

# APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT – Martin County Community Development Block Grant Citizen Advisory Task Force – **Please Print**

## Type of Member:

- ☒ Resident of unincorporated Martin County  
☐ Resident of unincorporated Martin County **AND** from low to moderate income households as determined by income survey (Household Income Certification Form)

Check One: ☐ Mr. ☒ Mrs. ☐ Ms. ☐ Miss ☐ Dr.

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By Donna Gordon at 7:48 am, Jan 13, 2020

Name: Julie Preast

Residence Address: 538 N.E. Alice Street, Jensen Beach, FL 34957  
Street - City - Zip Code

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 2, Jensen Beach, FL 34958  
(if different) Street - City - Zip Code

Commission District in which you reside: 1<sup>1<sup>dg</sup></sup> Staff will complete.

Are you available year round to attend meetings? ☒ yes ☐ no If **no**, what months **are** you available?

Telephone numbers: daytime: 772-692-1163 alternate: \_\_\_\_\_ alternate: \_\_\_\_\_  
Area Codes are considered 772 unless you note otherwise.

EMAIL: juliepreast@bellsouth.net

Have you ever pled guilty or "no contest" to a crime, been convicted of a crime, had adjudication withheld, prosecution deferred, been placed on probation, received a suspended sentence or forfeited bail in connection with any offense (except minor traffic violations)? Please show all convictions, including driving while intoxicated (DUI) convictions. ☐ yes ☒ no If yes, please provide the following information:

TYPE OF OFFENCES: \_\_\_\_\_

DATES: \_\_\_\_\_

PLACES (city/state): \_\_\_\_\_

SENTENCES OR FINES: \_\_\_\_\_

*A conviction record does not necessarily disqualify you for consideration. Factors such as age at time of offense, nature of violation, and rehabilitation will be considered. The Martin County Board of County Commissioners retains the right to remove, at will, any appointee to a Board or Committee with or without cause.*

**EDUCATION/EXPERIENCE:** A resume is recommended to be attached containing this and any other information that would be helpful to the Board in evaluating your application. Resume or letter of qualifications attached? ☐ yes ☐ no

Resume has been on file at Martin County. Currently serving on MPO-BPAC.

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Education: Master of Business Administration

Employment Experience: Currently, rental property owner/manager. Design and assist with construction of homes and apartments my husband and I own; handle related accounting/budgets/purchasing. Previously, retail stores owner in Downtown Stuart and Orange Blossom Mall, Ft. Pierce.

Other experience you feel would be helpful to the Board in making this appointment:

Assisted CRA with CDBG application for water/sewer in low-income section of Rio.

First chairperson of Rio NAC, served 8 years. First chairperson of Stuart Main Street; program was started for the purpose of supporting the awarding of a Community Development Block Grant for replacement water/sewer lines in Downtown Stuart. Participated at numerous redevelopment and Main Street sessions/conferences since the 1980s. Travel and visit traditional neighborhoods.

Community Experience and Affiliations: Pat Mark Rio-Jensen Skatepark & skateboard competitions; have written grant applications for community improvements;

officer in Rio Civic Club/Garden Committee Chairperson coordinating Rio Nature Park Cleanups;

Historical Research Volunteer/historic preservation/Stuart Welcome Arch/Golden Gate Building.

Other County Boards/Committees/Task Forces on which you have served:

Rio NAC, MPO CAC and BPAC, Parks & Recreation Master Plan Committee

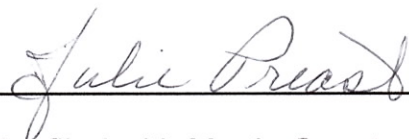
Do you or any member of your immediate family work for Martin County or hold a position that might conflict with your duties for this Board/Committee/Task Force? If yes, please explain: No

**REFERENCES:** Please list two references:

Barbara Taylor, 772-692-9826

Beth Beltran, MPO

- Applicants may be required by State Law and County Ordinance to file a Financial Disclosure Statement as part of the appointment process.
- Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing and that the facts stated in it are true. (Pursuant to Section 92.525 Florida Statutes, falsifying this application is a Third Degree Felony punishable by up to five years imprisonment and up to a \$5,000 fine.)
- Florida law prohibits an advisory board member from doing business with its agency (The County). Section 112.313(3) and (7), Fla. Stat.

→ Signature: 

Date: Jan. 7, 2020

Applications must be filed with Martin County Administration, 2401 SE Monterey Road, Stuart, Florida 34996 **by Friday, January 31**, 2020. All information submitted becomes public record. If you have any questions, please call (772) 221-1352 or send email to [dgordon@martin.fl.us](mailto:dgordon@martin.fl.us).