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New Area Code for Palm Beach County



A new area code will be added to the existing 561 region, through an overlay plan approved by the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC). The plan will extend the current supply of available 561 area code numbers, which are expected

out in 2023. The new area code will cover the same geographic boundaries as the current 561 area code. Existing customers will keep their phone numbers, but new customers, or customers adding additional lines, will receive the new area code. To prepare customers for the change, the PSC approved a 9-month implementation schedule. Currently, the 561 area code serves Palm Beach, Boca Raton, Wellington, Boynton Beach, Jupiter, Delray Beach, Belle Glade and other smaller communities. For more information, residents can contact their local telephone carrier or call the PSC's customer assistance line at 1-800-342-3552. For additional information, click [HERE](#).



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New Area Code

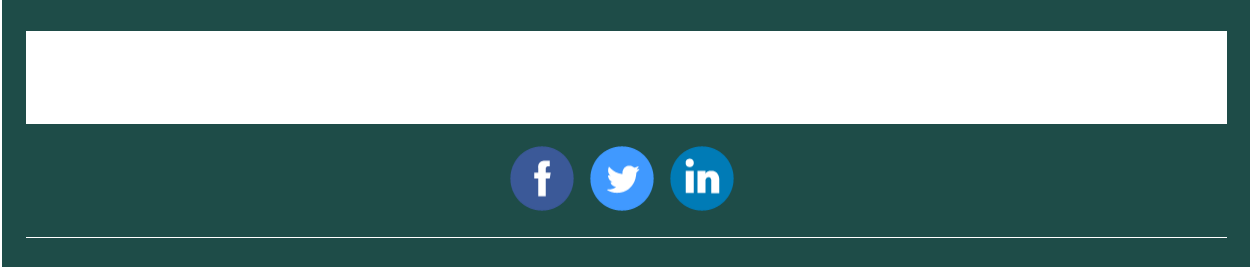
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