

City Council

Candidate (District 2) Questions - 2024

Bill Dryburgh

Name: _____ Date: 6/4/24

What is your vision for economic development in the City of Punta Gorda?

We need economic development within the city of Punta Gorda. 89% of the taxes are paid by the residents. The LDR's have been changed the only thing that needs to change now is the interest rates and I believe we will start to see some development within the city. City center the lots along Olympia Ave. All of them are prime properties for development. I am waiting for the first proposal so that I can see if it fits into what is beautiful downtown Punta Gorda

What is the City of Punta Gorda greatest need and how do you plan on to address it?

A number of streets are prone to flooding and that needs to be fixed even if it takes installing pumps to push the water out into the harbor. The next item is parking as we continue to grow as a destination city we need to have adequate parking for our citizens and our guests.

Why are you the right choice for City Council?

I have lived here for 32 years attended most City Council meeting over the last 30 years. I served on the charter review Commission and I know what is needed so that the city can grow responsibly into the future. I have served on City Council for the last two years and I'm ready to serve again. I physically go to agenda items so I am well aware of what the situation looks like and can vote accordingly

Please answer each question in 300 words or less and email back to bwhite@charlottecountychamber.org on or before July 12, 2024.



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