

# Town Newsletter

January 2010

**PLEASE DO NOT PUT  
PAYMENTS IN TOWN  
DOOR**

A DROPBOX IS PROVIDED  
AT THE LEFT OF TOWN  
HALL BLD ALL  
PAYMENTS ARE PICKED  
UP EVERY BUSINESS DAY  
AT 8:00A.M.

**DO NOT LEAVE  
CASH IN  
DROPBOX**

**Cut Off Due 01/22/10**

Free Prescription Discount Card

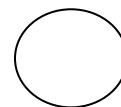
Town of  
Thunderbolt



**Free Drug  
Discount Cards**

for Thunderbolt Residents at  
Town Hall. Stop by and pick one  
up to start saving on  
prescriptions at participating  
pharmacies.

HIGH WATER USE  
&  
NO ACCOUNT  
NOTICES



**High Water Use Notices** are distributed to those accounts that have an irregular amount of water usage. These notices are simply a courtesy for residents to be able to respond to leaks if any, in a timely manner. This notice is also a reminder of the Town's efforts in water conservation. **No Account with Town Notices** are a reminder for all Thunderbolt residents to establish service.

**December Fire Department Statistics**

	<u>Training</u>	
Drills 5	263.5 hours	*Averaged 18 Fire Fighters per drill
Station Duty	84.5 hours	
In House Training	8 hours	
<b>All Hours Combined</b>	<b>356 hours</b>	
	<u>Emergency Responses</u>	
Fire Calls	9	*Averaged 7 Fire Fighters per call
First Responder Calls	20	*Averaged 3 Fire Fighters per call
<b>Total Calls</b>	<b>29</b>	
<b>Total Scenes Time</b>	31 hours	19 minutes
<b>Total Incident Time</b>	35 hours	57 minutes
	<u>Average Response Time</u>	
Fire Calls	2 minutes	
First Responder Medical	2 minutes	30 seconds

**MESSAGE FROM PUBLIC WORKS:**

The Town encourages residents to not exceed 50lbs of dry trash for the paper yard waste containers. **Special Collections (Disposal of Excess Trash or Debris) is provided by the Town of Thunderbolt for a minimum charge of \$75.00 per load.** Fees due for Special Collection Service must be paid in full prior to the service being performed. It is the responsibility of the resident (Tenant and/or Property Owner) to dispose of excess trash. Notices to dispose of such items will be given to responsible parties.

Special Thanks to the  
T'Bolt Neighborhood Improvement Association  
for Hosting the Employee Holiday Luncheon



*To Prevent Water Pipes From Bursting  
Let Your Faucets  
Drip During Extreme Cold Weather*





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WE'RE ON THE WEB!

WWW.THUNDERBOLTGA.ORG  
NEW DOWNLOADABLE CODE OF  
ORDINANCE BOOK AND PLANNING  
AND ZONING ORDINANCES

ON CALL AFTER HOURS NUMBERS  
FOR PUBLIC WORKS IN CASE OF  
WATER SERVICE INTERRUPTION OR  
SEWER LINE BACK UP:  
(912) 644-7999, IF UNAVAILABLE CALL  
(912) 247-4449



CALLING ON ALL  
THUNDERBOLT  
CITIZENS  
WHO ARE 60 YEARS  
OLD OR OLDER  
TO COME AND  
ENJOY THE  
FELLOWSHIP,

GAMES, FIELD TRIPS AND MORE AT THE  
THUNDERBOLT SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER  
LOCATED AT 3236 RUSSELL STREET  
(BEHIND THE TOWN HALL) MONDAY THRU  
FRIDAY 9:00AM UNTIL 2:00PM DAILY LUNCHES  
AVAILABLE COST ONLY 55 CENTS PER DAY, PER  
PERSON.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT  
YVONNE CREECH, DIRECTOR, AT 352-4846.

**Brenda L. Taylor Fire Relief Fund**

Mrs. Taylor is a Town employee who is a recent complete burn out victim. If you would like to help, please donate directly to the fund at United Community Bank.

**SPECIAL**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- Council Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of every month in Town Hall at 7:00p.m.
- Planning and Zoning Meetings are held every third Wednesday of every month in Town Hall at 7:00p.m.
- Town Hall will be closed on January 18, 2010 for Martin Luther King Day
- Land Use Committee will no longer meet
- Thunderbolt Neighborhood Improvement Association will be meeting on January 28, 2009
- Public Terminal in Town Hall for Public use
- Join the Neighborhood Watch Association to help prevent crimes in your neighborhood. Call Mrs. Wendy Hall (912) 355-6320 or email watch.tbolt@gmail.com for more information.

		2008/2009 Monthly Comparison																								
Classification of Offenses	Jan		Feb		Mar		Apr		May		Jun		Jul		Aug		Sep		Oct		Nov		Dec		Yearly	
	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	08	09	2008	2009
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	1
Robbery	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	4	7
Assault	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	
Simple Assault	2	3	4	2	6	7	2	1	3	6	1	3	5	2	4	0	1	0	4	2	2	4	2	2	34	32
Burglary	1	2	5	4	3	1	1	5	1	2	1	2	2	1	6	5	4	3	10	0	5	4	3	4	42	33
Larceny-Theft	9	9	5	2	5	2	5	3	7	2	5	10	9	7	6	15	7	4	8	2	9	4	3	3	78	63
Motor Veh Theft	3	2	2	1	0	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	8	8

-The Town of Thunderbolt has experienced an overall decrease of 1.15% in the crime rate. Burglaries have decreased overall by 1.27% and larceny-thefts have decreased by 1.24%. The Thunderbolt Police Department will continue to remain vigilant with the patrol and traffic enforcement efforts in conjunction with the Neighborhood Watch Program.

**TOWN REMINDERS:**

1. SUPER MUSEUM SUNDAY- February 7, 2020 from 1:00pm-5:00p.m.
2. Penalties and interest are accrued monthly on delinquent property taxes as a result of non-payment.
3. Past due Water Bills are due January 22, 2009 and cut offs will be made on January 25, 2009



2010-2013

Mayor & Council