

BSI Canal Committee 9/15/25

Two of our 5 member BSI Canal Advisory Committee seats will expire in November of this year. It normally takes several months to approve, so, it's time to start the process of finding replacements for these upcoming vacancies.

Also, we expect to have final approval for one alternate seat within the next month, pending City Council's approval. As I understand it, all advisory committees within Punta Gorda will be adding this alternative seat, to help with quorum, absences and other such issues.

The Committee meets once a month, on the second Tuesday, at 1:30. Although there is no set time limit for this meeting, with only some exceptions along the way, most meetings don't last an hour.

If you are interested in applying for a position, go to the city website, tab over the Government section and on the left column, you will see Boards and Committees. Scroll down to Burnt Store Isles Canal Advisor Committee, and this will take you to the form which needs to be filled out and submitted to the city.

From a personal perspective, I have served 2 terms on this committee and found it rewarding and more than worthwhile. I hope you will seriously think about stepping up and volunteering for these very necessary positions.

Rick Daugherty, Vice Chair