There have been quite a few changes in the Village since I was elected to the Council. We have constructed a new bridge, seen new businesses, including five new banks, come to town, appointed three Mayors and now have our third Police Chief - Congratulations to Chief Pitocchelli.

With all the changes, one thing remained the same...the dedication of the Council to the Village of Tequesta and its residents. We have had many discussions and held numerous meetings over the year to come up with a plan to lead the Village into the future. This Council has and will continue to build upon the solid groundwork that was laid before us by our founding Members. We have sacrificed, struggled, cried, laughed and cheered during these tumultuous economic times but as Village residents, as Floridians, as Americans living in the greatest country on Earth, we will get through this. We are a Nation of dreamers, of inventors, of entrepreneurs and a Nation of fighters and as such we will not go quietly into the night but will continue to persevere. We will work and fight for the Village of Tequesta and the way of life that we love; and this Council will persist as long as you grant us the privilege to serve you.

The Village of Tequesta was built on a solid foundation of financial prudence, fiscal responsibility and service to our residents. During the several budget meetings, the Council unanimously agreed not to increase the millage rates for fiscal year 2012, meaning that your Village of Tequesta taxes will not increase. We have been financially responsible with your taxes and, because it is your tax dollars, we are even more conscientious with how it is managed. This means, like you, the Village will have to tighten its belt and again work with a reduced revenue stream; but even with less coming in, partly due to a declining housing market, we were able to run the business of the Village better than most municipalities in Palm Beach County.

We are blessed to have dedicated, highly qualified employees who sacrifice time with their families, friends and love ones to make this Village the gem of Palm Beach County. This Village would not be the diamond that it is if it were not for our citizens; it is you, your passion and your commitment to family and neighbor that makes Tequesta the envy of Palm Beach County.

Thank you for allowing me to serve you.

Calvin Turnquest
Council Member

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**Tequesta: 1990 to Present**

Over the last 20 years, Tequesta has seen a 17.4% growth in its population. As of the 2010 census, there are 5,629 persons residing in 3,257 households within our 2.2 square mile boundaries. The male/female ratio has remained steady, with both genders almost evenly matched over the years. The racial make-up remains predominantly white at 95.8%, however, minority groups such as Asians, 2 or More Races or Some Other Race have seen significant percentage growth. In respect of ethnicity, the Hispanic group has grown from a count of 93 (1.9%) in 1990, to 341 (6.1%) in 2010. The age range for the population is spread out with 30.1% under the age of 35, 44.5% between 35-64 years and 25.4% of the residents being 65 years or older. Over the years, the population growth has allowed for the construction of a 4,000 sq foot library which opened in December 1994, as well as a bustling post office, both located on Old Dixie Highway.

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Sources: Florida Legislative Office of Economic and Demographic Research and SRC, LLC.

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Upper Right: Tequesta Sign at US1 and Bridge Road. • Bottom Left: Tequesta Post Office. • Bottom Right: Tequesta Library Entrance.
Village Clerk Lori McWilliams, MMC, Receives Clerk of the Year Award and Elected 2011 FACC 2nd Vice President

It has been a year of recognition for Village Clerk Lori McWilliams and no one could have been more deserving. At their annual conference in May 2011, The Florida Association of City Clerks (FACC) presented the 2010 City Clerk of the Year Award to Tequesta’s own. Around the same time, her colleagues voted her in as 2nd VP for their Association.

It came as no surprise to Village Manager Michael Couzzo who states that Tequesta “is fortunate to have Lori as its City Clerk. In addition to the daily tasks of City Clerk... Lori has been involved in many innovative projects that not only benefit residents and businesses alike, but employees as well... Lori is also the Village Webmaster and Public Information Officer.” Her Assistant, Deanna Mayo, also had this to say of Lori - “she should be commended for always demonstrating compassion and willingness in her admirably humble manner, to do her best and to step up to the plate in all her endeavors.”

Lori topped her competitors for the Clerk of the Year Award in the Categories of Leadership, Community Relations, Involvement in Professional Association and Innovation.

After 35 years in law enforcement, 3 with the Tequesta Police Department, Lt. Pete Piotocchelli was sworn in on July 5, 2011 as the Village’s new Police Chief. Following the swearing in ceremony, Mayor Paterno and Council presented the new Chief with his badge while his daughter Haley and son Brandon pinned their dad’s stars to signify his new rank. Outgoing Chief Rick Ricciardi, who completed 24 years of service with the Village in August, and who will retire later this year, was on hand to celebrate with Chief Piotocchelli and to hand over the baton.

The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) is pleased to announce that the Village of Tequesta has received their Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for the second year in a row! This award reflects the commitment of Tequesta’s governing body and staff in meeting the highest principles of government budgeting. In order to receive the budget award, Tequesta had to satisfy nationally recognized guidelines for effective budget presentation. The guidelines are designed to assess how well an entity’s budget serves as a policy document, a financial plan, an operation guide and a communications device. To receive the award, Budget documents must be rated “proficient” in all 4 categories, and the 14 mandatory criteria within those categories. This award in itself is a major accomplishment; however, it is even more impressive when considering the size of the finance staff. This did not go unnoticed by the reviewers as they made the following comments regarding the budget document:

“This is a very good document particularly in light of the limited staff of a municipality of this size. Very professional and very informative. “ Overall, the policy document was quite impressive.” “An excellent means of communicating to the public the overall operations, trends and projections.”

On May 31, Mayor Tom Paterno recognized the staff with a surprise luncheon to celebrate their success. Special congratulations to Finance Director, Jody Forsythe and Senior Accountant, Michelle Gload.

3 New Reserve Officers Join Tequesta.

The Florida Police Benevolent Association (FOPA) presents the 2011 Teeiesta Police Benevolent Golf Tournament: Proceeds to benefit the F.O.P.S., Inc. for the Public Safety needs.

Proceeds to benefit the F.O.P.S., Inc. for the Public Safety needs. F.O.P.S., Inc. is a non-profit 501C corporation established to support Tequesta Public Safety Needs.

Entry Fee: $12500 Per Player

Fee includes:
Driving Range, Greens Fee, Cart, Boxed lunch, Refreshments during golf, Bar-B-Que and let’s of fun! Mingle with local celebrities Bobby Orr and Bob Griese.
Cash Bar during Bar-B-Que.

• Hole in One - $5,000 CASH PRIZE! 2 Holes
• Closest to the Pin Prize on each Par 3 hole.
• Prizes to both Men & Women - Longest Drive
• Closest to the Pin on a Par 5 hole
• Trophies for 1st and 2nd place
• “Chief’s Trophy” presented to the winners and after engraving the names, will be kept on permanent display at the Public Safety Building

Space is limited to 124 Golfers... Reserve Today! Registration fee must accompany your reservation.

Reservation Deadline is October 11, 2011 For more information call: Tequesta Fire Rescue 772-285-7776
In November 2010, voters in Palm Beach County passed a bond referendum establishing the Palm Beach County Ethics Commission to include all municipalities. As a result, all Village’s Boards and Committees participated in a series of ethics training courses provided by the Ethics Commission.

In November 2011, the Village Council unanimously approved the construction of a Dog Park to be located in Tequesta Park. The estimated cost to prepare the landscape is between $3,500 to $6,000 and another $3,100 to install fencing to separate the two dog areas, with benches being added for the dog owners. Waste bag dispensers will be located at the entrance and it is expected that monthly clean-up will be done by volunteers. Construction should be completed by the end of the year.

### ORDINANCES

- Ordinance 6-11, Amending Chapter 74, Utilities; Water service; Division 2 Rates and Charges by Amending Section 74-74 to Allow for Village Council Discretion in the Implementation of Certain Surcharges
- Ordinance 11-11, Amending the Village Code of Ordinances at Chapter 2, Administration. By Amending Sec. 2-61, Pension Trust Funds to Correct a Scrivener’s Error and to Amend Exhibit A, the General Employees’ Pension Trust Fund to Exempt Certain Ordinance Provisions
- Ordinance 8-11, Amending the Village Code of Ordinances at Chapter 62, Planning and Development. Article II. Local Planning Agency. By Amending Sec. 62-52 to Designate the Planning and Zoning Advisory Board as the Local Planning Advisory Agency
- Ordinance 5-11, Amending the Village Code of Ordinances at Chapter 78, Zoning. Article VI. Schedule of District Regulations. Sections 78-177 C-2 Community Commercial District Allowing the Maximum Density for ACLF Use in these Zoning Districts to be 18 Units Per Acre
- Ordinance 10-11, Amending the Village Code of Ordinances at Chapter 76, Waterway Control. By Amending Section 76-5 to Clarify that Mooring Regulations Apply to Live Aboard Vessels Only; and by Amending Section 76-20 to Reference State Law Regarding the Imposition of Penalties for Violations of the Tequesta Drive Bridge Boating Restriction Area

### RESOLUTIONS

- Resolution 4-11, Appropriating Fund Balance and Increasing the General Fund 2010/2011 Budget by $9,680.00 and Providing Additional Funding for Increased Building Inspection Services, Increasing the figure to $25,000
- Resolution 5-11, Appropriating Fund Balance and Increasing the General Fund 2010/2011 Budget by $25,000.00 and Providing Additional Funding for the Creation of a Volunteer Firefighter Program
- Resolution 7-11, Approving a Proposal from Hub City Ford of Crestview, Florida, for the Purchase of a Pickup Truck in the Amount of $21,847.00 with Funding Coming from the 401 Account
- Resolution 3-11, Council Consideration and Approval of Website Policy Regarding Sponsors & Site Links
- Resolution 16-11, Adopting a Procedure for Disposing of Surplus Village Property for the Village of Tequesta
- Resolution 16-11, Determining Certain Property to be Surplus and Directing the Village Manager to Dispose of Surplus Property in Accordance with the Village’s Procedures for Disposing of Surplus Village Property

### VARIANCES / SITE PLAN APPLICATIONS / SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS

- VAR 01-11, Application of the Good Shepherd Episcopal Church, 400 Seabrook Road, Tequesta, FL 33469, for a Variance from Code Section 78-705 (28) (b) Required number of parking spaces. The Applicant proposes to construct a 1,100 sq. ft. Chapel addition to an existing school building which includes two (2) resource rooms and two (2) offices. Per Code, the proposed addition also requires the provision of an additional 6 parking spaces. The Applicant is seeking a variance so that it does not have to provide the required additional parking.
- SE 01-11, Application of the Good Shepherd Episcopal Church, 400 Seabrook Road, Tequesta, FL 33469, for a Special Exception per Code Section 78-173 R-1 Single-Family Dwelling District (2) Special Exception Use. The Applicant is requesting modification of a previously approved special exception by constructing a 1,997 square foot addition to the existing school which includes two (2) resource rooms, two (2) offices, a storage room, a rest room, and mechanical rooms. The application includes a new drainage plan.
- SE 02-11, Application of GMH Tequesta Holdings, LLC, 217 Village Boulevard, Tequesta, FL 33469, for a Special Exception use to utilize an existing 118,716 square feet three-story building and adjacent grounds as a Rehabilitation Facility, pursuant to Sec. 78-180 of the Village of Tequesta Code of Ordinances.

### AGREEMENTS

- Approved M-11-11, Interlocal Agreement between the Village of Tequesta and the Town of Village Park for the Record February, May and July 2011. Visit the “Document Imaging Center” located via the website to see the following agenda items in their entirety.

### PRESENTATIONS / PROCLAMATIONS

- Designating the Month of May as Neurofibromatosis (NF) Awareness Month
- Designating May 25, 2011 as National Missing Children’s Day
- Designating the Week of May 15 – 21, 2011 as EMS Awareness Week in the Village of Tequesta
- Designating the Week of May 15 – 21, 2011 as National Public Works Week
- Declaring May 8, 2011 as Charleston Memorial Day in the Village of Tequesta in Celebration of Memorial Day
- Declaring the Week of June 6-10, 2011 as Code Enforcement Officers’ Appreciation Week
- Recognizing “Poe Poe” and Crew for their Dedicated Contributions to the Village of Tequesta
- Presentation regarding the 2010 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report
- Resolution on Light Emitting Diodes (LED) to Provide Energy Savings and Longevity
- Recognition of Ed Sabin for his long time service to the Public Safety Employee Pension Board

- Declaring August 2, 2011 National Night Out
- Declaring June 19 – 25, 2011 as Amateur Radio Week in the Village of Tequesta

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Free ComputerCop software to help you monitor your child’s internet activity.

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11 new businesses opened in Tequesta over the last quarter with 4 accepting our invitation to be featured. The other 7 were: Archon Development Company, Bardons Marketing Management Sales, Lighthouse Landscaping, One Source Property Management, Salon 506, Surprising Creation, and Welkner Agency.

AWD Recordings

We are proud to present our newest, professional singer, Andrew Doll, a sensational teenage tenor vocalist. Born to Italian / American parents in 1995 in Queens, NY, he moved to South Florida at 10 days old, where he presently resides with his grandparents. He started singing and playing musical instruments at age 8 and plays the drums, trumpet, guitar, organ and keyboard, but specializes in vocals in 6 languages - English, Italian, Spanish, French, Latin and German. He has performed at the Eissey Performing Arts Center, City Place Center Stage and the South Florida Fairgrounds. He currently has 6 vocal CDs available for purchase on his website www.andrewdollmusic.com. A free demo CD showcasing his versatility or a live audition is also available to anyone wishing to have him perform at an event. Contact his Business Manager / Booking Agent at (561) 972-0016 email: vet.housecalls@yahoo.com.

Jupiter/Tequesta Veterinary Housecalls

Many of the services offered at traditional veterinary hospitals can be done right in your own home with much less stress to your beloved pet! Dr Joi Sutton has been in practice for 18 years and finds that the doctor-patient relationship is usually more enjoyable in a home setting. She lives right here in Tequesta and can treat your pet where they are happy and comfortable—AT HOME. Recognizing that some pets get anxious with the smell of other pets, she even changes her scrubs between appointments. Visit www.jupiter-tequesta.com to view the services offered, educational links, her extensive international volunteer work, and her price list. Tel: (561) 972-0016 email: vet.housecalls@yahoo.com

Pamela’s Cleaning Services

Pamela Smith wants you to know that her company is the place to call for a good “Clean” job well done! Her business offers Residential Cleanings, Light Commercial and Pressure Washing services. Pamela is a longtime Tequesta resident and may be contacted at (561) 745-1858 or (561) 827-9168. (License # 2962)

Tropical Landscapers

Tropical Landscapers specializes in landscape design and installation, as well as fertilization and estate maintenance. With 36 acres of the most unusual, one-of-a-kind flora in South Florida, they are available to do work for courtyards to estate communities. They only ask that you “Let your imagination be our Inspiration!” Call (561) 369-2899 for a free estimate or visit them online at www.TropicalLandscapers.com.

Tequesta 9-11 Memorial Remembrance

Sunday September 11, 2011
All are Invited

EMPLOYEE MOVEMENTS May 2011 - July 2011

NEW HIRES

Name Department Position Start Date
Sonal Bhatt Finance P-T Accounting Clerk 6/22/2011
Aaron Johnson Police P-T Reserve Officer 6/20/2011
Hugh Robertson Police P-T Reserve Officer 6/6/2011
Michaud Valerio Police P-T Reserve Officer 6/6/2011

LEAVING US

Name Department Position Departure Date
Jeanne Mattino Finance P-T Accounting Clerk 5/18/2011
Jonathan Franklin Police P-T Reserve Officer 5/18/2011

Sir Speedy Printing Receives 8th Consecutive National Sales Achievement Award

Sir Speedy Printing, located in Tequesta and owned by Richard and Ferne Goldberg, recently received their 8th consecutive Century Club Award, placing them in a very elite group. This is a particularly outstanding feat when one considers that they are part of a worldwide network of franchises and affiliates with more than 600 locations in 13 countries. The award is presented annually at the Sir Speedy International Convention and recognizes the top 100 franchises for outstanding sales achievement each year.

Richard’s secret to success is understanding that “customers expect top quality, timely delivery and exceptional marketing advice, especially in difficult times like these. At Sir Speedy, our customers get all three.”

“Owning a business is always hard work, but growing a business -- especially in a challenging economy -- is a tremendous accomplishment,” said Richard Lowe, President and Chief Operating Officer of Sir Speedy parent company Franchise Services, Inc. “Richard and Ferne are a great example of the dedication Sir Speedy franchisees have to growing their own business while helping customers grow theirs.”

Products and services include traditional printing, copying and mailing services as well as value-added offerings such as web to print solutions, integrated direct marketing tools, signs, banners, posters and promotional products. They are located at 133 North US Hwy 1, Tequesta, FL 33469, telephone: (561) 747-7303, fax: (561) 746-1827, email: sales@sirspeedytequesta.com, or visit: www.sirspeedytequesta.com.

CAROL & PAUL BERESFORD 50 YEARS AND GOING STRONG

Pastor Paul Beresford, the Public Safety Village Chaplain, married his lovely bride Carol on July 22, 1961 in Cleveland, Ohio. They have been blessed with 3 beautiful children and 12 precious grandchildren.

In speaking to Smoke Signals, Pastor Paul says he is “so thankful to the Lord for 50 years of sharing our lives together. We have spent 10 of those 50 years in the beautiful Village of Tequesta serving as the Pastor of First Baptist Church and Village Chaplain. It has been an honor and privilege to serve our community and we thank the Lord for the opportunities of helping so many people. We love our Village so much and all the people who work and live here. It is our prayer that we can enjoy many more years of life and service in this beautiful place.”

They celebrated the day with their children and grandchildren who came in from Ohio for the big occasion.