

Greetings KNB Board of Directors,

My family and I moved to Fernandina Beach in late 2021 from Miami, where we were homeowners and active citizens since 2007. I understand concern about the influx of people and want to be a part of protecting and preserving this community.

I have volunteer and board member experience spanning over 20 years. One of my earliest and favorite roles was as a Community Outreach Specialist for Americorps. As part of a Housing Authority and Neighborhood Works organization, we awarded grants for historic preservation and neighborhood beautification, gave awards to local gardeners and hosted events to improve curb appeal and build community relationships. I was tasked with the monthly e-newsletter, all event materials and a printed and bound annual report.

Most recently I served a two-year term as Co-VP of Communications for Funding Arts Network, a 25-year-old arts grant organization in South Florida. During the pandemic, we were able to convert our member events to an online format; keeping the membership base connected and informed during such an uncertain time. I have been a part of several successful fundraising campaigns and enjoy working with committees on events and initiatives.

I work as an Account Manager in Technology and Information Systems remotely and have the flexibility to attend meetings and events. It would be my pleasure to volunteer with Keep Nassau Beautiful and I look forward to meeting you all at future meetings and events.

Sincerely,

Genevieve Summers

You can view my LinkedIn profile at www.linkedin.com/in/gsummers-ingenutity

For more information on Funding Arts Network and the website I managed visit <https://fundingartsnetwork.org/>