

Rhonda Skipper



**Walton County
Tax Collector**

"Commitment to Service"

For Immediate Release

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**WALTON COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR BRINGS
TAX OFFICE TO CITIZENS
*Inlet Beach R.A.T.E. Rescheduled***

DeFuniak Springs, FL (November 17, 2009) – Walton County Tax Collector Rhonda Skipper is providing an opportunity for Walton County property owners to pay their taxes without making the trip to the Tax Collector’s Office, by taking the tax office to them. During November, the Walton County Tax Collector’s Office will be on location at various community sites to collect tax payments. The Inlet Beach R.A.T.E. cancelled due to Tropical Storm Ida has been rescheduled for November 23.

This onsite tax collection is known as the R.A.T.E. program or Remote, Area, Tax, Express. The purpose of the program is to make paying taxes more convenient for residents living in an area of the county where a central tax office is not located.

A representative from the Tax Collector’s Office will be onsite to receive tax payments and answer questions related to taxes. Walton County property owners are asked to bring their tax bill with them to the onsite location.

The **R.A.T.E.** locations are as follows:

November 17	Darlington	Two Cousins Restaurant	9 am to 2 pm
November 18	Choctaw Beach	Fire Station	9 am to 2 pm
November 19	Miramar Beach	Fire Station (Geronimo Street)	9 am to 2 pm
November 23	Inlet Beach	Fire Station #1	9 am to 2 pm
November 24	Red Bay	Community Center	9 am to 2 pm

Tax payments not paid by March 31st are considered delinquent and a penalty will be assessed on delinquent accounts.

For more information, contact the Walton County Tax Collector’s Office at 850.892.8121 or visit www.waltontaxcollector.com.

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