

Profile

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Venice Housing Authority: Submitted

Have you ever been convicted or pled "no contest" to a misdemeanor offense?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Have you ever been convicted or pled "no contest" to a felony?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Do you currently have any open Code Enforcement violations, past due payments or liens with the City of Venice? If so please give details.

No

Demographics

Are you a city resident?

☒ Yes ☐ No

How long have you lived in the City of Venice?

7 years

Question applies to Venice Housing Authority

Are you a resident who is current in rent in a housing project or a person of low or very low income who resides within the housing authority's jurisdiction and is receiving rent subsidy through a program administered by the authority or public housing agency that has jurisdiction for the same locality served by the housing authority?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Interests & Experiences

Are you currently serving on a city or county board or commission?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Have you ever served on a city board or commission?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Member of the Following Organizations:

Venice Yacht Club, Venice Historical Society, Venice Theater Capital Campaign Committee

Why are you interested in serving on a board, commission or City Council?

I am passionate about obtainable housing. I believe as a community we have many talented professionals that can be brought together for this project. I'd like to be a part of that team.

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You have reviewed the Board/ Commission's regular meeting schedule and are able to attend in-person meetings?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Acknowledgements

Please Agree with the Following Statement

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☒ I Agree

Donna Deeks Boldt

Donna was born in Cincinnati, Ohio. Her Family moved to Atlanta in 1972, the same year her grandparents bought their home in Venice Florida. She graduated from the University of Georgia with a Management and Economics degree. After a short stint with Upjohn, she went to work at an entry level position with her Family Chemical Distribution Company. She worked her way up through the ranks, over the next 20 years, where she became the 3rd generation President of Deeks & Co., Inc. During her time with Deeks, she served on the National Association of Chemical Distributors (NACD) Board, later serving as the Southeast Regional President. She was awarded the National Distributor of the Year in 2011. She has served on various non-profit boards, from Churches and HOA's to Women's Shelter's and Camp Alleghany for Girls.

Donna sold the family company in 2018, after starting a Cottage Company who brought Diamond Dotz® to the America's. In 2018 Donna and her Husband Jim moved full-time into the family home that her grandparents had purchased in 1972. Following in her grandfather and Father's footsteps Jim and Donna joined the Venice Yacht Club. In 2022 Donna was the 2nd Female Commodore in 71 years to be elected to serve her full term of 5 years. She currently serves as chairperson of the Finance Committee and is a member of the Emergency Preparedness Committee, Long Range Planning Committee, and Building Committee.

Jim and Donna have 5 children and 6 grandchildren to date. All the next generations love to visit Venice. They are proud sponsors of the Venice Theater and are involved in the community in many ways, most currently with Jim serving as Vice Mayor.



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Jennifer

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Employer

Executive Director

Occupation

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How long have you lived in the City of Venice?

10 years in Sarasota County

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☐ Yes ☒ No

Interests & Experiences

Are you currently serving on a city or county board or commission?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please list:

Affordable Housing Advisory Council (AHAC) with County

If selected to the board or commission for which you are applying, is it your intention to resign from the current board or commission you are serving?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Have you ever served on a city board or commission?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please list

AHAC and Community Action Agency Board (CAAB) previously with County

Member of the Following Organizations:

Sertoma and South County Tiger Bay,

Why are you interested in serving on a board, commission or City Council?

I am interested in serving on the Venice Housing Authority Board because I care deeply about the place I call home and the people who live here. My professional and personal work is focused on creating opportunities for families to have safe, stable, and affordable housing. Serving on this board would allow me to use my experience and passion to help strengthen our community, ensure that housing resources are used wisely, and contribute to making Venice a place where all residents can thrive.

Resume of Education and Experience:

I hold a Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Science Education with a minor in Child Development and Family Studies from Purdue University. My early career was spent teaching life skills to at-risk high school students and college students, which gave me a strong foundation in leadership and community engagement. Since 2015, I have served as Executive Director of Family Promise of South Sarasota County, where I oversee programs, budgeting, fundraising, and partnerships to expand affordable housing opportunities and prevent family homelessness. My background blends education, nonprofit management, and housing-focused leadership, equipping me to contribute meaningfully to the Housing Authority Board.

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Family Promise of South Sarasota County, Executive Director (Venice, FL) 2015-Present
- Increase involvement of community members and organizations by speaking at numerous engagements
 - Collaborate with stakeholders, volunteers and organizations to plan, implement and evaluate program success and to identify where gaps are in services to broaden our agency's impact
 - Plan and carry out all development, budget and fundraising goals including grant writing and grant reporting with board input
 - Analyze programmatic data to ensure positive outcomes and make necessary changes as needed to best support the program and the client's needs
- Ivy Tech Community College, Adjunct Faculty (Lafayette, IN) 2010-2015
- Teach Life Skills courses to young adults; Personal Finance, Preparing for College and Careers, Parenting and Child Development, Nutrition and Wellness, Culinary Arts, etc.
- Lafayette School Corporation, FACS Teacher (Lafayette, IN) 2008-2015
- Teach at-risk high school students Life Skills in FACS courses
 - JHS Teacher Institute, leadership role to present effective methods and evidence-based instructional strategies to 1st year teachers for the school corporation
 - Jefferson High School Technology Committee, evaluate, assess and implement use of technology to ensure students graduate with the skills necessary to succeed
 - Jefferson AdvancEd Standards Committee, analyze where our school would be evaluated by the AdvancEd Standards Committee for accreditation through a self-evaluation

Civic & Community Organizations

- Affordable Housing Advisory Council (AHAC), Sarasota County 2024-Present
- Sertoma Club of Venice 2023-Present
- South County Tiger Bay 2023-Present
- Gulf Coast Community Foundation – Trauma Informed Care/Organization Training Cohort 2022-Present
- Venice Police – Citizen's Police Academy 2022
- Gulf Coast Community Foundation – Executive Institute 2022
- Leadership North Port 2022
- Leadership Venice 2019
- Community Action Advisory Council (CAAB), Chair 2023-2024 2018-2024
- Gulf Coast Community Foundation - Leadership Institute 2018
- Venice Area Chamber of Commerce – CEO Roundtable 2018-2021

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN
Major: Family and Consumer Science Education
Minor: Child Development and Family Studies
GPA: 3.79/4.0