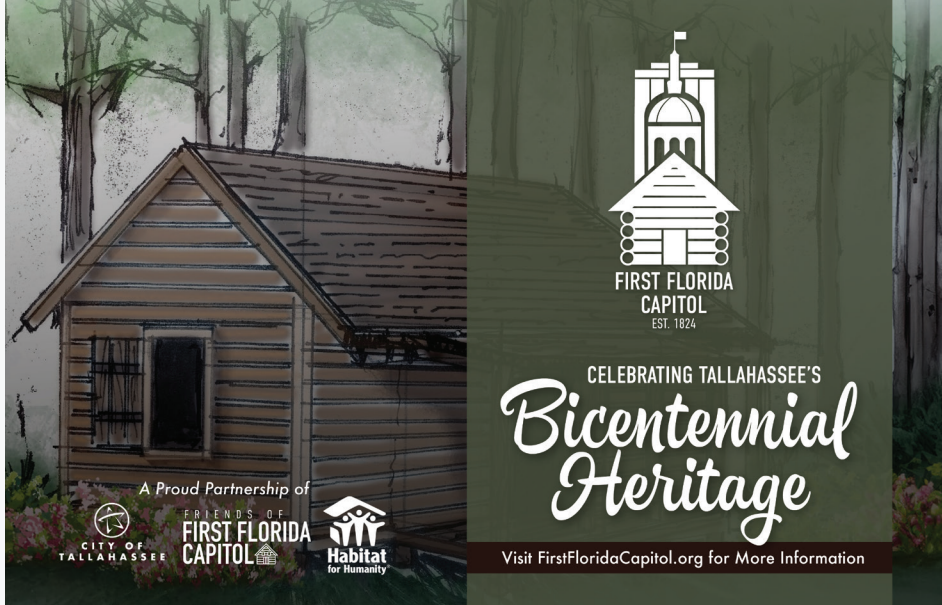


## CAPITOL CABIN HONORS BICENTENNIAL



In honor of the City of Tallahassee's bicentennial this year, the community is coming together to rebuild a replica of Florida's First Capitol: a log cabin that served as Florida's first legislative home. Spearheaded by Mayor John Dailey, the First Florida Capitol log cabin replica will debut in Cascades Park in fall 2024 and be open to the public through spring 2025.

Visit [FirstFloridaCapitol.org](http://FirstFloridaCapitol.org) to learn how you can be part of building the replica.

Plus, save the date! On Sunday, November 10, at Cascades Park, join us for a full day of celebration and history at the Tallahassee Bicentennial Festival! We have many exciting activities planned. Included among them is a dedication of the 2024 First Florida Capitol replica!

### Sustainability Tip

Greening your laundry is as easy as hitting the cold water button and drying your clothes on a rack instead of in a machine.



## WELCOME BACK TO THE MARKET!

The Southside Farmers Market is again open for business. The market offers a variety of fresh, locally grown fruits and vegetables at affordable prices and accepts SNAP benefits and EBT cards. Additionally, free health screenings, cooking demonstrations and more routinely take place at the market. Visit the Southside Farmers Market from 2-6 p.m. on designated Thursdays from now until the end of the year outside the Walker-Ford Community Center, 2301 Pasco Street.



Aug.  
29

Sept.  
12 and 26

Oct.  
10 and 24

Nov.  
7 and 21

Dec.  
5 and 19

For more information, visit [Talgov.com/FarmersMarket](http://Talgov.com/FarmersMarket).



# STARMETRO HELPS STUDENTS

It's time for a new school year! Did you know the City of Tallahassee's StarMetro bus system provides transportation services for K-12 and college students?

If your K-12 kids are interested in riding the City bus to school, sign them up for StarMetro's Student Transportation for Academics and Responsibilities (STAR) Program, which allows them to ride for free. All students participating in the STAR Program must have a STAR Program Card and current signed agreement on file. With these items, students in grades 6-12 can ride StarMetro unaccompanied; students in kindergarten through fifth grade must be accompanied by a sixth grade or older sibling, legal guardian or parental designee.

StarMetro is also a convenient way to reach Florida State University, Florida A&M University and Tallahassee State College. FSU students, faculty and staff can ride free a valid FSU ID, and FAMU students can ride free with a valid FAMU student ID. TSC students, faculty and staff can purchase a discounted StarMetro pass for unlimited use of bus services. The pass can be purchased for \$99 per semester in person in the Cashier's Office using a valid TSC ID.

Learn more at [Talgov.com/StarMetro](http://Talgov.com/StarMetro).



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# STORE WATER DURING HURRICANE SEASON



Hurricane season is in full swing. The City of Tallahassee is prepared and urges residents to do the same. Personal preparedness can enhance safety and ease recovery. While rare for City water customers, a hurricane has the potential to temporarily impact service. Guarantee your family is ready should the worst occur by including ample drinking water in your preparedness supplies. Use these tips to help.

- Store enough water to last at least three days.
- Store water in high-quality plastic rather than glass containers, which can break, or paper cartons, which weaken over time.
- Fill clean containers from your tap, which saves money over bottled water.

To stay connected with the City now and during a potential disaster, follow @CityofTLH on social media and sign up for text alerts via [Talgov.com/Subscribe](http://Talgov.com/Subscribe). For more information on hurricane preparedness, download the Step-by-Step PREP guide at [Talgov.com/PREP](http://Talgov.com/PREP).

# DO GREAT THINGS!

Want to serve your community? Work with us! The City of Tallahassee is the largest single provider of municipal services in the region, including public infrastructure, public safety, public transportation, electric, gas, water, parks and more. Our nearly 4,000 employees pride themselves on providing exceptional customer service, and they are committed to doing great things to create a strong, vibrant community. If you want to join our team, view current career opportunities at [Talgov.com/Jobs](http://Talgov.com/Jobs).



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## MEETINGS IN SEPTEMBER

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