#### RESUME

Howard C. Bearse Jr. 3371 Tonkin Dr, North Port Fl.34287 (941-234-7907)

Qualifying Experience	40 years' experience EMS / Fire
	Customer service experiance
	Ability to work as a team
	Ability to follow rules and regulations
	Ability to review and write reports
	Ability to promote knowledge through interaction

Work Experience:

August 2012-November 2021 Retired Ambitrans- 4351 Pinnacle St, Pt. Charlotte Fl 33980 EMS Supervisor Lee and Collier Counties Responsible to all Lee Health Care Facilities and Collier Hospital's Ryan Lybeck Manager

Howard Bearse	page-2	
June 2007-May 2012	Nokomis Fire Department-111 Pavonia Rd., Nokomis Fl. 34275	
	Fire Chief- responsible for the administration and operation of the	
	Nokomis Fire Department through training and public support.	
July 1989-May 2007	City of North Port Fire Rescue District-4980 City Center Blvd,	
(Retired)	North Port Fl. 34287 Supervisor William Taaffe Fire Chief	
	(941-240-8150	
	Deputy Chief of Operations, responsible for managing the activities	
	Of the Emergency Services Division, budget, public relations and	
	Policies, goals and objectives set forth by the City and Fire Chief.	
Education Background	Florida Southern College Bachelor of Liberal Arts, April 2000	
	Barnstable High School, Barnstable Ma1974	
	Florida State Certified EMT since 1989	
	AHA CPR instructor	
	VFIS E.V.O.C instructor	
Associations	American Heart Association, CPR/First aid Instructor	

## Profile

Howard	С	Bearse		
First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name		
3371 Tonkin Dr, North Port,	FL 34287, US	5A		
Home Address				
NORTH PORT			FL	34287
City			State	Postal Code
grampatime@gmail.com				
Email Address				
Mobile: (941) 234-7907	Mobile:	(941) 628-1077		

Peter Kirvin Scott Titus Ed Smith

Except as otherwise provided, all board members must reside in the city as least six months prior to appointment. Residency must be maintained throughout the term of office. Failure to maintain consistent residency within the city will result in automatic termination of the board appointment. One nonresident may serve as a voting member on each board, provided that the person has owned real property in the city for at least one year prior to the date of appointment. Ownership must be maintained throughout the term of office and will be determined by reviewing the Sarasota County Property Appraiser's records. Youth members must be at least 14 years-old and in high school. Board members may serve on only one board, with the exception of ad hoc, tsk force, or special committees appointed by the city commission.

⊙ Yes ⊖ No

## **Interests & Experiences**

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Municipal Firefighters Pension Trust Fund Board of Trustees: Submitted

Are you currently serving on any other City Board/Committee? Board members may serve on only one board, with the exception of ad hoc, task force, or special committees appointed by the city commission.

⊙ Yes ∩ No

If yes, which Board or Committee?

Municiple firefighters pension trust fund

## Howard C Bearse

Were you ever removed from a City Board/Committee due to lack of attendance?

⊙ Yes ⊙ No

Do you have any relatives currently serving on a City Board/Committee or relatives that are currently serving on the same City Board/Committee for which you are applying? Relatives as defined in F.S. Chapter 112.3135; grandparents; and grandchildren may not (i) concurrently serve on the same board; or (III) concurrently serve on the city commission and a board that hears quasi-judicial items.

⊙ Yes ⊙ No

#### **Educational Background:**

Batchelor of Arts

Are you retired?

⊙ Yes ⊖ No

#### Bearse Howard Resume.pdf

Upload a Resume

Why do you desire to serve on the above Board/Committee? Please list any relative experience, if applicable.

Retired Deputy Fire Chief City of North Port

## **Demographics**

**Ethnicity** \*

Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender \*

🔽 Male

## Acknowledgements

**Please Agree with the Following Statement** 

I agree that if appointed, I will serve on the above board without compensation and at the pleasure of the City Commission.

I Agree

Howard C Bearse

I agree to abide by the Sunshine and Public Records Laws and attend all mandatory training sessions.

I Agree

Question applies to multiple boards

I understand that membership on this board requires an annual Statement of Financial Interest disclosure form to be filed on or before July 1st of each year.

⊙ Yes ∩ No

Please indicate if any information provided on this application is exempt under Florida Statutes Chapter 119.07.

yes

# North Port, FL Municipal Firefighters Pension Trust Fund Board of Trustees

#### **Board Details**

A quasi-judicial board.

Determines eligibility, participation, rules and procedures, and performs actuarial studies and valuations of the Firefighters' Pension Local Option Trust Fund.

## **Overview**

- Size 5 Seats
- Term Length 2 Year
- Term Limit N/A

## Contact

- **Name** Micheal Bodmer
- **Email** boardapplications@cityofnorthport.com
- **Phone** (941) 429-7061

## Additional

#### **Membership Requirements**

The board consists of five trustee members, two of which are elected by firefighter members of the pension, two North Port residents appointed by the commission, and one member chosen by a majority of the other four trustees. Requirement to file a Financial Disclosure Form annually with the Sarasota County Supervisor of Elections.

#### Meetings

Meets quarterly.

Enacting Legislation Ord. No. 91-6, Florida Statutes Chapter 175

Enacting Resolution Website

n/a

# North Port, FL Municipal Firefighters Pension Trust Fund Board of Trustees

#### **Board Roster**

## Howard C Bearse

2nd Term Oct 13, 2020 - Oct 11, 2024

Position North Port Resident Appointed by Commission Category Member

**Scott Duff** 8th Term Sep 28, 2009 - Apr 12, 2026

Position Chosen by Majority of other Board Members Category Secretary

## David Hawes

2nd Term Oct 01, 2021 - Sep 30, 2025

Position Elected by Firefighter Members Category Member

# Paul Kaskey

3rd Term Jan 26, 2024 - Jan 26, 2026

Position North Port Resident Appointed by Commission Category Member

## **Terry Mccloud**

2nd Term Sep 30, 2020 - Sep 30, 2024

Position Electected by Firefighter Members Category Chair