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Reorganization OF THE Board of County Commissioners

VISION
A community that is safe, healthy and vibrant.

MISSION
To efficiently provide public services which serve and strengthen our community.



(From left) At-Large Commissioner Nick Maddox, District 3 Commissioner Rick Minor, District 5 Commissioner David T. O'Keefe, At-Large Commissioner Carolyn D. Cummings (Chair), District 4 Commissioner Brian Welch (Vice Chairman), District 2 Commissioner Christian Caban, and District 1 Commissioner Bill Proctor.

Leon County Government held its 2023 Reorganization of the Board Ceremony on Tuesday, November 14, in the Commission Chambers of the Leon County Courthouse. Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller Gwen Marshall Knight swore in At-Large Commissioner Carolyn Cummings as Chair and District 4 Commissioner Brian Welch was selected as Vice Chairman.



For more information about the Leon County Board of County Commissioners and to view the Board calendar, visit **LeonCountyFL.gov**

Free Event!

BICENTENNIAL COUNTDOWN DOWNTOWN

NEW YEAR'S EVE

6-10 P.M. CASCADES PARK

The best PARTY in 200 years!

MORE DETAILS AT [TALLAHASSEELEONCOUNTY200.COM](https://tallahasseeleoncounty200.com)

LEON COUNTY ADOPT-A-TREE PROGRAM

For more than 30 years, Leon County Government has proudly supported our native ecosystem through the Adopt-A-Tree Program, which provides County residents the opportunity to have a tree planted on their property for free. With a goal of planting 200 trees in honor of the Tallahassee-Leon County Bicentennial in 2024, Leon County is encouraging residents to be a part of this green endeavor.

Apply to have a tree planted on your property by January 31, 2024, at LeonCountyFL.gov/AdoptATree



LEON COUNTY NEWS & EVENTS

2023 Florida High School Athletic Association Football State Championships

Leon County will welcome the 2023 Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA) Football State Championships from December 7-9 at FAMU's Bragg Memorial Stadium. This year's championship event will be historic as it is the first time the FHSAA will host the nine team classifications all in a single location and the first time the entire championships will be hosted at a Historically Black College.

For tickets and information, visit FHSAA.com

Health Insurance Enrollment Assistance

Considering enrolling in a health insurance plan for 2024? Consult with a Navigator from Big Bend AHEC at the Leon County Public Library for complimentary and unbiased guidance in choosing and enrolling in the perfect plan for you. Sessions are available at all library locations throughout December and January.

No appointment required. Learn more at LeonCountyLibrary.org

WINTER WONDERS EXPLORING SCIENCE

The magic of winter meets the wonders of science! Ignite your curiosity with engaging and educational hands-on activities centered around the enchanting winter season, featuring crafts, science experiments, and more.

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DR. B.L. PERRY, JR. BRANCH LIBRARY Saturday, December 9 1-3 p.m.
NORTHEAST BRANCH LIBRARY Saturday, December 16 12-3 p.m.
FORT BRADEN BRANCH LIBRARY Saturday, January 6 1-3 p.m.
WOODVILLE BRANCH LIBRARY Thursday, January 11 4-6 p.m.
LAKE JACKSON BRANCH LIBRARY Saturday, January 13 1-3 p.m.
EASTSIDE BRANCH LIBRARY Saturday, January 27 1-3 p.m.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SCHEDULE DECEMBER 2023

TUESDAY 12	3:00 p.m.	Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers – 301 S. Monroe Street
TUESDAY 12	6:00 p.m.	Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers – 301 S. Monroe Street
TUESDAY 19	1:30 p.m.	Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency Regular Meeting City Commission Chambers – 300 S. Adams Street

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For meeting and location updates, visit LeonCountyFL.gov