Palm Beach County, Housing Trust Group and Pahokee Housing Authority to Host Ribbon Cutting at McClure Village Wednesday

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Reporters and photographers are invited to join the Board of County Commissioners, Housing Trust Group, and the Pahokee Housing Authority on Wednesday, November 6, at 2 p.m. to celebrate construction of new housing units and completion of hurricane-hardening improvements at McClure Village. The 75-unit multifamily rental complex is located at 301 Eisenhower Road in Pahokee.

More than \$5.1 million in U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development Disaster Recovery Initiative and Neighborhood Stabilization Program funds were applied toward the project to repair and replace housing that was severely damaged in the hurricanes of 2004 and 2005 and sustained additional deterioration during the economic downturn that followed.

McClure Village serves a critical need for low-income housing in the Glades Region.

Who:	Fred Pinto, aide to Commissioner Jess Santamaria Housing Trust Group, LLC Pahokee Housing Authority Colin Walkes, mayor of Pahokee
What:	ribbon cutting for McClure Village Annex
Where:	301 Eisenhower Road, Pahokee
When:	Wednesday, November 6, 2 p.m.
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