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Martin Andersen Senior Center Energy Efficiency Project Completed

ROCKLEDGE, Fla. – An energy-efficiency improvement project for the Martin Andersen Senior Center was completed last month, including replacement of the air conditioning units, new insulation, replacement of 51 windows and upgrades to lighting.

In November 2007, the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners approved the submission of a grant application to the Florida Department of Elder Affairs, and in June 2008, Brevard County Parks and Recreation was awarded \$96,675 for improvements to the Senior Center with \$32,225 matching funds from the County, for a total project budget of \$128,900.

The Martin Andersen Senior Center, 1025 South Florida Avenue, Rockledge, has been in operation since 1983 and provides social, educational and recreational services for seniors in central Brevard County.

The energy-related renovations will affect all programs and services, allowing the Senior Center to maintain the same level of service despite rising costs in utilities and materials.

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