



TAX *Talk*

— WITH ANNE M. GANNON —
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Serving Palm Beach County

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DEAR FRIENDS:

On Tuesday, January 7, 2025, I had the honor of taking the Oath of Office as your Palm Beach County Tax Collector for the sixth time. This swearing-in ceremony was special as both Wendy Sartory Link, Supervisor of Elections, and I were sworn into office during a joint ceremony, held at the new Supervisor of Elections headquarters near the Palm Beach Airport.

As I begin this term as your Tax Collector, I will continue to focus on ensuring that we provide the residents of Palm Beach

County an exceptional service experience whether visiting us in-person at one of our service centers, calling us on the phone or conducting business online. My staff and I are committed to providing our clients unparalleled service that inspires trust, and we are looking forward to our next interaction with you.



Thank you for the honor of serving as your Constitutional Tax Collector!

Anne M. Gannon

Constitutional Tax Collector, Serving Palm Beach County

WELCOME YVETTE



I am pleased to welcome the newest member of our senior leadership team, Yvette Klepper! Yvette joined our organization as our Chief Personnel Officer and will lead our Human Resources Department, bringing more than 20 years of human resources experience with her. Previously, Yvette had leadership roles at the National Council on Compensation Insurance (NCCI) and Mod Med, both located in Palm Beach County.

“I have enjoyed meeting the employees here at the tax collector’s office. Everyone has been so friendly and welcoming,” said Yvette. “I am anxious to get to work and I look forward to visiting all of our service center locations to meet more of our staff.”

Yvette earned a bachelor's degree from Loyola University in New Orleans and a master's degree from Palm Beach Atlantic University. A Palm Beach County native, Yvette enjoys spending time outdoors, doing everything from boating to camping.

Welcome, Yvette!

TCO COLLECTS SOCKS FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN

I am pleased and proud to announce the success of our office's holiday sock drive. We challenged our employees to donate 3,000 pairs of socks for homeless students in our local schools. Our employees demonstrated their commitment to our community and exceeded that goal by collecting 4,011 pairs of socks. The sock drive benefits Living Hungry, a local nonprofit.

Socks are one of the most-requested items among homeless children. The socks will soon be distributed to homeless school children in Palm Beach County. Living Hungry partners with the school district to deliver supplies to homeless students in Palm Beach County.

My employees and I look forward to our continued partnership with Living Hungry as we work to provide assistance and support for these deserving homeless children in Palm Beach County.

Read more about our organization's community involvement at www.pbctax.gov/about-us/#community.



VOTE-BY-MAIL

Coming off of this past year's busy election season, it is time to focus on the several municipal elections coming up in March for the following municipalities:

Boynton Beach	Golf
Highland Beach	Jupiter
Lake Park	Lake Worth Beach
Lantana	Loxahatchee Groves
Pahokee	Palm Beach Gardens
Riviera Beach	Royal Palm Beach
Important Dates for Municipal Election Day, Tuesday, March 11, 2025	
Deadline to register to vote	Monday, February 10, 2025
Deadline to request that a Vote-by Mail ballot	Thursday, February 27, 2025, by 5:00 p.m.
Early Voting	Not available
Deadline to return your Vote-by-Mail ballot	Tuesday, March 11, 2025, by 7:00 p.m. to our Main Office or by 5:00 p.m. to a Branch Office
Run-Off Election Day (if necessary)	Tuesday, March 25, 2025

If you plan to vote by mail in this election, be sure to request a Vote-by-Mail ballot; changes to Florida law requires you to make a request for a vote by mail ballot after each general election. For more information about vote by mail, visit www.votepalmbeach.gov/Voters/Vote-By-Mail.

FEBRUARY

IMPORTANT DATES & HOLIDAYS

- 1** 1% Property Tax Discount Begins
- 3** Tourist Development Tax Due
- 17** Presidents' Day - Tax Collector Offices Closed
- 28** Last Day to Receive 1% Property Tax Discount

GET YOUR
PROPERTY TAX

1%

FEBRUARY
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