



City Manager's Report to City Commission March 20, 2019

- **Half-Cent Sales Tax:** Roads, sidewalks and flood control projects have been submitted to Volusia County. They are posted on the city's website www.codb.us/halfcent and each commissioner has a binder with the printed information.
 - The News-Journal and the Daytona Regional Chamber of Commerce are hosting a "Town Hall Meeting" on Wednesday, March 27 at Daytona State College's Advanced Technology Center, 6 p.m. Commissioner Rob Gilliland & City Manager Jim Chisholm will present the city.
- **Midtown Police Precinct:** The city is planning a ribbon cutting for early next month. Date TBD.
 - Beginning on Monday, March 25, the front desk will be manned from 2 p.m. to midnight, 7 days a week.
- **First Step Shelter progress:** Major milestone...all tilt walls have been erected. Construction is on time and in budget.



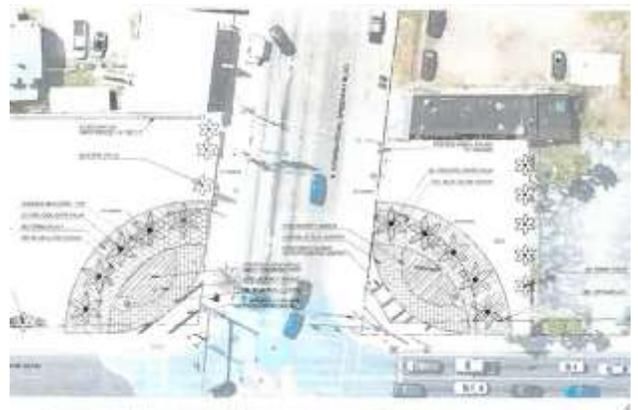
- The city will host NINE public information meetings about the Half-cent sales tax in April in every zone of the city.
 - Locations are listed on the city's website.
 - All meetings will begin at 5:30 p.m.
 - Meeting are intended to be informal and residents are invited to stop by at their convenience, anytime between 5:30 and 7 p.m. to review project displays and city staff will be available to answer questions. Residents have an opportunity to provide feedback and project priorities.
- **STEM Summer Camp:** Daytona Beach Police Department is hosting a summer camp for Daytona Beach children ages 7 to 15 from July 15-18. Class size will be about 30. The advanced technology cyber unit will teach interactive, hands-on sessions. Promotional materials and registration forms are currently being developed.





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- **Nova Road Landscaping Project (Beville to Mason Ave.):** Project to landscape medians will begin on Monday, March 25 and take about 4 months to complete. Crews will be working daytime hours, Monday through Friday. Installing irrigation, using reclaimed water, will be first task. Most likely working south to north. Minor inside lane closures can be expected.
- **Jimmy Ann Reconstruction Project:** Project is underway and already about 50% completed.
- **Schnebly:** New HVAC system in nearly installed.
- **East ISB Update - Landscape Improvements on the NW & SW corners of ISB/A1A:** A design to improve the esthetics of the corners has been approved. Once the remaining structure is demolished on the NW corner of the intersection, decorative pavers and enhanced landscaping will be installed to improve the gateway's esthetics.



- **Bike Week:** By all accounts, it was a successful event. All city crews work tirelessly to provide safety and emergency services and maintenance for city-owned properties.

During the 10-day event, DBPD wrote 525 citations and made 393 arrests. There were 10 motorcycles stolen and two fatalities in DB.

The Fire Department responded to 639 emergency calls for service, which was a 27% increase over the previous 10-day period.