



## City of Bradenton, Florida

### City Council Agenda Memorandum

**Agenda Item:**

Resolution 16-57: reappointing Ben Bakker to the Planning Commission.

**Agenda Date:**

November 16, 2016

**Originated by:**

Kelly Beyerlein

**Agenda Placement:**

Consent Agenda

**Explanation****Financial Impact**

N/A

**Requested action to be taken by Council**

Approval

**Staff Recommendation**

Approval

**Attachments**

Resolution and resume

RESOLUTION NO. 16-57

A RESOLUTION REAPPOINTING BEN BAKKER TO THE **PLANNING COMMISSION** FOR THE CITY OF BRADENTON, FLORIDA AND DEFINING HIS TERM.

WHEREAS, the City is desirous of reappointing outstanding members of the community to this board.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRADENTON, FLORIDA, THAT:**

The Mayor does hereby appoint, and the City Council approves and confirms the appointment from this date hereof:

BEN BAKKER for a term to expire December 2020.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED, this 16th day of November, 2016.

ATTEST:

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Carl Callahan  
City Administrator

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Wayne H. Poston  
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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William R. Lisch  
City Attorney

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# Benjamin Bakker

## OBJECTIVE

To establish new clients and maintain existing clients with impeccable service and integrity in order gain and grow business & make a difference in the community.

## QUALIFICATIONS

I have always worked best with people directly, whether in sales or management. I am driven and possess a strong, conservative, old-fashioned work ethic. I am personable, outgoing and very confident that I can be a valued asset to your organization.

## EMPLOYMENT

### **6/12 - Now Vice President: HJB Properties**

Oversee all day to day operations, property management, tenant leasing, public relations

### **1/10 – Now Account Executive: Magee Sign Service**

Handle sales operations for the greater Tama Bay area as far south as Lee county. Serve the company in all areas of public relations by representing them in public events and professional organizations. Directly handle meeting all clients on sales calls, as well as bringing in new clients and accounts.

### **10/05 – 1/10 Account Executive: Signs Now**

Serve the company in all areas of public relations by representing them in public events and professional organizations. Directly handle meeting all clients on sales calls, as well as bringing in new clients and accounts. (Promoted from store manager in 2003)

### **12/01-9/04 Production Manager: Budget Signs**

Handled all shop activities. (Order taking, design, fabrication and installation) As well as clerical duties and supply orders. Was regularly responsible for running the store in owner's absence.

### **97 to 12/01 Store Manager: Nautica Factory Store**

Oversaw all store operations. (Inventories, orders, hiring, terminations, reviews, scheduling, etc..)

## **Civic & Professional Involvements**

- Realize Bradenton: Board of Directors
- Manatee Chamber of Commerce: Board of Directors & Downtown Redevelopment Committee member
- SOLVE Maternity Homes: Board of Directors (Vice President)
- Manatee Co. Tiger Bay: Board of Directors
- Leadership Manatee Graduate (Class of 2010)
- Manatee Young Professionals Executive committee (chair-elect)
- Manatee Young Professionals Social Committee (Chairman)
- Manatee Young Professionals Marketing Committee
- Manatee Young Republicans, past member
- Bayside Community Church: West Campus Worship Band Director
- Bayside Business Alliance
- Gulf Coast Builders Exchange
- Lakewood Ranch Business Alliance
- Sarasota Young Professionals, past member

## **Volunteer Involvements**

- Salvation Army (meal serving)
- Better Manatee Day
- Bayside Community Church Homeless Outreach
- Adopt A Highway
- United Way Day of Caring
- Boys & Girls Club's Kiss A Pig (2010)
- Chamber of Commerce membership drive
- Chamber Friends Mentor Program
- Project T.E.A.C.H.