



STORM UPDATE

CALL COUNTY INFORMATION CENTER AT 727-464-4333

The City of Belleair Bluffs is closely monitoring Tropical Storm Idalia. Residents are being advised to start taking necessary steps for their safety during the storm. While you stay updated on the weather through local news channels, the City of Belleair Bluffs will post specific storm updates and facility closures to our web site when possible.

Pinellas County has called mandatory evacuations of all residents in Zone A and mobile home parks countywide beginning at 7pm tonight, Mon, Aug 28. Residents in other evacuation zones should monitor Pinellas.gov/emergency-information for updates.

The County will open a special needs shelter at 7pm on Mon, Aug. 28, at John Hopkins Middle School, 701 16th Street S., St. Petersburg, for anyone who can arrange their own transport, and an additional 10 shelters at 7am, Tue. Some of the shelters will be pet-friendly. Find more information on shelters on Pinellas.gov/emergency-information.

City Specific Storm Updates as of Mon, Aug 28:

- **Belleair Bluffs City facilities will be closed to the public on Tue, Aug 29 and Wed, Aug 30**
- Weather permitting, the City will reopen for normal business hours on Thu, Aug 31
- The City of Belleair Bluffs is NOT distributing sandbags
- Currently, Waste Management recycling will NOT BE COLLECTED on Wednesday.
- **BE SURE TO SECURE ALL LOOSE ITEMS THAT MAY BE OUTSIDE YOUR HOME** – Garbage cans, lawn chairs, yard debris – anything can potentially be dangerous.

GET PREPARED

Prepare for possible heavy winds; bring in outside items that could blow around, such as lawn furniture, flower pots, garden décor, etc.

Sign up for emergency alerts and download the Ready Pinellas app for iOS and Android.

STAY INFORMED

The County Information Center is open to answer preparedness questions or register for special needs transport at 727-464-4333 or [via chat](#).

Monitor local news media, National Weather Service, Belleairbluffs.org and PinellasCounty.org