



2023 Federal Legislative Priorities

North Port Facts

- Largest city in population and landmass in Sarasota County.
- North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota Metropolitan Statistical Area.
- 104.1 square miles with a portion of U.S. 41 and Interstate 75.
- More than 81,800 residents.
- More than 80 miles of freshwater canals, from which it draws its drinking water during certain parts of the year.
- Home to the Myakka State Forest; North Port is the only city in the state with an entire state forest within its boundaries.
- More than 800 miles of local roads.
- Two high schools, three middle schools, six elementary schools.

North Port City Commission

- Mayor Pete Emrich**
- Vice Mayor Barbara Langdon**
- Commissioner Jill Luke**
- Commissioner Debbie McDowell**
- Commissioner Alice White**

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Infrastructure

The City of North Port SUPPORTS funding resources for infrastructure including:

- Widening of local roads that function as evacuation routes.
- Construction of new I-75 interchanges in North Port.
- Water quality improvements, storm water management, providing of septic to sewer conversion incentives, testing and resiliency.
- Broadband internet access for all.

Mental Health

The City of North Port SUPPORTS legislation that will provide funding for early intervention and treatment of mental health issues for all ages.

Work-Force Housing

The City of North Port SUPPORTS all initiatives and incentives to support and provide affordable work-force housing programs.

Disaster Recovery

The City of North Port SUPPORTS efforts to:

- Receive faster reimbursement from FEMA after disasters.
- Allow 90 days for debris clearance fully reimbursed by FEMA.