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**Bonita Springs Finance Department Awarded for Excellence in Financial Reporting**

**BONITA SPRINGS, Fla., -December 21, 2018-** The City of Bonita Springs was recently notified by the Government Finance Officers Association, that the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, qualifies for a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting, the highest form of recognition in governmental accounting and financial reporting. This ninth consecutive accomplishment is made possible by a City-wide team effort by the City Manager, Assistant City Manager, City Attorney, Department Directors and staff who have provided support to the Finance Team throughout the year to allow for timely and accurate reporting of the City's finances.

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