

## TROPICAL STORM NICOLE UPDATE: 11/8/22

### Garbage Update:

**11.8.22 (1 pm) Garbage #UPDATE:** Due to the Solid Waste Authority closure, there will be NO waste pickup on Wed., Nov. 9. **Please do not put any YARD WORK OR START CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS.**

Consequently, **WM of Palm Beach will suspend all collection operations for Wednesday, November 9, 2022**, and we will update everyone accordingly if this closure extends. Resuming post-storm operations will depend on storm damage, safety assessments, and open disposal facilities. A decision for Thursday's waste collection will be announced by 3:00 PM November 9.

- Residential customers should expect service on their **next scheduled service day**.
- Commercial customers should expect service on their **next scheduled service day**.
  - o The only exception is one time per week customers who will receive service **on the day we resume operations**
- Roll-off customers will have services delayed until we reopen.
  - o **Scheduled roll-off customers should expect a 1-2 day delay, and on call customers will receive appropriate expectations when they call in for service.**

At this time, we ask that you remind residents to refrain from placing additional bulky items at curbside as these items may become dangerous projectiles during a major storm. For garbage pickup updates please visit: [www.wmfloridastorm.com](http://www.wmfloridastorm.com)

### Water and Sewer Issues:

For any water or sewer issues, please call the Utilities Department at 561-742-6400.

### Power Outage:

Contact FPL at 1-800-468-8243 or submit a request online to report a power outage at <https://www.fpl.com/my-account/web-outage.html?cid=HCTL03#wors/mainTab/phoneTab>

Palm Beach County remains under a Hurricane Warning. Mandatory evacuations for Zones A and B will be in effect November 9 at 7:00 AM. This includes mobile homes and low lying areas. To find out if you are in an evacuation zone – [www.pbcgov.com/hurricane](http://www.pbcgov.com/hurricane).

Emergency shelters will open Wednesday at 7:00 am. Those shelters are Palm Beach Gardens High School, Independence Middle School, Palm Beach Central High School, Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune Elementary, Park Vista High School, Lake Shore Middle School and Pahokee Middle School. Special Needs Shelter require pre-registration. Call 561-712-6400 for more information. The pet friendly shelter is at West Boynton Recreation Center will also be open.

Town Hall will be closed Wednesday and Thursday. Palm Tran will suspend service at noon on Wednesday.

Register for Alert PBC to receive local emergency alerts. Palm Beach County's Emergency Information Center is 561-712-6400