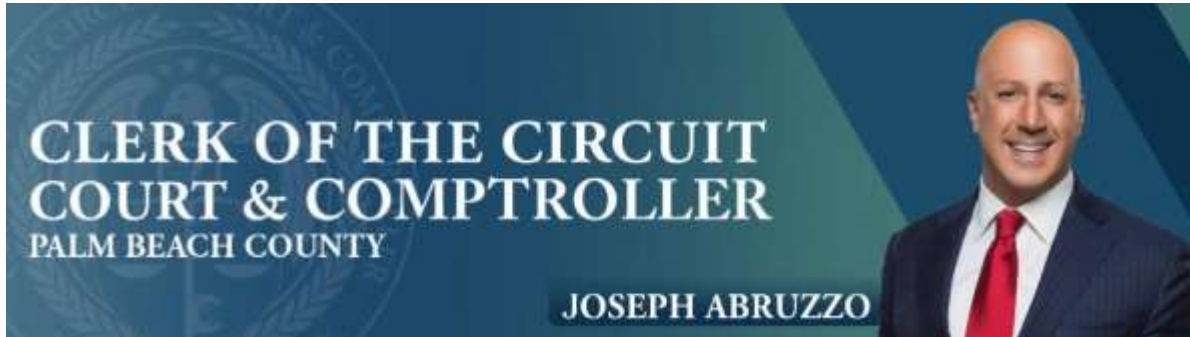


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CLERK REPORT

June 2022

Protect Your Home With Our Homeowner Resources



If you're purchasing a new home in Palm Beach County – whether it's your first time or you are upgrading or downsizing – the Clerk's office has you covered with vital services to help protect your investment.

△ [Property Fraud Alerts](#)

Sign up for free monitoring of Palm Beach County's Official Records. Get an alert within 48 hours if a document such as a deed or mortgage is recorded using your name.

■ [Copies of Deeds and Other Official Records](#)

Many new homeowners receive official-looking notices from private companies that charge high fees for copies of public records. Don't overpay!

🏠 [Value Adjustment Board](#)

Know your options regarding your property's assessed value and property taxes.

[Learn More About Our Homeowner Resources](#)

Clerk's Office Wins Achievement Award From National Association of Counties



The National Association of Counties has awarded our office with [an Achievement Award for PayItClerkPBC](#) in its Community and Economic Development category.

Started in 1970, NACo's annual program recognizes county government innovations.

Congratulations Clerk team!

Local Agencies Learn About the Clerk's Comptroller Role



In May, members of our Accounts Payable team presented to Palm Beach County's Tourist Development Council community agencies on the financial services our office provides and the Clerk's role and duties as Comptroller.

Senior Contract Analysts Minh Batog and Patricia Joyce discussed how to preaudit payment requests to ensure that they serve a public purpose. We're proud to share our knowledge with other local Palm Beach County agencies.

Clerk Abruzzo Joins Commissioner McKinlay to Proclaim Hidden Heroes Month



Pictured (L to R): Community Services Department (CSD) Community Center Manager Anderson Phebe, CSD Community Center Manager Antoinette Austin, CSD Community Center Manager Devon McLean, CSD Division Director Faith Manfra, CSD Director James Green, Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller Joseph Abruzzo, Commissioner Melissa McKinlay, Drewola Ferrell, CSD Veteran's Services Officer Andy Reese, Assistant County Administrator Reginald Duren, CSD Division Director Taruna Malhotra, CSD Assistant Veteran's Services Officer Greg Dover and CSD Adult Day Care Center Manager Jose Zayas.

At the Board of County Commissioners meeting on May 3, Clerk Abruzzo joined Commissioner McKinlay to present a proclamation declaring May as Hidden Heroes Month in Palm Beach County.

[Hidden Heroes](#) is a non-profit that brings vital attention to the untold stories of military caregivers and seeks solutions for the tremendous challenges and long-term needs they face.

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Learn How to Seal or Expunge a Criminal Record in June



Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller, Palm Beach County

Free How-To Webinar

| Sealing or Expunging Criminal Records

Join our experienced panelists on **Wednesday, June 15 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.** on Zoom to receive an overview of the process of filing a Petition to Seal or a Petition to Expunge.

This free webinar will be available to watch on our YouTube channel shortly after.

[Register for the Tax Deeds Webinar](#)

Become a VAB Special Magistrate

The Clerk's office is seeking qualified candidates to serve as [special magistrates for the Value Adjustment Board](#). Special magistrates will conduct hearings for the VAB's 2022 tax cycle.

Hearings typically occur between October and March, but will continue as required until all petitions are heard.



PALM BEACH COUNTY
Value Adjustment Board

The deadline to [apply](#) is July 1, 2022.

In Our Office

Welcome Legal Counsel Jennifer Printz



The Clerk's office welcomes Jennifer Printz as our new Legal Counsel.

Jennifer comes to our office after 15 years working in court administration at the 15th Judicial Circuit Court, with her most recent role as a General Magistrate in Juvenile and Family Divisions.

Previously she was a Senior Staff Attorney focusing on civil and appellate matters. She graduated with her J.D. from the University of Miami and has a degree in finance from the University of Florida.

In Our Community

Jupiter's Carlin Park Gets Cleaned Up



Over 50 Clerk employees volunteered their time Saturday, May 14 at Carlin Park in Jupiter to clean the beach and adjacent park. We collected over 5 full trash bags of litter in just two hours!

Thank you Clerk family for helping to keep our communities beautiful.

Clerk's Office Raises \$1,360 for Selfless Love Foundation



Clerk Joseph Abruzzo and Community Engagement Specialist Gyna Ward hold a big check for the Selfless Love Foundation.

Thank you to our staff for their generosity! On May 12 Clerk Abruzzo was proud to share with the [Selfless Love Foundation](#) \$1,360 that our team collected to help support their mission.

This local non-profit leverages resources, expertise, and proven solutions to improve the child welfare system, creating opportunities for more foster youth to find their forever families and thrive in adulthood.

Team ClerkPBC Reaching Out Into the Community

Team ClerkPBC volunteers have been hard at work helping our community throughout the month of May.



Junior Achievement for a Day
West Palm Beach



Rotary Club
Boca Raton



Library Office Hours
West Palm Beach,
Boynton Beach, Jupiter

Join us for more Library Office Hours where you can learn about the services that the Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller, Palm Beach County has to offer -- including our Property Fraud Alert system, Value Adjustment Board petition process, and more!

- **June 14, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.** – Lake Park, City Library
- **July 6, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.** – Palm Beach Gardens, County Library

Check out [more photos on our Facebook page](#).

Clerk's Office Closed for Juneteenth

All Clerk's office locations will be closed on Monday, June 20 in observance of Juneteenth.

Visit www.mypalmbeachclerk.com/services to pay a traffic ticket, search court records and file documents when our offices are closed.

[See Our Full Holiday Calendar](#)

We're hiring! To learn more about careers with our office, visit mypalmbeachclerk.com/careers.

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