



October 12, 2020

The Honorable Gary H. Katica, Mayor
City of Belleair
901 Ponce de Leon Boulevard
Belleair, Florida, 33756

Dear Mayor Katica:

I hope and you and your community are healthy and safe as we all work together to get through these challenging times.

Belleair Bluffs Commissioner, Joseph Barkley, who has been a dedicated Chairman of the Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority, committee chairman, and board member for many years, has represented your city plus Gulfport, Seminole, Kenneth City, South Pasadena and Belleair Bluffs very well. Now his term is coming to an end so a replacement PSTA board member must be identified from the elected commissioners of these six cities.

Gulfport's Vice-Mayor, Michael Fridovich has requested to be considered for this PSTA Board position.

Please let me know if your city approves of Vice-Mayor Fridovich being your representative for the 3-year term on the PSTA Board beginning in January 2021. Let me or my assistant Rachael Cappolla know by emailing her at rcappolla@psta.net by November 1. If we don't hear from your city by that date, we will assume your approval of this new PSTA Board member Fridovich.

Thank you for your attention to this appointment request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brad Miller", is positioned above the typed name.

Brad Miller, Chief Executive Officer
Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority

cc: PSTA Chair Joe Barkley
Gulfport Vice Mayor Michael Fridovich