



Upcoming Dates & Reminders



- **JANUARY 23** - First TRCA General Meeting of 2020 at Southside Cultural Arts Center - at 7pm with **special guest District IV Commissioner Ben Sorensen**. [Click here](#) to submit your questions to Ben in advance.
- **PARKING PASS for general meeting**. [Click here to download](#), print parking pass needed for our upcoming general meeting. **Make sure to place this parking pass on your car dashboard.**
- Southside Cultural Arts Center - Jan thru May 2020 program. [Click here](#) to download latest program of activities.

A message from our President Allison Foster

Happy New Year!

We hope you all had a wonderful holiday season. As I think we are all aware, there was a lot going on in Fort Lauderdale over the holidays.

Starting the year strong, we have invited our District IV Commissioner Ben Sorensen to our first general meeting of the year - this week - January 23, 7pm at Southside Cultural Arts Center. We hope you will be there and would ask that you [submit questions here](#) in advance so we can provide them to Ben in advance and will use that to run our meeting.

As we experienced in the past year, there are always many issues facing Tarpon River. Our Board continues to advocate on behalf of the desires of the neighborhood along with the Master Plan of Fort Lauderdale so that we can continue to live in a great community. As quickly as we can, we will share out information with neighbors. If you have not signed up for City updates - please do so on the links below in the newsletter. This is another great way to hear directly from the city regarding major issues.

Many of you participated in our brainstorming session in the fall for idea generation for Tarpon River - thank you! The board has started to, and will be spending time this spring, putting some of these ideas into action. However, in order for this to be accomplished we need your help! We are looking for volunteers who would be interested in getting involved - with some one time involvement opportunities and some ongoing experiences. [Follow this link to fill out our volunteer form](#). We'd love to get you involved!

I am so appreciative of our neighborhood engagement and participation throughout 2019, and I look forward to seeing you all at our general meetings and events throughout 2020!

If there is anything I can ever do for you, do not hesitate to reach out.

Latest Neighborhood News



Community News & Links

- [Wastewater Force Main Assessment Underway](#)
- [2020 Census Jobs - Apply Today](#)
- [Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics Drop-off Events](#)
- [Community Event – A Courageous Conversation About Sex Offenders in Our Communities](#)

NEW Tarpon River Website Coming in Feb 2020!

Keep an eye out for the announcement of our new Tarpon River Civic Association website.

The new website will feature many of the features of our current website with modern functionalities.

Stay tuned for this exciting announcement!

Want to get involved and help make 2020 a great year for Tarpon River?

Join one of our subcommittees today! Teamwork makes the dreamwork! Below are our current subcommittees:

- Little Library Program
- Community Betterment
- Recycling/Volunteering

[Follow this link to fill out our volunteer form.](#)

STAY INFORMED!

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