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THE MAYOR'S CORNER

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We have already had our "fireworks" thanks to the efforts of our Spring Fling Committees and the great support of our Community. Now we look upon the celebration of our National Independence Day. I wish everyone a safe and glorious 4th of July and encourage all to reflect upon all the wonderful things our Nation has achieved and the challenges that face us in the future. I hope each year that Atlantis can continue the vision, cooperation, commitment, and desire for not only a better City but also a better Nation.

This is the time of year when your city staff and elected officials have the task of formulating and setting budget and tax rates for the coming year. Everyone has been busy for the past couple of months studying all aspects of the City's finances and the first budget workshop has been held. This process will continue through September when the final budget is approved. Obviously there are many items that cannot be precisely determined at this time. Updated information and new estimates will be incorporated into budget revisions for the next three months. The process requires that we set a "proposed" millage and then work from that point forward. This proposed number could be lowered but never raised during the budget finalization process. I anticipate that we will come to a final number very near to "roll-back", or the same tax amount as last year. This is going to be extremely challenging, as it will be the third year of no increase. Fixed and contract expenditures continue to increase. Ways must be found to maintain levels of services under these budget constraints. I believe, at this point, we will be successful.

Along with the upcoming holiday we can look forward to the construction beginning on Congress Avenue. Although exact dates of work that will impact access to our entrances are not known, activities are scheduled to begin later that week. All intentions are to keep critical information available, even by electronic signboard if necessary.

Along with summer has come the reemergence of lake weeds and White Flies. The City has approved its part of a new contract for lake weed control. This is a partnership with the Atlantis Golf Club. This is a difficult process but we hope for better success with a new lake weed control company. Please help do your part whenever fertilizer is applied. A very large percentage of all storm drains end up in the lakes so this applies to

everyone, not just those living on the lakes. Most owners of Ficus trees and hedges are either self treating or have contracted for White Fly control. Most of the experts are saying that some of the apparent thinning and damage we are seeing is from the unusually cold winter we experienced. If you see new growth, don't panic.

The Lake Worth Drainage District has notified both the Atlantis Country Club and the City that work will soon be done on the L-14 Canal that will include the removal of the trees on the District property in this area. The L-14 Canal along with the Canal right-of-way is the northern boundary of the City; thus both the Canal itself and the Canal right-of-way are outside the City limits. As part of their Critical Path clearing project, the Lake Worth Drainage District Board of Supervisors is set to vote at their July 14th meeting on a proposed project that will remove the trees from their property adjacent to the Canal from Congress Avenue to Military Trail.

The Country Club and the City have participated in discussions with the District in order to attempt to minimize and mitigate the impact to the golf course and the city. After the hurricanes in 2004 and 2005, the Lake Worth Drainage District board set a district-wide policy to remove trees from their rights-of-way throughout the district to address FEMA mandates. This area is one of many within the district boundaries that is scheduled to be cleared.

Officials from the City and Atlantis Enterprises are continuing to work on this issue to minimize the impacts. We will be attending the meeting at the District Headquarters at 13081 Military Trail, Delray Beach on July 14th at 8:30 am. This meeting is open to the public. We would encourage affected residents to write to the district. Letters should be addressed to Ron Crone, District Manager, Lake Worth Drainage District 13081 Military Trail, Delray Beach, FL 33484. Ask in the letter that the manager circulate it to the board members. Send a copy to City Hall so that it can be forwarded to all of the Atlantis council members

Thanks to everyone for your support and contributions. It couldn't be done without you.

Mayor Michael Dahlgren



CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF THE HOLIDAY ON JULY 5, 2010

Next City Council Meeting is Wednesday,

July 21, 2010 at 7:30 pm.

Council Meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month in the Council Chambers.

GET IT FIRST!

**OUR NEWSLETTER IS AVAILABLE ONLINE.
www.atlantisfl.gov**

Manager's Notes, July 2010

The first committee meeting for the Fall Festival will be on July 22, 2010 in the City Hall Conference Room at 9:00 am. If you are interested in assisting with the Fall Festival please join us for the meeting. If you cannot attend, please call city hall or email city hall with your contact information, including an email address.

Congress Avenue Widening Project is scheduled to begin on July 7, 2010. You may see signs and surveyors out in the meantime, but we have been notified that the actual construction will begin on July 7. The County has contracted with H&J Contracting out of Wellington to do the project. It is expected to take approximately 16 months until completion. Lanes will be kept open in both directions during the construction period. However, this area will be an active construction zone for the coming months. Use caution when travelling through the area or use Military Trail as an alternate route.

Mo Thornton
City Manager

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The Atlantis Council Meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm on June 16th, 2010

Ordinance No. 415, an ordinance amending Chapter 9, Licenses and Business Regulations passed 5-0. This provides a five percent increase to the Business Tax Rate for all of the city's existing business tax classifications in accordance with state law.

Resolution 10-14, a resolution authorizing the mayor to sign an Aquatic Weed Control Agreement also passed 5-0. This Waterway Maintenance agreement signed along with the Atlantis Golf Club will help to keep Lake Atlantis and Lake Atlantis South clear of aquatic weeds. The city will contribute up to 50 percent of the cost. The two lakes have a combined acreage of 24.10 acres.

Resolution 10-15 passed 5-0. This resolution authorizes the mayor to sign an agreement with Phillips and Jordan for storm debris removal following a hurricane. This agreement has been piggybacked off an agreement that the Solid Waste Authority has to receive a special locked in rate.

Resolution 10-16 also passed 5-0. This authorizes the mayor to sign an agreement with Southern Waste Systems as a needed backup for storm debris removal. There is no charge if not used.

In Miscellaneous Business: An agreement with the City Engineer for the design of a new master lift station to replace the current aging master lift station that is over 50 years old passed 5-0. We will receive grant funding, and JFK Hospital will help with the financing of the project.

A proposal for H & J Contracting to relocate water and sewer lines in conjunction with the widening of Congress Avenue for a sum of \$26,000 passed 5-0.

A 5-0 vote approved the rehabilitation of lift station number five by Chaz Equipment. It will be lined with supercoat at a

cost of \$16,500.

A Memorandum of Understanding from the City of Greenacres was presented to Council by their planning engineer and director of annexing, Mr. Thomas Lanahan. The City of Greenacres would like to have joint jurisdiction of our section of Military Trail for Police Protection and Enforcement as they plan on annexing the land on the west side of Military Trail. We gave them a 5-0 approval with a written notice for non-renewal at one year increments.

The Mayor read a proclamation for observing August 16-20, 2010 as Florida Water Professionals Week. Our employee Steve has been heavily involved.

Council discussed the Lake Worth Drainage District's plans on removing all the trees and vegetation along their right of way so the canal would not get blocked during a hurricane with fallen trees and branches. Certain houses along Glenbrook Drive, Glenbrook Court, Turnberry Drive, and Turnberry Court North would have their backyard views across the Country Club altered if the vegetation is removed. The city does not own any of the involved land; the Atlantis Country Club does. The Atlantis Country Club is privately owned and ultimately, it will be their decision of what to do with their property.

Councilmember Cathy Higgins reported that the budget workshop is going along fine and roadway improvements will be included in the proposed budget.

City Manager Mo Thornton said that an energy grant has been approved for new energy efficient windows for City Hall.

William Mitchell

(Official minutes available at www.atlantisfl.gov)

POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS BY.. Chief Robert G. Mangold

New Program: Emergencies are rarely planned and happen to everyone, and often times patients are not able to provide the necessary information to facilitate treatment by emergency medical personnel. However, if people prepare for potential medical events dire situations can be mitigated and optimally managed. To provide for the well being of our residents, the Atlantis Police Department is pleased to offer the Medi-Facts Program.

The Medi-Facts Program assists in organizing all necessary information so that it is available to first responders and medical personnel in the event of an emergency. By completing the Medi-Facts information card listing your illnesses, medications, doctors, emergency contacts, etc. you will ensure that your medical facts are immediately available so that treatment can be expedited with full knowledge of your history and needs.

The materials for the Medi-Facts Program, information card, refrigerator magnet to hold the card, and front door or window sticker to alert medical personnel that you participate in the Medi-Facts Program, have been ordered and will be available in early to mid July. Please contact the police department to request a program packet and we will provide the materials as soon as we receive them.

<u>TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT</u> June 2010		<u>CRIME STATISTICS</u> May 2010		
TOTAL ENFORCEMENT :	051	MAJOR CRIMES:	Residential	Commercial
CITATIONS:	047	Burglary :	6	0
WRITTEN WARNINGS:	000	(Structures & Vehicles)		
PARKING CITATIONS:	004	Theft: (Grand & Petit)	0	1
		Vehicle theft		1

HURRICANE PREPARDNESS

- ◆ Put important documents and phone numbers in a water-proof container.
- ◆ All trees and shrubs should be trimmed by now – do not do any trimming before a hurricane is about to come.
- ◆ Monitor the tropics: tune into local television and radio stations; heed the advice of local authorities; evacuate if ordered. Do not return until it is safe to do so.
- ◆ Remove lawn furniture, pots, plants or any other outside items that could be potential projectiles.
- ◆ If a storm watch has been issued, do not place yard waste, recycling, or garbage at the curb. Please be patient until normal collection resumes.
- ◆ You can get helpful information regarding power outages, etc. by going online at FPL.com. To report a hazardous condition or power outage, please call 1-800-4OUTAGE (1-800-468-8243).

- First aid kit, prescription and non-prescription drugs
- Paper cups, plates, plastic utensils; foil, plastic wrap & plastic garbage bags, and matches in a water proof container.
- Personal hygiene items such as soap, toothpaste and toothbrush, toilet paper, etc.
- Liquid bleach to treat drinking water
- Cash – ATM’s may not be operating after a storm

Important local phone numbers to further assist you:

- **EMERGENCY 9-1-1**
 - **ATLANTIS POLICE 965-1700**
 - **CITY HALL 965-1744**
 - **UTILITIES DEPARTMENT 965-1744**
- Here is a list of websites that may also assist you:
- **FEMA- WWW.FEMA.GOV**
 - **STATE- WWW.FLORIDADISASTER.ORG (SERT HOME PAGE)**
 - **COUNTY- WWW.PBCGOV.COM**
 - **LOCAL-WWW.ATLANTISFL.GOV**

If you haven’t already prepared a hurricane emergency supply kit, do so now. Remember to include such items as:

- Three gallons of water per person
- Canned & ready-to-eat food, fruits, crackers, etc. and foods that do not require cooking and a manual can opener.

Help your neighbors if they are unable to prepare by themselves. Let us all band together and stay as safe as possible this season.

FLOOD HAZARD & PREPARATION INFORMATION**THE LOCAL FLOOD HAZARD**

Every property is at risk of flooding. In fact, there is a 26% chance of experiencing a flood during the life of a 30-year mortgage. Many factors contribute to flooding in areas not designated as Special Flood Hazard Areas. The greatest flood threats come from excessive rainfall that accompanies coastal storms, tropical storms and hurricanes. Finished Construction Elevation Certificates are on file.

The Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) provides flood zone determinations to advise if you are in a flood hazard area. Property within the City of Atlantis is located in several different flood zones. Most properties east of Villa Drive (North and South including Villa Drive) and along Atlantis Blvd. are located in the special flood hazard due to Lake Atlantis and Lake Atlantis South. Properties in Palm Circle adjacent to the C-15 lagoon are in the special flood hazard area. All properties west of Villa Drive are not in a special flood hazard area. You may contact City Hall to find out what flood zone your property is located in.

FLOOD INSURANCE

Homeowner's insurance policies DO NOT cover losses due to flooding. There is a 30-day waiting period. Please note that new flood insurance policies will not be written once a storm is approaching. The City of Atlantis participates in the National Flood Insurance Program, which makes flood insurance available to everyone in the City. For most, a home and its contents are their greatest investment. If your property is even subject to the possibility of flood damage, from hurricanes or otherwise, you should be protected with an NFIP Flood Policy. Contact your insurance agent and have him or her discuss the types of coverage available to you. For additional information about flood insurance, visit FEMA's website at: www.fema.gov/business/nfip/

FLOOD SAFETY

There is no substitute for advance planning and preparation. Be aware of what steps to take to minimize your losses due to flooding. Prepare and annually update an inventory of all personal property with descriptions and photos, store drinking water in clean containers, keep a portable radio and flashlights on hand with fresh batteries, and have adequate first-aid supplies on hand. The local television and radio stations will warn you when it is necessary to secure your property and evacuate. Live electrical lines cause most hazards. If it appears that floodwaters will enter your home, turn off all electric and gas service. If you find that water has entered your home, do not touch electrical switches or appliances to either turn them on or off. Outside, avoid any pools of water in which a downed power line is laying. You must assume that all downed power lines are energized. Do not drive through a flooded area. To create a personalized disaster preparedness plan for your family and/or business, please visit the State of Florida Disaster preparedness website at: www.floridadisaster.org

SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENT REQUIREMENTS:

The National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) requires that, if the cost of the reconstruction, rehabilitation, addition, or other improvements to a building equals or exceeds 50% of the building's market value, the entire building must meet the same construction requirements of a new building.

PERMITS

The City of Atlantis Building Department requires permits for all construction. This includes new construction, repair/replacement work, additions, signs, fences, fill, tree removal, etc. The City of Atlantis has adopted the Florida Standard Building Code. Parts of this code regulate the amounts and types of construction in the floodplain. You must always consult with the building official when planning any kind of construction. When others violate our floodplain laws, it could affect your property. The building official should be made aware of such activities.

THE FLOOD WARNING SYSTEM:

The City has a reverse 911 telephone dialing system that will notify of pending storms. In addition, copies of Palm Beach County's Flood Warning Program are available at your nearest county library. Palm Beach County Emergency Management maintains direct contact with the National Weather Service. Local television and radio stations will broadcast hurricane associated flood warnings 36 to 48 hours prior to the flooding event. When the National Weather Service forecast intense rainfall, our drainage system can be lowered in an attempt to receive the extraordinary volume of water expected. During periods of prolonged rainfall, areas of the county are kept under surveillance and reported to the Emergency Operating Center. When advised of problem areas, response actions will be taken. When you detect street flooding in your own area, tune to a television or radio station known by you to have an active news bureau. You will be advised of measures you should take to protect your property and yourself. If you have a weather band radio, tune it to NOAA, weather radio frequency 162.475 MHz to receive local weather updates.

PROPERTY PROTECTION MEASURES

When it appears that your neighborhood is becoming seriously inundated, there are simple things you can do to protect your property: things such as sandbagging building entrances, moving your motor vehicles to higher ground, raising furniture off the floor or moving it to upper floors. Many of the things you own are not only valuable but are considered by you to be irreplaceable. These items should be elevated above the floor level to protect them from flood damage. Store materials like tarps, sandbags, plastic sheeting, plywood, and lumber to protect structures, and to make quick repairs after a severe storm. Board up or shutter windows and doors. FEMA resources can now be accessed online at www.pbclibrary.org/grsmainresources.htm

DRAINAGE SYSTEM MAINTENANCE

The Lake Worth Drainage District maintains the lateral canals in Atlantis. The Public Works Department maintains the remaining swales and storm drains. To reduce the risk, severity or duration of flooding; it is vital to maintain the water-carrying capacity of the drainage system. Florida law prohibits the willful obstruction of our drainage systems and provides both civil and criminal penalties for anyone convicted of such a felony. Anytime you see debris partially or completely blocking a storm drain opening please remove and dispose of the debris or call at the City at 561-965-1744. It is illegal to dump or throw anything into the ditches and canals. If you see anyone disposing of anything, including liquids, trash, vegetation or any other debris into any component of the drainage system please report it immediately to the Atlantis Police Department at 561-965-1700.

BENEFICIAL FUNCTIONS OF THE FLOODPLAIN:

These benefits take many forms:

Natural flood and erosion control: Provides natural flood and erosion control by flood storage and conveyance, and reducing flood velocity.

Water quality: Improves water quality by filtering nutrients and impurities from runoff.

Ground water recharge: Recharges the ground water while simultaneously reducing the frequency and duration of surface flow.

Biological resources: Supports high rate of plant growth, provides breeding and feeding grounds and enhances water fowl habitat.

Societal resources: Provides open space, aesthetic pleasures for the community and opportunities for scientific and environmental research studies.

NPDES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) REQUIREMENTS:

The City of Atlantis must follow the Federal government's requirements in our NPDES permit. It is everyone's responsibility to protect our water resources. Please do not directly discharge any used water into our watercourses. Simple examples are washing vehicles in close proximity of a storm drain and storing chemicals outdoors. The law prohibits dumping toxic waste, including pesticides, into the ground or groundwater. TOXIC or hazardous wastes include such things as oil and antifreeze. If you see anyone disposing of anything into any component of the drainage system, please report it immediately to the Atlantis Police Department at 561-965-1700.

Outdoor use of pesticides, herbicides, and fertilizers must be applied sparingly to avoid contamination of our surface waters. Please follow directions and do not overspray pesticides or herbicides. Also please do not apply amounts in excess of the recommended amounts for fertilizers. Organic or slow release fertilizers are preferred as these are less likely to be washed off into the storm drain system. Also, please apply only to the targeted areas and remove excess from any paved surfaces. South Florida is a sub-tropical rainfall region, so please consider reducing applications in the wet season and/or apply early in the morning to avoid our typical afternoon thunderstorm pattern in the wet season (June through October).

Storm Water**www.StormwaterAndMe.org**

By knowing the facts and being aware, you can help clean up our lakes and waterways. Always remember, **nothing but storm water** belongs in the storm drains.

Pool Care: Discharge of chlorinated pool water into the city's storm drain is prohibited. Pool water must be de-chlorinated and discharged on to the ground, not into the storm drain system. Discharge from pool maintenance, replastering or other construction is strictly prohibited.

Lawn Care:

- Use pesticides and fertilizers sparingly. When use is necessary, use these chemicals in the recommended amounts.
- Use organic mulch or safer pest control methods whenever possible.
- Compost or mulch yard waste. Don't leave it in the street or sweep it into storm drains or waterways.
- Don't overwater your lawn. Consider using a soaker hose instead of a sprinkler.
- Cover piles of dirt or mulch being used for landscaping projects.

House Care and Maintenance:

- Purchase biodegradable, non-toxic products.
- Use, store and dispose of products as directed on the container.
- Sweep up and properly dispose of any construction debris.

Vehicle Care:

- Use a commercial car wash or wash your car on a lawn or other unpaved surface.
- Check your vehicle regularly for leaks and/or spills. Clean up and properly dispose of materials used for spill clean up. Repair leaks as soon as possible to prevent future spills.

Be on the lookout for anything being dumped into storm drains or water bodies. Some common illegal discharges to storm drains include:

- Antifreeze
- Automotive fluids
- Construction debris (wood, drywall, concrete, mortar)
- Debris (plastic bags, six-pack rings, bottles, and cigarette butts)
- Detergents
- Disinfectants
- Excessive dirt and gravel
- Fertilizers
- Insecticides
- Grease
- Oil filters
- Paint
- Pesticides
- Pet waste
- Solvents/degreasers
- Trash
- Yard waste (leaves, grass, mulch)
- Take the time to educate others on the negative impact of dumping into a storm water system.
- Call the City of Atlantis at 561-965-1744 to report dumping and discharges into storm water systems.

CITY OF ATLANTIS 2009 WATER QUALITY REPORT

Dear Customers,

We are pleased to present to you this year's Annual Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. The City of Atlantis purchases its water from Palm Beach County Utilities, which is treated well water from shallow aquifers.

I'm pleased to report that our drinking water meets federal and state requirements.

The City of Atlantis routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws and regulations. Except where indicated otherwise, this report is based on the results of our water monitoring for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2009. The data obtained and presented in this report are from the most recent tests performed in accordance with the established drinking water laws, rules, and regulations.

The City of Atlantis is responsible to test for total Coliform bacteria monthly and Lead and Copper in accordance with 40 CFR 141.Subpart 1. Palm Beach County Utilities System II, the primary supplier, is responsible to monitor for Primary, and Secondary contaminants as required by Federal, and State Laws. This annual report is for the reporting period of January 1, 2009 to December 31, 2009.

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

(A) Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.

(B) Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.

(C) Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses.

(D) Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.

(E) Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink the EPA prescribes regulations to limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water that must provide the same protection for public health.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

These charts are designed to inform you about substances that may be found in your tap water. Therefore, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has established standards regulating contaminants. Our utility has never been in violation of the EPA standards.

The charts below show substances that the EPA requires our utility to report, even though we are not in violation of their standard. To determine how we compare to the federal regulation, compare the column that shows the highest level allowed by EPA (MCLs) to the column that shows the level detected at our utility during 2009. Keep in mind that MCLs are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health

effects for many regulated substances, a person would have to drink two liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having a health effect.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Steve Mazuk, Atlantis Utilities Department at 965-1744. City of Atlantis, 260 Orange Tree Dr., Atlantis, Florida 33462. This report can also be viewed on the City's website at <http://www.atlantisfl.gov>. Our regularly scheduled council meetings are on the third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Atlantis Municipal Complex.

We at the City of Atlantis work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap.

Thank you,

Steven Mazuk, Utilities Director
ATLANTIS UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

Table definitions:

Action Level (AL): Concentration of a contaminant that requires treatment

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL): The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG): The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

MFL: Million fibers per liter (longer than 10 micrometers)

ppb: parts per billion; one part per billion equals approximately one drop in 10,000 gallons

ppm: parts per million; one part per million equals approximately one drop in 10 gallons

pCi/l: picocuries per liter; a measure of radiation matter in drinking water

ND: not detected; indicates that the substance was not found by laboratory analysis

Treatment Techniques (TT) A treatment technique is a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

We are in the city monthly collecting samples for microbiological analyses. We are pleased to report that all samples collected were negative.

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	Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range	MCLG	MCL	Date of Sample	Likely Source of Contamination
Asbestos (MFL)	N	1 mfl	ND - 1	7 mfl	7 mfl	12/17/03	Decay of asbestos water mains; erosion of natural deposits

LEAD & COPPER

	AL exceeded Y/N	90th Percentile result	No. of Sampling sites exceeding AL	MCLG	AL (action level)	Date of Sample	Likely Source of Contamination
1. Lead (ppb)	No	3.0	0	0	15 ppb	09/02/2009	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
2. Copper (ppm)	No	0.096	0	1.3 ppm	1.3 ppm	09/02/2009	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits

"If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Atlantis Utilities is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>."

Initial Distribution System Evaluation (IDSE): An important part of the Stage 2 Disinfection Byproducts Rule (DBPR). The IDSE is a one-time study conducted by water systems to identify distribution system locations with high concentrations of trihalomethanes (THMs) and haloacetic acids (HAAs). Water systems will use results from the IDSE, in conjunction with their Stage 1 DBPR compliance monitoring data, to select compliance monitoring locations for the Stage 2 DBPR.

DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS

	Dates of Sampling	MCL Violation	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL or MRDL	Likely Source of contamination
Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)(ppb)	11/27/07 - 8/29/08	No	16.9**	1.0 - 36.6 ppb	N/A	60 ppb	By-product of drinking water water chlorination
Total Trihalomethanes (ppb)	11/27/07 -08/29/08	No	29.3**	19 - 37.3 ppb	N/A	80 ppb	By-product of drinking water water chlorination
Chloramines (ppm)	Daily	No	1.8*	0.6 -3.0	4 ppm	4 ppm	Water additive used to control microbes

* The results in the column indicating "Level Detected" for chloramines is the running annual average from all sampling sites.

** The results in the column indicating "Level Detected" for total trihalomethanes and haloacetic acids are the four quarterly running averages from all sampling sites.

Atlantis receives its water primarily from Palm Beach County Water Utilities System II. They have 14 wells approximately 150 feet underground in the Shallow Aquifer. Palm Beach County operates five water treatment plants. The plants are staffed 24 hours a day by state-licensed water plant operators. The Department is continually upgrading its facilities to utilize the most effective and up-to-date technologies for water treatment, such as state-of-the-art membrane softening, ozonation, lime softening, filtration, and disinfection by chlorination.

The enclosed pamphlet is the CCR 2009 Report from Palm Beach County Utilities.

Atlantis Country Club

190 Atlantis Boulevard

561-965-5788

Atlantis Resident Summer Discount: 20% Off

Bring your Family and Friends and take 20% off your total check.

(Please tip on full amount before discount is applied. Show proof of residency to server for 20% off.)

Summer Hours: *Open Wednesday to Sunday for dinner from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.*

Snack Bar: *Open Daily beginning at 7:30 a.m.*

Lounge: *Open Wednesday to Sunday beginning at 2 p.m. Lite Bar Menu Available*

Happy Hour: *2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Complimentary Hors d'oeuvres Served*

Kids Eat Free Wednesday and Thursday

Children's Menu....\$5 includes beverage and dessert

Fried Chicken Tenders, Grilled Hamburger or Cheeseburger Pasta, Fried Shrimp, Grilled Breast of Chicken, Corn Dog

Saturday Nights: *Starting June 26th*

Live Entertainment by Fred Ferrese

Music of the 70s

For your listening and dancing pleasure

The Lounge from 6 to 9 p.m.

Summer Membership

Atlantis Golf Club



"The Private Club"

If you love golf, *then* you indeed belong here

Summer is just starting and there is a lot of golf to be played.

A few Summer Memberships are still available.

Jr. Golf Camp

July 6 – 7 & July 21 – 22

Free to all members children and grandchildren

Call 966-7626 For more information.

Atlantis Golf Club

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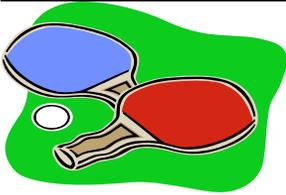
\$1,000 + tax: May-October

Open Every Day

Call Tommy Butcher @ 561- 966-7602 tommy@atlantisgolf.org

Atlantis Golf Club, 301 Orange Tree Dr.

Atlantis, FL. 33462



Community Activities



TENNIS CLASSES- contact **COACH Sherwin Anderson** USPTA PRO at 561-588-4557.

ADULT TENNIS BEGINNER - Wednesdays 7- 8 PM Basics of tennis and an eye toward getting you playing "The Game of a Lifetime".

ADULT TENNIS THURSDAY Intermediate to Advanced round robin and clinic 7PM. Extensive exercise with some advanced drills.

SUMMER TENNIS CAMP— Monday through Friday, call for details.

SENIOR TENNIS— Monday 9-11 am and Thursday 5-7pm Contact: **Betty Ann Badger** at **561-434-4145**

THE LITERARY SOCIETY is suspended for the summer and will resume in November. Contact **PAT** at **561-966-7600** for further information.

THE GREAT BOOK CLUB OF ATLANTIS- is suspended for the summer and will resume in October. Interested persons should contact **Dr. Bennett Miller** at **561-968-2675** for further information.

JEWELRY CLASS - Held TUESDAYS, 6-8 PM in Chambers. For information and dates, call **Marie Claude** at **561-736-5609** or **561-271-8967** or email her at CLVERT@AOL.COM

ATLANTIS PERSONAL TRAINING- Customized training for all needs from young to old. Improve your golf game, core strength, balance, muscle tone, flexibility and achieve weight loss. Improve your overall quality of life. **Carene Kengeter-** American Council of Exercise- Certified Personal Trainer Call: 561-313-4026

WATER COLOR CLASSES: Are suspended for the summer and will resume in November. Call Joan Tiberi at 561-547-5123.

WARM WELCOME TO OUR NEW RESIDENTS:

David and Wendy Wurst 409 North Country Club

OUR CONDOLENCES ON THE DEATHS OF :

Edward Murachanian

Stephen Jankun

Gus Cosmos

Roberta Poest

Irene Chance

Millicent Grant



SAVE THE DATE-

Our Fall Festival , 4th Annual Bike-A-Thon and expanded Green Market will take place on Saturday, October 2, 2010. Mark your calendars, watch for additional information in *City News*, and plan to join in on the fun!

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EMERGENCY (Fire, Police, Ambulance) [911](tel:911)

- Police and Fire (Non Emergency) 561-965-1700**
- J F K Medical Center 561-965-7300**
- Atlantis City Hall 561-965-1744**
- Building Department 561-965-1796**
- Police (Administration) 561-965-1711**
- Utilities Department 561-965-1744**
- Garbage Collection 561-965-2627**
- Atlantis Country Club 561-965-7700**
- Atlantis Golf Club 561-966-7600**
- Atlantis Realty 561-965-7900**

KINTZ PARK SPLASH PAD HOURS:

Monday through Thursday 11am to 4 pm
Friday, Saturday, Sunday 11am to 8pm

- **During periods of heavy rain, the splash pad hours may be suspended.**

GARBAGE INFORMATION:

BACKDOOR PICKUP

- * MONDAY – HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE**
- * THURSDAY – HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE & RECYCLE**

CURBSIDE PICKUP

- *MONDAY ONLY – YARD WASTE AND BULK ITEMS**

Please place all material for collection by **7:00 am** on the day of service.

Curbside items may only be placed at the curb after 5:00 pm on the day before collection. *Exception, on the first Sunday of each month items may be placed at the curb after noon for Monday pickup.

Please use your underground containers. Liners may be obtained at Ace Hardware. Recycle containers may be obtained at City Hall.

Landscape debris generated by a paid landscape maintenance company must be removed on the day of generation by the maintenance company. (City of Atlantis Code of Ordinances 8.3-9)

Questions, Call City Hall at 965-1744.