



## 2024 Federal Legislative Priorities

### Infrastructure

SUPPORTS funding resources for infrastructure including:

- Widening and extension of local roads that function as evacuation routes
- Construction of new I-75 interchanges in North Port and completion of I-75 full interchange at State Road 681
- Water quality improvements, storm water management, providing of septic to sewer conversion incentives, testing and resiliency
- Broadband internet access for all

### Mental health

SUPPORTS legislation that will provide funding for early intervention and treatment of mental health issues for all ages

### Workforce housing

SUPPORTS initiatives and incentives to support and provide affordable workforce housing programs

### Disaster recovery

SUPPORTS efforts to:

- Receive faster reimbursement from FEMA after disasters
- Allow 120 days for debris clearance fully reimbursed by FEMA

### Emergency medical transportation

SUPPORTS increased Medicaid reimbursement funding for Public Emergency Medical Transportation



## 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, seven elementary schools

## North Port City Commission\*

Mayor **Barbara Langdon**

Vice Mayor **Alice White**

Commissioner **Pete Emrich**

Commissioner **Debbie McDowell**

Commissioner **Phil Stokes**

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