

Your Name	Barbara King
Seat running for	South Bay Commissioner Seat 3
District	Palm Beach County (Glades)
How long have you lived in Palm Beach County?	50 years

JOBS

Getting people trained, trade certified as well as second chance programs that would allow returning citizens back working. Creating a program that would allow nonworking public assistant & public housing recipients to receive assistance only until employment obtain with term limited of receiving assistance.

TALENT

When elected, I will work on first help assist with getting residents qualified for positions available through services offered at West Technical and Palm Beach State College. Also, seeking services that will be available for returning citizens, being that some of our residents may have backgrounds that are hindering them from seeking employment.

BUSINESS CLIMATE

As a business owner, I'm very big on entrepreneurship I'm always promoting business ownership especially with our youth. I am presently planning a children business fair, and local to partnership with the carrer source to assist with the basic planning.

AFFORDABLE HOUSING

When elected, working alongside constituents that share the same vision & ideas for affordable housing, collectively we can develop a plan. Together, we help bring developers in to help build a better community for affordable living.

TAXES

The belief that taxes should be based on an individual if they can pay.

COLLABORATION

Along with my nonprofit KTM Youth and Community Network Inc organization, we have worth the Palm Health, Healthier Glades, IFAS Extension, Grassroots Consultants, Palm Beach County Food Bank, Thrive for A Change, and New Beginning Community Outreach to help promote healthy eating living through a community garden that is housed in the back yard of our facility, we have started youth football and basketball to help create a positive environment, Free summer youth camp, annual community events such as Toy giveaway, Easter egg hunts, Senior citizens holiday giveaways, Community Feedings, Health fair and we worked the tri cities Mayors to host an annual Senior Citizen prom and To name a few.

WOMEN IN THE WORKFORCE

Advancing The Mission Racial Equity

Workplace racial inequity exists in America unless significant attention is paid to changing it. When racial equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI) are understood as mission-relevant to an organization, strategies for achieving these take precedence and permeate the culture.

WORKPLACE CULTURE

I would recommend retaining top talent regardless of gender, wherefore everyone would be included.

OUR COMMUNITY

Our community hear is at a standstill and have been that way for some time now. There has not been any major growth since present leadership. We have not had any new homes or apartment homes developed in over 20+ years besides the renewed public housing development. Our roads infrastructure is so poor, 2 of 12+ streets are very poor and barely drivable.