



# City of North Port

4970 CITY HALL BLVD  
NORTH PORT, FL 34286

## Meeting Agenda

### Environmental Advisory Board

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Monday, August 1, 2022

5:30 PM

City Hall Room 244

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**MEETING PROCEDURE:** By submitting a "Request to Speak" card to the City Clerk, the Public may comment during the course of the meeting. Comments on all scheduled Agenda Items will be heard immediately following the presentation by the Staff or Petitioner. Please wait until you are recognized by the Presiding Officer, state your name and address so that your comments may be properly recorded and limit your remarks to a period of three (3) minutes or less. The Board will act on an Agenda Item after comments from the Staff, Petitioner and Public have been heard.

#### 1. Call to Order

#### 2. Roll Call

#### 3. Pledge of Allegiance

#### 4. Public Comment

#### 5. Approval of Minutes

- A. [22-3259](#) Approval of Minutes for the July 11, 2022 Environmental Advisory Board Meeting.

**Attachments:** [Minutes](#)

#### 6. New Business

- A. [22-3260](#) Discussion and Possible Action to Recommend that the City Commission Support Adoption of Water Quality Solutions and Habitat Preservation in City Stormwater Design and City Development Regulations.

**Attachments:** [Septic Brochure](#)

- B. [22-3261](#) Discussion and Possible Action to Recommend that the City Commission Support the Native Plantings in Public Parks and Spaces (e.g. Bee Stations and Butterfly Gardens).

**Attachments:** [Memo to Commission](#)

[Adopt a Park Program](#)

[Adopted Park Spreadsheet](#)

- C. [22-3262](#) Discussion and Possible Action Concerning a Recommendation to the City Commission Regarding Potential Uses of Tree Fund Monies.

**Attachments:** [Letter to Commission](#)

- D. [22-3263](#) Discussion and Possible Action Regarding the Feasibility of Gopher

Tortoise Relocation on Public Land or Private Conservation Easements within the City of North Port.

Attachments: [Map Myakkahatchee Creek Corridor](#)

**7. Future Agenda Items**

**8. Public Comment**

**9. Adjournment**

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#### **ADVISORY BOARD     CURRENT VACANCIES**

Art Advisory Board 2 Alternates; 2 Youth  
Audit Committee 2 North Port Residents  
Charter Review Advisory Board 2 Alternates  
Citizens' Tax Oversight Committee 4 Regular  
Community Economic Development Advisory Board 3 Regular  
Environmental Advisory Board 1 Regular; 2 Alternates; 2 Youth  
Historic & Cultural Advisory Board 4 Regular; 2 Alternates; 2 Youth  
Municipal Police Officers' Pension Board of Trustees 1 Resident Appointed by the Commission  
Parks and Recreation Advisory Board 2 Alternates; 1 Youth  
Planning and Zoning Advisory Board 2 Alternates  
Public Utility Advisory Board 6 Regular 2 Alternates 1 Youth  
Veterans Park Advisory Committee 1 Alternate II  
Zoning Board of Appeals 3 Regular; 2 Alternates

#### **UP COMING EXPIRATION DATES FOR BOARDS AND COMMITTEES**

Nothing in August

#### **September**

Samantha Parkinson (Art Advisory Board) 9/22/2022  
William English (Environmental Advisory Board) 9/22/2022  
Michelle Calhoun (Historic and Cultural Advisory Board) 9/22/2022  
Timothy Martin (Zoning Board of Appeals) 9/24/2022  
Terry McCloud (Firefighters' Pension) 9/30/2022  
Scott Smith (Police Pension) 9/30/2022

#### **October**

James Sawyer (Planning and Zoning Advisory Board) 10/9/2022  
Cynthia Shelton (Art Advisory Board) 10/13/2022  
Joan Morgan (Historic and Cultural Advisory Board) 10/13/2022  
Howard Bearse (Firefighters' Pension) 10/13/2022