

LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES



- 1. Support insurance reform that creates a competitive and stable insurance market which will lower costs for Florida's policy holders.
- 2. Support the continued reduction of Florida's corporate income tax.
- 3. Support affordable housing solutions for our workforce and residents' housing needs, and Florida's housing trust funds (Sadowski Act) to be used solely for housing programs.
- 4. Support the flexibility to extend disaster loan payoff terms and reduce interest rates for business recovery after disasters.
- 5. Support FDOT work program funding which adds to regional vibrancy including S.R. 681 and I-75 interchange expansion project.
- 6. Support Enterprise Florida to proactively market the state as a business destination and incentivize corporations to relocate to Florida.
 - Support Visit Florida in its work to establish Florida as a premier destination for visitors nationally and internationally.

To join forces with others including City, County, EDC, Florida Chamber, and Florida Board of Realtors on the following policy issues where they don't conflict with Venice Area Chamber policy:

- Water quality improvement measures
- Beach renourishment
- Education
- Utilities: business and school access to broadband and internet access
- Support legislation and investments in workforce education and training programs.
- Support Human Services measures to expand access to long-term and acute behavioral health treatment focused on addiction, mental health, and suicide prevention, including funding to address the mental health crisis occurring at the VPK through high school levels.