

TO: Executive Director Rudy Busch, Southwest Florida League of Cities
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FROM: Name: _____

Title: _____

City/Town: _____

DATE: __/__/__

SUBJECT: **LOCAL/REGIONAL LEAGUE RECOMMENDATION:
SOUTHWEST FLORIDA LEAGUE OF CITIES REPRESENTATIVE
FOR THE 2013/2014 YEAR**

The city/town of _____ recommends the following individual to serve on the Southwest Florida League of Cities board for the 2013/2014 year. Our recommendation is:

Name: _____

Title: _____

City: _____

Please return this form to: Rudy Busch
Southwest Florida League of Cities
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Before October 17, 2013

****ONLY ONE RECOMMENDATION PER CITY/TOWN,
PLEASE.****

2013/2014 SWFLC

Open Seat

City of Bonita Springs
9101 Bonita Beach Road
Bonita Springs, FL 34135
Office: (239)949-6262

Open Seat

City of Cape Coral
PO Box 150027
Cape Coral, FL 33915-0027
Office: (239)574-0437

Open Seat

City of Fort Myers
PO Box 2217
Fort Myers, FL 33902
Office: (239)321-7003

Sammy Hamilton

Mayor
Everglades City
PO Box 110
Everglades City, FL 34139-0110
Office: (239)695-3781

Open Seat

City of Labelle
PO Box 458
Labelle, FL 33975-0458
Office: (863)675-2872

Open Seat

City of Marco Island
50 Bald Eagles Drive
Marco Island, FL 34145
Office: (239)389-5000

Teresa Heitmann

Councilwoman
City of Naples
735 Eighth Street South
Naples, FL 34102
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Kim Devine

Councilwoman, District 1
City of Punta Gorda
326 West Marion Avenue
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(941)575-3369
District_1@ci.punta-gorda.fl.us

Mick Denham

Vice Mayor
City of Sanibel
800 Dunlop Road
Sanibel, FL 33957
Office: (239)472-3700
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Open Seat

Town of Fort Myers Beach
2523 Estero Blvd.
Fort Myers Beach, FL 33931
Office: (239)765-0202

Executive Director: ***Rudy Busch***

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Fort Myers, FL 33902-9244
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SWFLC & FLC

Upcoming Training & Events Schedule

OCTOBER 2013

October 2 nd – 4 th	Florida Ethics Conference and Attorney General's Sunshine Summit
October 6 th – 11 th	FL Association of City Clerks Fall Academy
October 11 th - 13 th	Institute for Elected Municipal Officials (basic)
October 17 th	SWFLC Meeting
October 20 th – 26 th	Florida City Government Week
October 25 th & 26 th	Institute for Elected Municipal Officials (advanced)
October 30 th – November 1 st	FRA Annual Conference

NOVEMBER 2013

November 13 th – 16 th	National League of Cities Congress of Cities and Exposition
November 18 th – 22 nd	FL Government Finance Officers Association School of Governmental Finance
November 21 st & 22 nd	FLC Annual Legislative Conference

JANUARY 2014

January 16th	SWFLC Meeting
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MARCH 2014

March 20th	SWFLC Meeting
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MAY 2014

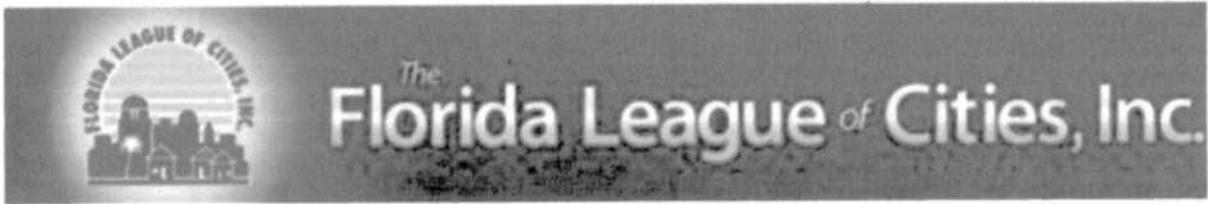
May 15 th	SWFLC Meeting
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August 2014

TBA	Florida League of Cities Annual Conference
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September 2014

September 18 th	SWFLC Meeting
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At a Glance – The Benefits of League Membership

Experienced in State and Federal Advocacy:

- An advocacy team with more than 75 years' of collective experience in state and federal government relations
- Advocates experienced in issues that matter:
 - ✦ Pensions and employee benefits
 - ✦ Municipal finance and taxation
 - ✦ Growth Management
 - ✦ Transportation
 - ✦ Environment and energy
 - ✦ Ethics and elections
 - ✦ Public records and public meetings
- A watchdog on state and federal agency rulemaking activity
- Weekly updates on legislative action that directly impacts cities
- Legal advocates at the highest levels of state and federal court on cases of statewide municipal importance
- Opportunities for you to engage with your congressional delegation at home and in Washington
- Legislative advocacy training to help you get your city's message heard
- Legislative issue briefings online and in-person
- Legislative "action" days in Tallahassee during the legislative session

Fiscal Freebies:

- Return of insurance premiums to qualified participants in the Florida Municipal Insurance Trust (\$36 million returned to members since 2008)

More Fiscal Freebies:

- Delinquent Local Business Tax Collection Program (\$556,669.01 distributed to cities by the League in 2011)
- Technical Assistance Program, helping cities one-on-one, find and save money
- An online salary survey where participating cities can get and compare city salary information
- Classified ad postings for open positions in the League's statewide newsletter
- Matching Safety Grant Program for participants in the Workers' Compensation, Property, and Liability Insurance programs (\$250,000 in grants awarded in 2010)

