



# THE EDGEWOOD EDITOR

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## Happy New Year!

Hello Neighbors,

Cheers to 2021! I hope everyone had a wonderful and safe holiday season. I hope the new year brings change- change being back to normal day-to-day life very soon. With the new year, we also have a new Board of volunteers who will generously dedicate their time to better your community. I would like to welcome everyone aboard!



We have a fantastic team and we look forward to continuing Edgewood's mission.

In addition to elections, during our December General Meeting, Officer Rodriguez from our Neighborhood Action Team had a very important message to share with us. There has been an increase in vehicle and trailer break-ins. We can help prevent this! Please remember to remove all valuables from your vehicle and lock your cars and trailers. Set an alarm on your phone prior to the time you generally retire for the evening that states, "lock-up" for a simple and necessary reminder after a long day. Perhaps you received a holiday gift you intend to return. Well, consider returning it for the purchase of the Ring Doorbell to better protect you from break-ins. In fact, we have a Ring Doorbell we will raffle to a Member during our February General Meeting. Details to follow!

As always, if you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at [president@edgewoodcivic.org](mailto:president@edgewoodcivic.org)

Our next meeting will be held on January 6th. Hope to see you all virtually!

Nicole M. Ciovacco, Esq



2021 ECA Board

President: Nicole Ciovacco  
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Trustee: Andrew Holland  
Trustee: Kelly Pullar

Next ECA meeting is  
**Wednesday January  
6th** at 6:45pm.

**zoom**

Our city commissioner, Ben Sorenson, will be our guest speaker with a positive update about airport noise and the latest developments affecting Edgewood.

Click [HERE](#) to join or visit [Zoom](#) and enter Meeting Details.

Meeting ID: 569 837 1325  
Passcode: 265125


You can also join via audio by calling  
+1 929 436 2866

**Keep Your Valuables Safe!**

**LOCK IT  
OR LOSE IT**

- TAKE YOUR KEYS
- HIDE OR REMOVE ALL VALUABLES
- LOCK YOUR VEHICLE

*Follow these steps to avoid becoming an easy target.*

 A public safety message from the Fort Lauderdale Police Department  
[www.flpd.org](http://www.flpd.org) | 954-764-HELP (4357)



At our December meeting, the FLPD reminded Edgewood residents to be vigilant and lock their cars! Thieves are looking for easy targets during the holiday season.

Our January **VIP Advertiser** is **Yacht Flowers**. Thank you for supporting Edgewood and be sure to attend our January meeting to learn about this local business right in our neighborhood!

*Yacht Flowers*



**FLORAL DESIGN**  
For Yachts & Homes

The team at Yacht Flowers creates unique, and luxurious floral designs with eco-friendly resources and personalized professional service. Conveniently located on W. Str 84 and I-95 near the 7-11.

Most cars get broken into because there is something valuable that is in sight.

Trailers with work equipment have been targeted lately; a good idea is to install a ring doorbell close to where you store your trailer. FLPD has caught many crooks with the videos obtained!



Edgewood's Recycling Day has moved to **Friday**.  
Yard Waste is now **Tuesday**.

Garbage pickup and bulk trash

Use promo code "**Edgewood**" for a 10% discount.

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## Join the ECA today!

Become a member now through the end of March for the chance to win a **Ring** doorbell!



ECA's mission is to protect the interests of our community and its residents and to ensure that our neighborhood thrives and is a great place to live, work, and play. Become a member today and **Enroll Here**. You can also contribute directly via **PayPal** or send a completed **Membership Form** and check to:

Edgewood Civic Association  
PO Box 21413  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33335

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The **City** is working to improve the **curbside recycling program** by eliminating contamination throughout the City.



We are looking for **volunteers** to conduct Recycling Bin audits on January 8th, 15th, and 22nd from 7am-10am. Please send an email to [president@edgewoodcivic.org](mailto:president@edgewoodcivic.org) if you can assist!

have remained the same.

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The ECA just launched a new website. **Check it out!**



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We love our local businesses in Edgewood! Interested in



Advertising with us? Become a **VIP Advertiser** and connect with our friendly neighbors and more. **Get More Info**

Want something simpler? Be featured on our "**Buy Local**" webpage.

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## COVID-19 Drive-Thru Food Distribution at Mills Pond Park

Due to the ongoing need in our local community for essential groceries, the cities of Fort Lauderdale, Oakland Park, and Wilton Manors will host weekly drive-thru food distributions on Thursday mornings from 9 - 11 a.m. at [Mills Pond Park, located at 2201 NW 9 Avenue](#).

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## The Book Nook

**Extra! Extra!**  
**Read all about it!**

We have a new **little free library** in Edgewood!

Located at 3111 SW 9th Ave

Be sure to check it out and take a book or leave a book!



### Edgewood Cardinals Help Gloria

Hang out with Joyce and Henry and meet their new friends Gloria and Bruce the Green Parrot!

A special thank you to Terry Large for sharing his work with us. Terry is a retired educator and resident of Edgewood.

Click [HERE](#) to read their story!



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Have a favorite book you want to share in the next newsletter? Drop us a line at [president@edgewoodcivic.org](mailto:president@edgewoodcivic.org)

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## Let's **Green** Your Routine

### HHW and Electronics Drop-Off Event

A Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics Drop-off Event is being held on **January 20th** at **Mills Pond Park** from 9am - 2pm.

Household hazardous waste generally includes products with toxic ingredients or components which require special disposal to prevent pollution to waterways, groundwater, air and soil, as well as to prevent poisoning or otherwise endangering humans,



Learn  
More

pets or wildlife.

Edgewood participates in Fort Lauderdale's **Green Your Routine** Program. Interested in becoming a volunteer and helping us earn money for our neighborhood? Send us an email!

Click [HERE](#) to learn more!

### FTL Happenings

- **Calendar of Events**
- **Virtual City Meetings**
- **Corona Virus Updates**



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