

INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT
CONCERNING THE DEVELOPMENT
OF A COUNTY-WIDE COORDINATED
KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL PROGRAM

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This agreement is by and between the City of Venice, municipal corporation of the State of Florida hereinafter referred to as "Municipality", and the COUNTY OF SARASOTA, FLORIDA, hereinafter referred to as the "County".

WHEREAS, the County and the Municipality wish to develop and maintain an all-inclusive County-wide Keep America Beautiful Program, known as the Keep Sarasota Beautiful (KSB) Program for the general purpose of promoting public interest in the improvement of the environment of the County.

WHEREAS, the Keep Sarasota Beautiful Program administered by the County has been certified as an affiliate of the Keep America Beautiful; and

WHEREAS, this agreement will create a coordinated litter control and beautification program that will help to achieve the level of participation necessary to facilitate the required modification in practices of citizens of the County and the Municipality; and

WHEREAS, a County-wide Keep Sarasota Beautiful Program will help to increase public awareness and maximize community support and participation by the entire County; and

NOW, THEREFORE, it is understood that the County and the Municipality agree to the following:

1. The Keep Sarasota Beautiful Program shall strive to promote the following goals: (a) recommend programs for litter control in conjunction with and in cooperation with citizens, governments, businesses, and industries throughout the County, (b) review and recommend rules and regulations related to all applicable ordinances which are designated for litter control, conduct a continuous education program (d) encourage stricter code enforcement, (e) investigate and recommend new forms of technology, (f) develop programs throughout the County which will aid the nationwide Keep America Beautiful System, and (g) investigate and make recommendations for improving the health, sanitation, safety and cleanliness of the County, including the Municipalities.
2. The County will maintain a Keep Sarasota Beautiful Advisory Board to provide direction and assistance in supporting the County's overall Keep Sarasota Beautiful Program and other beautification activities. Members of the Advisory Board shall be appointed by the Board of

County Commissioners and shall include, as much as practicable, representatives from each participating municipality and from the unincorporated area of Sarasota County.

3. The County shall provide guidance and assistance to the Municipality. Certain County-wide programs will be developed and implemented by the County in which the Municipality may elect to participate. These programs may include, but are not limited to, community cleanups, the adoption program, and the SCAT bag-it/environmental awareness program.
4. Each Municipality may establish its own individual program goals with administrative assistance from the County. Funding for individual programs may come from the Municipality's own funding sources or from private in-kind donations or sponsorship.
5. The Municipality acknowledges the certification of the Keep Sarasota Beautiful Program established and sponsored by the County, as the official local affiliate of Keep America Beautiful.
6. This agreement shall remain in effect until terminated by either party upon written notification to the other.

Executed this 31 day of March, 1998, in Sarasota County, Florida.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement on the date first above written.

**BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS OF
SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA**

By: [Signature]

Chairman

ATTEST:

**KAREN E. RUSHING, Clerk of
the Circuit Court and
Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board
of County Commissioners of
Sarasota County, Florida.**

By: [Signature]

Deputy Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
CORRECTNESS**

By: [Signature]

County Attorney

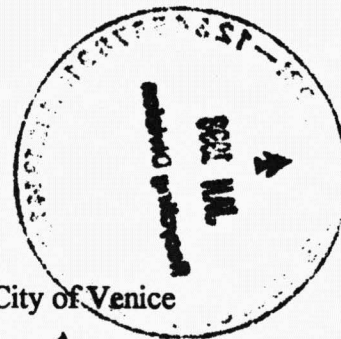
ATTEST:

KAREN E. RUSHING, Clerk of the Circuit
Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of
County Commissioners of Sarasota County, Florida

By: _____

Deputy Clerk

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

*Kari Stelzer**Linda Hamble Dupew*

City of Venice

By *Michael D. Swan*

Mayor