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**Broward County Property Tax Bills to Mail November 15;
Discount Period Extended**

Broward County property tax bills will be mailed Tuesday, November 15, 2005, following delays incurred as a result of Hurricane Wilma. Because of the delays, the Broward County Revenue Collection Division has also announced that the 4% discount period will be extended.

The following discounts will apply:

4% if paid by December 15
3% if paid December 16 through 31
2% if paid during January
1% if paid during February

No discounts are available after February. All tax bills must be paid by April 1, 2006.

Property owners may pay their current year property taxes in a variety of ways, including by mail, in person or online. To pay online, visit www.broward.org and select "Pay a Property Tax Bill" under Online Services. In-person payments are accepted Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at:

Revenue Collection Division
Government Center Annex
115 S. Andrews Ave., Suite A-100, Fort Lauderdale

South Broward Satellite Courthouse
3550 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood

Acceptable methods of payment include cash, check or money order payable to Broward County Revenue Collector, wire transfer, or credit card including VISA, MasterCard, American Express or Discover Card. Only Discover Card may be accepted at the counter. All other credit cards are limited to on online payments. To complete a wire transfer, contact the Broward County Revenue Collection Division at revenue@broward.org.

Delinquent taxes must be paid by Cashier's Check and may not be paid online.

To search property tax records, visit www.broward.org/revenue. A search can be conducted by either a full or partial name, Parcel ID, or GEO Number.

To use the automated tax information service, call 954-765-4423. This system can access property tax information using the property identification number.

For additional information or assistance, call the Broward County Call Center at 954-831-4000, Monday

through Friday, between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.