

Greetings,

I am reaching out to introduce myself as a member of the Green Implementation Advancement Board (GIAB), commonly referred to as the “Green Board” of the City of Delray Beach. GIAB is a City Commission appointed board comprised of involved residents that work with the City’s Office of Sustainability to improve the environmental sustainability and quality of life in our community.

An integral component of our work is connecting with residents and businesses. We are eager to hear from you, your HOA, or the HOA’s property management company about steps your homeowner’s association takes, or has considered taking to protect the environment, reduce waste, reduce energy and water consumption, and improve the sustainability and resiliency of your development. You can read about some of the City’s 2018 projects in our [GreenWorks newsletter](#).

The Green Board is hoping to identify community leaders in each neighborhood that can be a point of contact for the board and help communicate our initiatives to residents. Also, by sharing contact information with the Green Board we hope to open a dialogue among HOA’s in our city about green practices and city-led initiatives. If you, or another person on your HOA Board or community would like to be the point of contact for your association, please email the City’s Sustainability Officer at [PuszkinA@mydelraybeach.com](mailto:PuszkinA@mydelraybeach.com) so the contact list can be updated.

We also encourage you to attend GIAB meetings! The public meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month from 9am to 11am at the Swinton Operations Complex (434 S. Swinton Ave, Delray Beach, FL 33444). The agenda for the upcoming meeting can be found on the [website](#) under events.

I hope we can continue this conversation about greening the community soon!

Thank you for your time.