

The Old Water Pump



June 30, 2020



At the June 9, 2020 Town Council Meeting, Suzanne M. NeSmith was sworn in as Mayor for the 2020-2024 term. Mayor Phyllis Bowman, who served as Mayor from 2016-2020, congratulated Mayor NeSmith as she passed the Gavel of Mayor. Council Chair Mamie Vann presented Mayor Bowman with a plaque and thanked Mayor Bowman for her service and dedication to the Town of Greenwood. Bryan Johnson was sworn in as Council Member for his second four-year term. Congratulations to Mayor NeSmith and Council Member Bryan Johnson!

Meet Your New Mayor

Enclosed with this newsletter you will find a letter from Mayor NeSmith to all of our residents. For those who may not know Mayor Nesmith, here is a little background. Mayor NeSmith is a lifelong resident of Greenwood. She served on the Greenwood Town Council from 1998 to 1999. She resigned her position on the Council to become the Greenwood Town Clerk. She served as Town Clerk from 1999 until she retired in November 2012.

TOWN HALL CLOSINGS

July 3, 2020 - Independence Day ***the garbage facility will be open on Saturday, July 4 from 7:30am to 4:30pm***

September 7, 2020 - Labor Day

2020 CENSUS – YOUR VOICE MATTERS

Your response to the 2020 CENSUS will greatly impact future funding for Community Development grants as well as programs that provide benefits for our children and senior citizens. The Town of Greenwood's current response rate is less than 40%. Please complete your CENSUS today. If you need assistance or have any questions please give us a call at Town Hall at (850) 594-1216.

NEW GARBAGE CARDS

All residents of Greenwood are being issued new garbage cards for the Town's garbage facility. The new **ORANGE** cards will replace the old **GREEN** cards. Each resident **will be required** to present your garbage card to the garbage attendant. If your card is lost a replacement card can be obtained at Town Hall for a fee of \$2.00.

GARBAGE FACILITY POLICIES

The **Roll-Off container** is available for the disposal of light household items and is **ONLY** available on the **1st and 3rd Saturday of each month**. The garbage attendant will need to inspect items prior to disposal and will provide assistance as needed.

Please note, some items cannot be placed in the roll-off container. This includes tires, chemicals, paint, etc. Bulk items from home construction projects or renovations are prohibited. If contractors or companies are working at your home, require them to include trash removal. If accommodations cannot be made with the contractor, then hire a contractor to dispose of these items or take it to a landfill for disposal.

Yard Trash – grass clippings, leaves, tree limbs and pine straw and shrub trimmings. Yard trash can be taken to the garbage facility on **Tuesdays** and the **2nd and 4th Saturday of each month ONLY**. In order to meet State of Florida requirements, the Town of Greenwood requires the separation of yard trash from residential garbage. The garbage attendant **IS REQUIRED** to inspect all items prior to disposal and will provide assistance as needed.

Household Garbage – **ALL** household garbage must be bagged and placed in the green dumpsters. Garbage attendant will provide assistance.

Metal and Recyclables – There are areas designated at the garbage facility for the disposing of these materials. The garbage attendant **IS REQUIRED** to inspect all items prior to disposal and will provide assistance as needed

AROUND TOWN

During this time of the year the grass grows fast and it seems like the mowers never stop. It is important that the right of ways stay clear of yard trash debris, vehicles, etc. so that our maintenance employees can keep our town looking good.

FAREWELL

These people have left our fair town.

*Jimmy Newton
Rosalind Dimichele*

GREETINGS

Welcome to our town!

<i>Janet Lovett</i>	<i>Jonathan & Kristi Stephens</i>
<i>William Grant</i>	<i>Lawanda Dean-Jones</i>
<i>Mary Black</i>	<i>Billie Jo McIntire-Sims</i>
<i>Eugene Ferry</i>	<i>Marlanna Brooks</i>
<i>Angela Jennings</i>	<i>Marvene Calloway</i>
<i>Tabetha Smith</i>	<i>Christopher Floyd</i>
<i>Darlene Harper</i>	<i>Russell Stillman</i>
<i>Philip Garrett</i>	<i>Peace of Mind Marine LLC</i>

SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy to the families of:

*Nell Thomas
Richard Vann
Mattie Connor
Jose Jimenez
Fred Rory*

ONE LAST THOUGHT....

The Town will not be holding our annual 4th of July celebration this year due to concerns and restrictions associated with COVID-19. We want to wish each of you a safe and Happy 4th of July. The Town of Greenwood will continue to move forward with projects and improvements that will benefit our residents and community. Let's continue to work together to make Greenwood the BEST town in Jackson County. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Town Hall at (850) 594-1216 or by email at townhall@townofgreenwood.org

From us to you,

So Long Until Next Time

Alicia Corder, Town Clerk

Beth Beutler, Deputy Clerk

Suzanne M. NeSmith, Mayor

