

March 1, 2024



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



Town Hall Calendar - March

3/6 - Council Training/Special Called Meeting 9:30 am - 4 pm

3/12 - Town Council Meeting ~ 6 pm

3/13 - BR Vision Committee - Special Called Meeting ~ 9 am

3/20 - BR Vision Committee Meeting ~ 9 am (Cancelled)

3/20 - Planning Board Meeting ~ 6 pm

3/25 - Brush/Limb Pickup

3/26 - Council Planning Workshop ~ 8 am - 5 pm (Mocksville)

3/29 - Town Hall Closed - Holiday

Tomorrow, Saturday, March 2 is the last day to participate in
One-Stop Early Voting (8 am - 3 pm)
If you wait until the March 5 Primary Election Day, you must go to your
assigned polling location.

There is NO VOTING at the Bermuda Run Town Hall on March 5.

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****NOTICE****

Please observe posted speed limit
signs. Come to a complete stop at STOP
signs. Please watch for kids at play,
walkers, bikers, etc.

Do your part to keep our communities safe.



Message from Mayor Mike Brannon



Like most of you, I am looking forward to more daylight and warmer weather as spring quickly approaches. Also, if you have not yet voted in the Primary Election, you have today and tomorrow for early voting at Town Hall (ending Saturday, March 2), and then in person on Primary Election Day on March 5. Please visit the County's Election [website](#) for more information.

As spring quickly approaches, I also wanted to share that we continue to provide updates on work we are doing to expand our pedestrian pathways. We are addressing challenges with existing pathways in specific areas of our town as well.

As some of you who live in Kinderton Village are aware, the town has been working for the past couple of years to address problems with sidewalks adjacent to trees planted many years ago when that subdivision was initially developed. Although these trees were small when the initial phases of Kinderton Village were developed, they have now grown to their full size and are creating problems.

With each passing year, the roots of these trees continue to push up sidewalks making some sidewalk areas a greater and greater hazard for pedestrians. Over the past couple years, the town has hired contractors to try to "fix" these issues by performing grinding on some sidewalks to remove the edge of the concrete to reduce the risk of trips and falls. However, several of these areas continue to deteriorate and will require a more aggressive approach that includes removing the sidewalk, eliminating the roots below the sidewalk—and in some cases removing the tree completely—in order to ensure a more permanent solution for these sidewalk issues.

In consultation with the KV HOA leadership, we have engaged a Certified Arborist (tree expert) from Carolina Tree Care to help us assess both the health of these trees and advise how to make these sidewalk and street infrastructure (pavement, curbing, and storm drain) repairs more permanent.

While it is our goal to preserve as many trees as possible, we must also balance aesthetics, pedestrian safety along with effective use of limited town funds. Once we have that KV assessment from Carolina Tree Care, we will work with both the council and with KV HOA leadership to develop a strategy that contemplates the cost impact and implementation timeline for this work. Included in that strategy will be ongoing communications to all KV residents. Again, the primary goal is for a permanent solution.

On a related note, we have also asked Carolina Tree Care to assess the Bradford Pear trees that line the median along Bing Crosby Boulevard. Those of you who travel that road have witnessed the slow deterioration of these trees from beautiful, lush green trees to trees losing leaves throughout the spring and summer each year. Many of you also know that the Bradford Pear is not native to NC and many areas across the state have implemented programs encouraging their removal.

As the town awaits the feedback from the arborist on these trees, much like my comment on the KV trees, the town must balance our desire for aesthetics, safety, and prudent use of town funds. Again, staff will work closely with the council to share the arborist recommendations and will seek agreement from the council on a long-term solution.

Lastly, I hope each of you who are unable to attend a monthly Town Council meeting take the opportunity to watch our recorded video of each meeting. I am excited that this is yet another way for us to share with each of you what is happening in and around our town.

I look forward to connecting with you in person, by phone, or via email. Also, please reach out to me if you would like me to speak at your small group gatherings or at any organized events. I am happy to share town news, answer questions, and certainly listen to your ideas or concerns.

You can reach me by email: mbrannon@townofbr.com -- or by phone at 336-775-7633.

Mike Brannon

**Move clocks ahead 1 hour
before going to bed on
Saturday, March 9 as Daylight
Saving Time begins on
Sunday, March 10.
It's also a good time to check
your smoke detector batteries.**



Bermuda Run Garden Club Events:

BERMUDA RUN GARDEN CLUB's Annual

GERANIUM SALE 2024

Hot pink Salmon Red White Fuchsia/
Violet



6½" Pots = \$14 10" Pots = \$20

Order and pre-pay NOW for April 16th delivery!
Rain date 4/17

Pick up: Bermuda Run Post Office/Club parking lot,
2 PM-6 PM

Contact any Bermuda Run Garden Club Member or
Amy Bridges 336-793-7125

By March 25



STOREHOUSE FOR JESUS OF DAVIE
SUPPLY COLLECTION

WHEN: MARCH 11TH-15TH

WHERE: BERMUDA RUN TOWN HALL
120 KINDERTON BLVD. SUITE 100

TIME: 8:30 AM-4:30 PM DAILY

Much needed supplies are canned foods, canned meat, tuna, soups, cereal, dried foods, rice, pastas and healthy snacks for children.

Diapers are also a great need Size 3 and 4

Many thanks in advance for your kind donations.
From Bermuda Run Garden Club



****Save the Date****
Bermuda Run
Garden Club
Shredding Event
Saturday, April 13
9 am - Noon
Town Hall Parking
Lot

Mayor: Mike Brannon

Town Manager: Andrew Meadwell

Town Clerk: Cindy Poe

Finance Director: Dora Robertson

Town Council: Mike Ernst, Rae Nelson, Christy Schafer,

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