

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

Agendas/Minutes

Ad Hoc Parking Solutions Advisory Committee

Ad Hoc Hurricane Review Committee

Audit Advisory Committee

Beach & Coastal Resources Advisory Committee + (BchCRAC)

Beautification Committee -

Annual Reports

Calusa Park Butterfly Garden Brochure

Beautification Advisory Committee

The Committee was established in 1981 through a MSTU (Municipal Service Taxation Unit) voted on by the citizens of Marco Island for the sole objective of renovating roadway medians. It must be noted that this was the first MTSU in the state of Florida approved for the express purpose of beautification. Specifically, beautifying the community's landscape character in a way that is consistent with the tropical character and natural beauty of Marco Island.

Progress is not always environmentally nor aesthetically pleasing. In the early days of Marco Island's modern history, developers gave little consideration to the existing island vegetation. Trees were uprooted and removed in order to proceed with the dredge and fill process necessary in developing the system of canals to traverse our beautiful island. It was an unfortunate time in Marco Island's history when the community failed to comprehend the intrinsic value of that now lost vegetation. However, in the early 1980's island leaders recognized the need to begin replacing what was lost and the precursor of the Marco Island Beautification Advisory Committee (BAC) was formed.

The BAC meetings are on the first Wednesday of every month at 3:00 p.m. in the Fay & Bedford Biles Community Room, at 51 Bald Eagle Drive, Marco Island, FL 34145 (Police Department)

COMMITTEE MEMBER	TERM EXPIRES	APPOINTED BY COUNCILOR:
Shelli Connelly, Chair	January 31, 2025	Grifoni
Maria Tobin, Vice-Chair	January 31, 2023	Babrowski
Mary Beth Cummings	January 31, 2023	Brechnitz
James Eby	January 31, 2025	Rola
Dustin Nesmith	January 31, 2023	Folley
	January 31, 2025	Irwin
Kenneth Kramer	January 31, 2025	Blonna

To send an e-mail to the Beautification Advisory Committee members, please contact the City Staff Liaison, Timothy Pinter, Public Works Director:
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Goals and Objectives

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Bike Paths Volunteer Committee



Hideaway Beach Tax District

Parks & Recreation Committee

Planning Board

Water-Sewer Options Advisory Committee

City Council



Waterways Committee



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Job Descriptions - Beautification Committee

Supporting Documents

-  Edible Landscapes for Coastal Collier County (5 MB)
-  "Taking Back the Landscape" Planting with Florida Native Plants (5 MB)
-  Marco Nature Night 2020 (109 KB)
-  2021 Beautification Committee Schedule (48 KB)
-  MARCO IN BLOOM 2021 FLYER (16 MB)

Web Links

-  Stormwater and Me - How to be Pollution Free - Marco Nature Night Presentation - Collier County Pollution Control
-  Marco Islands Burrowing Owls - Marco Nature Night Presentation - Allison Smith of Audubon Western Everglades

