States Treasury	-split-	59-1502925 Q...	1,370.52			447,937.30
03/11/2026			-split-	Deposit			224.58	448,161.88
03/11/2026			-split-	Deposit			349.90	448,511.78
03/11/2026	EFT	Holmes & Young P.A.	510.00 · General Gove...		1,000.00			447,511.78
03/11/2026		QuickBooks Payroll ...	-split-	Created by Pay...	4,224.36			443,287.42
03/12/2026		QuickBooks Payroll ...	-split-	Created by Pay...	1,297.90			441,989.52
03/12/2026	DD1894	Almeida, Andrea J	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		441,989.52
03/12/2026	DD1895	Bernard, Jeffrey G	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		441,989.52
03/12/2026	DD1896	Paul, Jennifer S	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		441,989.52
03/12/2026	DD1897	Robinson, Carl L	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		441,989.52
03/12/2026	DD1898	Williams, Alphonso (...)	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		441,989.52
03/12/2026	DD1899	Wolfred, Bruce	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		441,989.52
03/13/2026			330.000 · Intergovern...	Deposit			50.25	442,039.77
03/13/2026			310.000 · Taxes:314.0...	Deposit			3,567.09	445,606.86
03/13/2026	DD	Mead, Patricia L	-split-					445,606.86

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03/13/2026	DD1890	Evans, CarrieAnn M	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,606.86
03/13/2026	DD1891	Kuleski, Alisha R	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,606.86
03/13/2026	DD1892	Rohrbaugh, Michael	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,606.86
03/13/2026	DD1893	Swanson, Mark D	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,606.86
03/16/2026			310.000 · Taxes:314.0...	Deposit			5.64	445,612.50
03/16/2026	EFT	Colonial Life	229.000 · Other Curren...		264.24			445,348.26
03/16/2026	EFT	Florida Municipal Pe...	-split-		320.72			445,027.54
03/16/2026	E-pay	United States Treasury	-split-	59-1502925 Q...	1,956.52			443,071.02
03/17/2026			330.000 · Intergovern...	Deposit			2,639.18	445,710.20
03/18/2026			320.000 · PermitsFees...	Deposit			20.00	445,730.20
03/18/2026	EFT	City of Crescent City	570.00 · Culture & Rec...		23.30			445,706.90
03/18/2026	11484	Aqua Pure Water & ...	540.00 · Public Works:...		120.00			445,586.90
03/18/2026		QuickBooks Payroll ...	-split-	Created by Pay...	4,028.99			441,557.91
03/19/2026			310.000 · Taxes:315.0...	Deposit			3,784.33	445,342.24
03/19/2026	DD1900	Almeida, Andrea J	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,342.24
03/19/2026	DD1901	Bernard, Jeffrey G	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,342.24
03/19/2026	DD1902	Paul, Jennifer S	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,342.24
03/19/2026	DD1903	Robinson, Carl L	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,342.24
03/19/2026	DD1904	Williams, Alphonso (...)	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,342.24
03/19/2026	DD1905	Wolfred, Bruce	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		445,342.24
03/23/2026			-split-	Deposit			588.79	445,931.03
03/23/2026	EFT	Florida Municipal Pe...	-split-		320.72			445,610.31
03/23/2026	E-pay	United States Treasury	-split-	59-1502925 Q...	1,313.66			444,296.65
03/24/2026	11485	Hill's Hardware	-split-		466.47			443,830.18
03/25/2026			310.000 · Taxes:312.0...	Deposit			6,474.14	450,304.32
03/25/2026			330.000 · Intergovern...	Deposit			3,561.22	453,865.54
03/25/2026	Transfer		-split-		6,474.14			447,391.40
03/25/2026		QuickBooks Payroll ...	-split-	Created by Pay...	3,871.67			443,519.73
03/26/2026	DD1906	Almeida, Andrea J	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		443,519.73
03/26/2026	DD1907	Bernard, Jeffrey G	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		443,519.73
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03/26/2026	DD1909	Robinson, Carl L	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		443,519.73
03/26/2026	DD1910	Williams, Alphonso (...)	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		443,519.73
03/26/2026	DD1911	Wolfred, Bruce	-split-	Direct Deposit		X		443,519.73
03/27/2026			310.000 · Taxes:312.0...	Deposit			1,309.15	444,828.88
03/27/2026			310.000 · Taxes:312.0...	Deposit			1,732.06	446,560.94
03/27/2026	EFT	Cardmember Services	-split-	March 2026 02...	1,301.77			445,259.17
03/27/2026	EFT	T Mobile	-split-		197.63			445,061.54

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03/27/2026	Transfer		-split-		1,309.15		443,574.46
03/27/2026	Transfer		-split-		1,732.06		441,842.40
03/30/2026			320.000 · PermitsFees...	Deposit		4,317.63	446,160.03
03/30/2026			320.000 · PermitsFees...	Deposit		20.00	446,180.03
03/30/2026	EFT	Florida Municipal Pe...	-split-		320.72		445,859.31
03/30/2026	E-pay	United States Treasury	-split-	59-1502925 Q...	1,274.88		444,584.43
03/30/2026	11486	K&D Cleaning	570.00 · Culture & Rec...		450.00		444,134.43
03/30/2026	11487	City of Crescent City	540.00 · Public Works:...		30.00		444,104.43
03/31/2026			310.000 · Taxes:311.1...	Deposit		14,240.03	458,344.46
03/31/2026	EFT	Wells Fargo Vendor ...	510.00 · General Gove...		131.12		458,213.34

FOUNDERS DAY

GREAT CELEBRATION

Celebrating Our Community Since 1894



May 16, 2026 • 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Mayor's Park • 107 Worcester Ave

Community Center • 200 E Main St



◆ **Farmers Market** ◆



◆ **Water Slide & Activities**



◆ **FREE Lunch**
11 AM – 1 PM
(while supplies last)



◆ **Live Music**
11 AM – 3 PM



◆ **Community Booths**



◆ **Kids Activities & Games** ◆

★ *Bring a Lawn Chair & Stay Awhile!* ★

Celebrate Pomona Park's Birthday!

Share memories with friends and neighbors.

◆ **ALL ACTIVITIES ARE FREE** ◆

TOWN OF POMONA PARK PRESENTS

FOUNDERS DAY GREAT CELEBRATION

Pomona Park Great Celebration




MAY 16, 2026
📍 **9:00 AM – 3:00 PM**
📍 **Mayor's Park & Community Center**


★ AGENDA OF EVENTS ★

 **9:00 AM – EVENT OPENS**
◆ Farmers Market • Community Booths
◆ Kids Activities • Water Slide & Fun
◆ Coffee and Doughnuts at the Community Center




 **10:00 AM – OPENING CEREMONY**
◆ Welcome from Mayor
◆ Community Acknowledgements
◆ A Brief Look at Pomona Park's History


 **11:15 AM – RIBBON CUTTING – BROWARD BEACH**
◆ Dedication of New Playground


 **11:00 AM – 1:00 PM – COMMUNITY LUNCH**
◆ Lunch served at the Community Center
◆ Served while supplies last



 **11:00 AM – LIVE MUSIC BEGINS – Starts at Community Center**
◆ Local performers take the stage

 **1:15 PM – RIBBON CUTTING – MAYOR'S PARK**
◆ Dedication of New Playground

 **SPEAKERS THROUGHOUT THE DAY**
Between events while at the Community Center

 **3:00 PM – EVENT CONCLUDES**

★ *Bring a Lawn Chair & Enjoy the Day!* ★

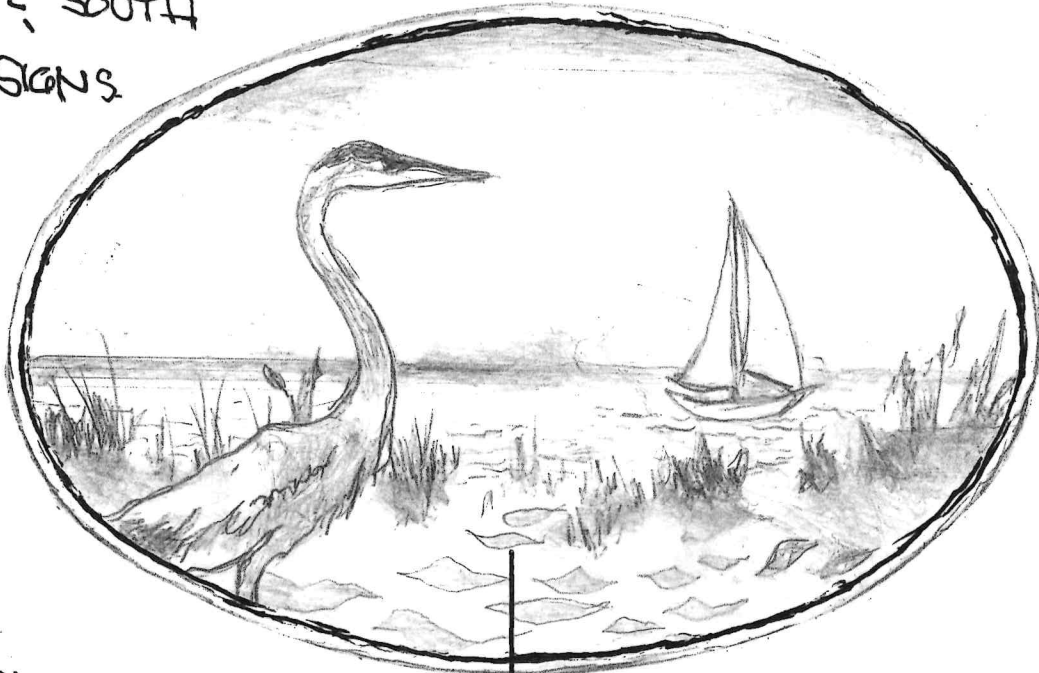
◆ **All Activities Are Free** ◆

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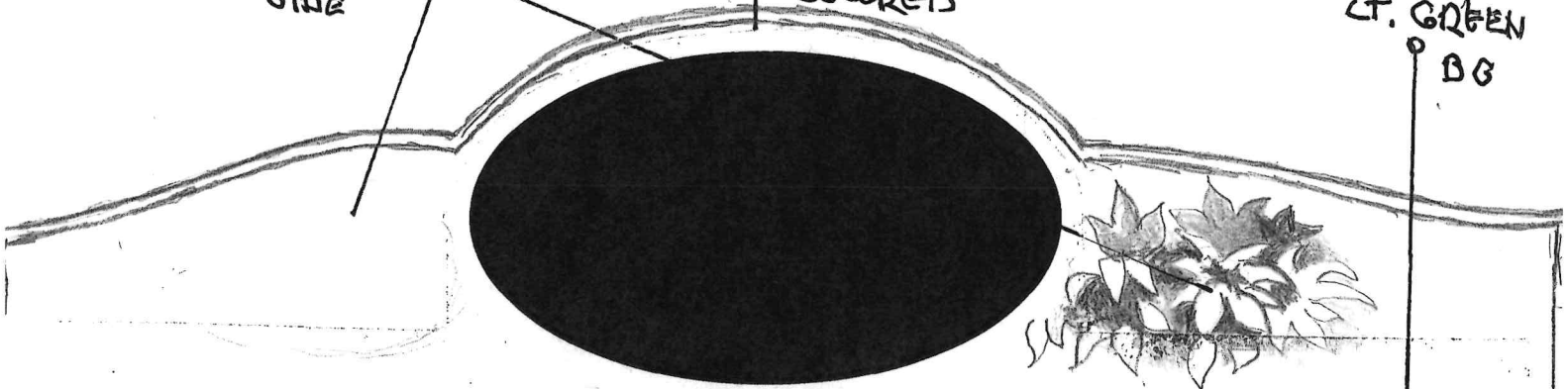
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A GREAT PLACE TO LIVE

POMONA PARK

ON BEAUTIFUL LAKE BROWARD

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Invoice

SOLD TO TOWN OF REMONA PARK	SHIP TO (ESTIMATE)
ADDRESS	ADDRESS NORTH E SOUTH GROUND SIGNS,
CITY, STATE, ZIP	CITY, STATE, ZIP

CUSTOMER ORDER NO. -	SOLD BY RICHARD	TERMS COD	F.O.B. -	DATE MARCH 13, 26
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ORDERED	SHIPPED	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	UNIT	AMOUNT
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					<u>\$ 1,340.00</u>
50% DOWN, REMAINDER TOTAL DUE UPON COMPLETION MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO RICHARD COONEY					



FACT SHEET – 2025 SB 180 TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

BACKGROUND

The Legislature passed Senate Bill (SB) 180 Emergencies on May 2, 2025, and Governor DeSantis signed it into law on June 26. The Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) requires a training requirements training for that county or municipal administrators, county or city managers, county or municipal emergency management directors, and county or municipal public works directors or other officials responsible for the construction and maintenance of public infrastructure must complete **biennially** in addition to the training required pursuant to section 252.38(1)(b), Florida Statutes. FDEM will provide training to meet these requirements or approve training to be given by a not-for-profit corporation.

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

During the initial year, required individuals shall fulfill the **foundational course requirement** no later than twelve (12) months after the official start date within the position. Current elected officials shall be compliant no later than July 1st, 2026.

Personnel who hold the aforementioned roles shall comply with the training requirements using the guidance below. Additional courses can be approved at the discretion of the FDEM Executive Director or designee. The courses will serve as the **foundational** framework for understanding the emergency management profession from the Florida perspective. At least one of the courses below will be taken:

- **FL Senior Elected Officials Course (4hrs.)** - During disasters, it is imperative for local, state, and federal partners to relay communications and decisions effectively. This course discusses best practices for Senior Officials in Florida (executives, elected and appointed officials, city/county managers, agency administrators, etc.) on how to support their emergency management personnel during disasters. A large focus will be on communication and information sharing.
- **FL Local Coordinating Officer Course (4hrs.)** - This course provides key local staff with updated information on state and federal disaster assistance programs and processes, including statewide mutual aid, the role of the State EOC, and FEMA's Individual Assistance, Public Assistance, and Hazard Mitigation Programs. The focus is on management issues that local response and recovery officials may face in relationship with state and federal partners.
- **When the World Descends (4hrs.)** - This course paints the picture of "when the State Emergency Response Team (SERT) descends," an Incident Command Post (ICP) is set up, and what resources/support can be expected. This is an in-depth discussion of what resources are available, from equipment to personnel support, and how to establish and maintain communication between local, state and federal partners.

VERIFICATION AND REPORTING

Each applicable official shall register through the SERT TRAC platform for the course. At the conclusion, the official should upload their certificate as verification of attendance and to remain in compliance.

WAIVERS AND EXEMPTIONS

FDEM may grant waivers or extensions in cases of hardship, emergency deployment, or other qualifying circumstances, pursuant to the rule.

CONTACTS

If you have any questions on the training requirements, please contact the Education & Training Development Manager, Porschica Griffith at porschica.griffith@em.myflorida.com.

For any general questions regarding the Statute, please contact Legislative Affairs Director, Meigs Lamb at Meigs.Lamb@em.myflorida.com.

Ron DeSantis, Florida Governor
Tom Berger, Interim Secretary
Warren Sponholtz, Florida State Chief Information Officer

Attn: Andrea Almeida
Town Clerk CMC
Town of Pomona Park
1775 US Hwy 17 South PO Box 518 Pomona Park, FL 32181
Pomona Park, FL 32181

March 31, 2026

Congratulations, Town of Pomona Park! You have been awarded for Year 3 of the Florida Local Government Cybersecurity Grant administered by the Florida Digital Service. Based on the requests and information included in your application, the following capabilities will be offered:

Capability	Solution	Quantity	Unit
External-Facing Asset Discovery			
Endpoint-Based Asset Discovery (Agent)			
Network-Based Asset Discovery (Agentless)			
Endpoint Detection and Response	SentinelOne - Singularity Complete, Vulnerability Management, and Vigilance	5	Endpoints
Content Delivery Network	Akamai Technologies	Up to 1000	GB
Security Operations Platform	ReliaQuest GreyMatter	1-250	Employee Count
Email Security	Proofpoint - Email Security Protection (Proofpoint on Demand)	13	Mailboxes
IT Service Management			

If you identify any discrepancies with the information above, please contact us immediately.

In addition to software access for the capabilities awarded, the Florida Digital Service will provide the following:

- Incident response assistance when requested.
- Training, technical assistance, and support for the capabilities granted.

Your Grant Agreement will be sent via email shortly. The Grant Agreement must be executed by Tuesday, May 5, 2026. If you do not receive your Grant Agreement within the next 48 hours, we may not have the correct contact. There will not be any extensions to the Grant Agreement deadline, as the software must be received before the end of June.

In late May 2026, you will need to attend kick-off meetings for each of your awarded solutions and approve an implementation plan for each awarded solution by June 22, 2026.

The Florida Digital Service remains committed to supporting you throughout this process as we deploy critical capabilities to mitigate cybersecurity threats to your local community. We look forward to working alongside you and your team.

Best Regards,
Florida's Local Government Cybersecurity Grant Team
Florida Digital Service
cybersecuritygrants@digital.fl.gov

Upcoming Pomona Park Events and Meeting Announcements:April

Town Council Meeting

April 14, 2026 6pm Chambers

Office Closed for Cyber Training until 1:00pm

April 21, 2026 8am-1pm

Earth Day

April 22,2026

Mother's Day

10-May-26

Town Council Meeting

May 12,2026 6:00pm

Great Celebration Birthday Party

May 16,2026 8:00am

