



AGENDA ITEM # IV.D

DATE: SEPTEMBER 18, 2023
TO: COUNCIL MEMBERS
FROM: STAFF
SUBJECT: COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Recommendation

Information only

SEPTEMBER 2023

SFRPC CHAIRMAN, COMMISSIONER STEVE GELLER, APPOINTED CHAIR OF THE FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES COMMUNITY AND URBAN AFFAIRS POLICY COMMITTEE, AND POLICY LEADER OF THE TAX & ADMINISTRATION POLICY COMMITTEE

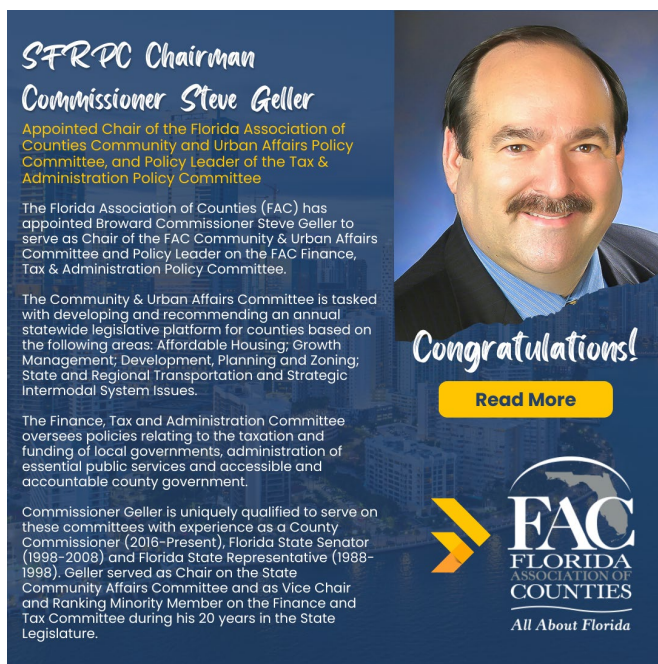
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Congratulations!

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FLORIDA LEAGUE OF CITIES ELECTS NEW OFFICERS FOR 2023 - 2024

The Florida League of Cities (FLC), the united voice for Florida's municipal governments, announced the election of its officers for the 2023-2024 term. Cooper City Mayor Greg Ross was elected President of the League by FLC membership and will serve a one-year term.

"I'm grateful to be chosen to serve as your 102nd President," said Ross immediately following his installation. "For over a century, the Florida League of Cities has been a powerful advocate for the needs of Florida's cities. Together, we will positively shape the future of the cities we serve."

Joining Ross is an impressive list of Florida leaders serving as officers with the Florida League of Cities for the 2023-2024 term including:

- Florida League of Cities First Vice President: Michael Blake, Mayor, City of Cocoa
- Florida League of Cities Second Vice President: Holly Smith, Councilmember, City of Sanibel



**FLORIDA LEAGUE OF CITIES
ELECTS NEW PRESIDENT**

Greg Ross
COOPER CITY MAYOR
SOUTH FLORIDA REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL
COUNCIL MEMBER & FORMER CHAIR

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Ross has served as Mayor of Cooper City since 2012. His involvement with city government began in 2002 when he was appointed to the City Planning and Zoning Board, where he served for seven years, including the last year as Chair. From 2006-2012, Ross served as Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Coordinator for the City and Vice-Chair of Broward County CERT Coordinators. In 2009, he was appointed the City's Special Magistrate.

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**SOUTHEAST FLORIDA COUNTY MAYORS'
AFFORDABLE HOUSING CONVERSATION**
in partnership with the
Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council

Next Steps 2023

FRIDAY
SEPTEMBER 29, 2023
1:30 - 3:30 PM
ZOOM & IN-PERSON

Details coming soon!
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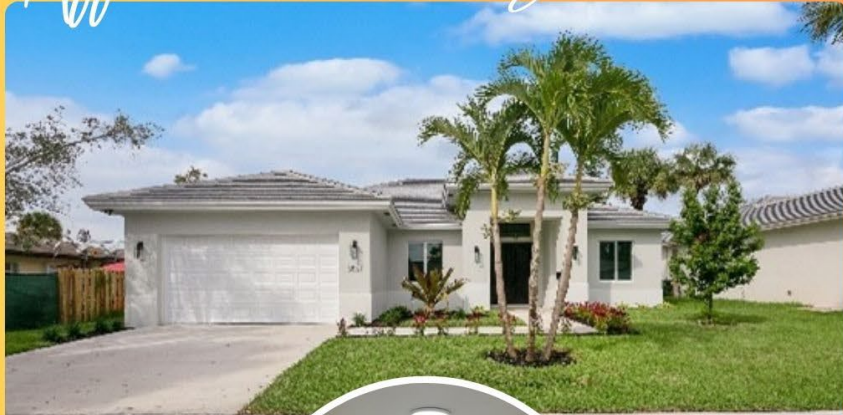
**REDUCE
REUSE
RECYCLE**

**Friday, October 20, 2023
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.**
Broward Center for the Performing Arts
Mary N. Porter Riverview Ballroom
201 SW 5th Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312

More info coming soon!
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Affordable Housing Initiative



BROWARD COUNTY LAUDERHILL CRA

Lauderhill, FL (8)

5801 NW 27th Court
5811 NW 27th Court
5821 NW 27th Court
5831 NW 27th Court
5731 NW 28th Court
5741 NW 28th Court
5801 NW 28th Court
5821 NW 28th Court

HOUSING FOUNDATION OF AMERICA

West Park, FL (3)**

Lot 22, Block 66
Lot 23, Block 66
Lot 6, Block 53

LIBERIA ECONOMIC & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Fort Lauderdale, FL (3)

2861 NW 10th Court
2791 NW 11th Place
375 NW 28th Avenue

LIBERIA ECONOMIC & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Hollywood, FL (2)

2351 Raleigh Street
2361 Raleigh Street

TURN TWO CONSTRUCTION

Dania Beach, FL (2)**

509 NW 3rd Terrace
511 NW 3rd Terrace

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY MINORITY BUILDERS COALITION

Homestead, FL (4)**

704 SW 7th Street
705 SW 6th Street
813 SW 6th Street
829 SW 6th Street

PALM BEACH COUNTY COMMUNITY PARTNERS OF SOUTH FLORIDA

West Palm Beach, FL (1)**

905 39th Street

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23 Projects as of August 1, 2023

** In Progress