## **November 1, 2023**



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Town Hall Hours: M-F 8:30 am - 4:30 pm



# Town Hall Calendar November

11/10 - Town Hall Closed - Holiday

11/14 - Town Council Meeting ~ 6 pm 11/23 - 11/24 Town Hall Closed - Thanksgiving Holiday

11/15 - Vision Committee Meeting ~ 9am

11/15 - Planning Board Meeting ~ 6 pm

11/28 - Council Agenda Meeting ~ 8:30 am

\*11/20- Brush/Limb Pickup \*1 Week Early - ahead of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

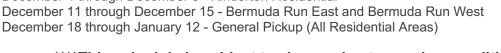
## The Town's Annual Loose Leaf Collection Program for Residents Begins November 1 and Runs Continuously through January 12, 2024

### **Leaf Pickup Schedule**

November 1 through November 10 - General Pickup (All Residential Areas)

November 13 through November 17- Kinderton Residential November 20 through December 1 - Bermuda Run East and Bermuda Run West

December 4 through December 8 - Kinderton Residential



## \*\*\*\*This schedule is subject to change due to weather conditions and demand.\*\*\*\*

### Requirements for Placement

- Loose leaf piles must be free and clear of all other materials sticks, limbs, garbage, etc. Leaf piles with these items will not be picked up.
- Do not place leaves in the street.
- Do not block sidewalks, drainage basins or drainage ditches, and keep away from these items: fences, fire hydrants, mailboxes, phone pedestals, water and sewer covers
- Leaves must be within 4-6 feet of the street for collection.
- Please do not place leaves in your garbage or recycling carts.
- Please do not bag leaves.
- Do not block leaf piles with vehicles (Blocked piles will not be picked up.)



# Daylight Saving Time Ends on Sunday, November 5

Remember to "Fall Back" (turn your clocks back one hour) before going to bed on Saturday, November 4.





# **Message from Mayor Rick Cross**

We are now into November, and the weather is beginning to cool and the leaves are starting to fall, I want to take a moment to update you on the latest happenings across our town.

First, I want to remind everyone that <u>Election Day</u> for election of two Town Council members and the Mayor will be next Tuesday, November 7th at Hillsdale Baptist Church. This is a crucial opportunity for all of you to make your voices heard and play a vital role in shaping the future of our community. With so few voters in our municipal elections, each vote is important. For example, in our town's last municipal election in 2021, nine votes determined one of the Council seats. Please Vote!

On behalf of our town, I'd like to extend my deepest thanks to all the candidates who have expressed their willingness to serve in these important leadership positions. Their dedication to our town is commendable.

Our *Bermuda Run Vision Committee* has been hard at work, and are currently focused on some key initiatives impacting our community. A bit of background - This group focuses on special projects important to our Town and community, furthering the goals outlined in our town's Comprehensive Plan. Their efforts are intended to enhance and continue to support Bermuda Run as a vibrant community of vision.

I'm thrilled to let you know that the *Flags at the Blue Heron Trail* project is well underway. Situated just at the Highway 158 round-about is the newly constructed Blue Heron Trail. The Flags at the Blue Heron Trail will honor our community with a stately three-flag overlook. This project will enhance the beauty of our town and create a sense of unity among our residents. For more information on how you can become involved, click on the

<u>Flags at the Blue Heron Trail</u> link. The Bermuda Run Vision Committee has been tireless in their work to bring this effort to life.

Also, mark your calendar for our third annual "Christmas in the Town of Bermuda Run" which will take place in our Town Square on Sunday, December 3rd, from 2:00 PM until 5:00 PM. This festive event promises to be a wonderful chance for our community to come together and celebrate the holiday season. We are always in need of more volunteers to make this event a success. If you would like to be involved, please reach out to volunteer coordinator Gini Brannon at <a href="mailto:ginibrannon@gmail.com">ginibrannon@gmail.com</a>. Thanks to our Bermuda Run Vision Committee for making this annual event a wonderful tradition.

As we continue in our commitment to improving the quality of life for our residents, we are dedicated to connecting pedestrian pathways across our town. In the short-term, we are actively working on connecting our current Blue Heron Trail to the Bahnson Pedestrian Bridge over I-40. We're excited about the potential this project holds and look forward to sharing more news with you in the near future.

Additionally, we are actively seeking solutions to create pedestrian pathways in portions of the Bermuda Run East neighborhoods. With sidewalks and pathways already in place in our other neighborhoods, we are diligently working to find viable alternatives as part of our ongoing effort to fulfill our vision of a fully connected pedestrian community.

I want to thank all of you for your continued support and involvement in making Bermuda Run a wonderful place to live. Together, we can make our town even more vibrant and connected. Please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions, suggestions, or concerns. Your input is essential to our town's progress.

I appreciate all with whom I have been in contact — phone, text, email, and inperson. Thank you for your time and willingness to engage. I ask that you continue to reach out to me — my phone/text is 336.391.1992 and my email address is rcross@townofbr.com.

I look forward to seeing everyone soon. Rick Cross



November 7 - Election Day

Hillsdale Baptist Church, 4815 US Hwy 158 (for Bermuda Run residents)

Click <u>HERE</u> for more election information.

Note - There is no voting this year at the Bermuda Run Town Hall.



\*\*Save the Date\*\*

3rd Annual Christmas in Bermuda Run Sunday, December 3 2 pm - 5 pm

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Town Clerk: Cindy Poe

**Finance Director: Dora Robertson** 

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Coleman, Mike Ernst, and Melinda Szeliga

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