

## Sustainable Communities Workshop



### REGISTER NOW

Nov. 29, 2018

13th Annual Sustainable Communities Workshop

*Register now for "early-bird" rates!*

The 13th Annual Sustainable Communities Workshop – "**Unique Perspectives for Community Solutions**" – will bring the community together to discuss sustainability priorities. Our expert speakers will provide up-to-date information on community strategies, resources, solutions as well as best practice from other communities.

### Learn

Residents, business leaders, institutions, government agencies and organizations will gather to learn from knowledgeable speakers and panel discussions. Discussion topics include:

- the overview effect, with "The Artistic Astronaut" Nicole Stott,
- plastic pollution solutions,
- environmental communication,
- habitat restoration,
- transportation,
- food,
- and more.



Learn more about our featured speakers with our downloadable roster (PDF). Note that this document is currently in **draft** status and subject to change, as we continue to set our lineup of speakers.

### Share

Creating solutions requires participation from everyone to identify and implement innovative and appropriate sustainability practices that support community needs. Meet our speakers, visit our exhibitors, learn, network, and enjoy organic and local food. Participate in breakout sessions and network with businesses and community groups to help build a better future for our community. Register now to join us at this annual popular and interactive workshop.

## Attend

Register now to join us at this annual popular and interactive workshop. Registration rates:

- \$35: Early-bird (through Oct. 29)
- \$45: Standard (Oct. 30 - Nov. 29)
- \$25: Student

Your registration fee includes continental breakfast, lunch, and afternoon break refreshments, catered by a local green business partner serving fresh, local, healthy, delicious food.

The 13th Annual Sustainable Communities Workshop is scheduled for 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Nov. 29 (Thursday), at the Girl Scouts of Gulfcoast Florida Event Center, 4740 Cattlemen Road, Sarasota, Fla. 34233. For more information on the workshop and sponsor/exhibitor opportunities please call 941-861-5000 and ask for the Sustainable Communities Workshop or e-mail us at [sustainablesarasota@scgov.net](mailto:sustainablesarasota@scgov.net).

## Sponsors and Exhibitors

Interested in helping sponsor the 13th Annual Sustainable Communities Workshop? Or, perhaps you want to show how your business helps make Sarasota County a more sustainable community? Learn more about opportunities by visiting our [Eventbrite sponsor and exhibitor page](#). Register and pay by credit card at that page, or, if paying by check, complete and submit the appropriate form below:

- [Sponsorship application](#)
- [Exhibitor application](#)

## We want to thank our workshop sponsors

### Media



## Organizing partners





# 2018 SPONSORSHIP APPLICATION

Thursday, Nov. 29, 2018

*One-day annual workshop in Sarasota*

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## We invite you to join us as a workshop sponsor.

Sponsors will be recognized, based on their level of support, on our workshop's promotional material, website and at the event. Sponsorship opportunities for the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual 2018 [Sustainable Communities Workshop](#) are available at the following levels:

Green/Keynote Speaker Sponsor	\$3,000
Platinum/Lunch Sponsor	\$2,000
Gold/Breakfast Sponsor	\$1,500
Silver Sponsor	\$500
Bronze Sponsor	\$250

## Why you should participate and sponsor.

When you sponsor the Sustainable Communities Workshop, you provide vital support for conference organization efforts and help facilitate the goal of a sustainable community. The 2018 Sustainable Communities Workshop theme is "Unique Perspectives for Community Solutions." Your workshop sponsorship provides a once-a-year opportunity to meet sustainability leaders and communicate with potential clients. Please join us to have your commitment to community sustainability recognized. Sponsors are located in the main conference room, in an ideal position to offer information and services to residents, businesses, organizations, and government agency workshop attendees.

Our 2017 workshop was a great success with over 180 people in attendance. Please visit the workshop website: <https://www.scgov.net/SustainableCommunities> for more information. Sponsorships available include the Keynote Speaker, workshop breakfast and lunch. In-kind media sponsorships are also welcome and will be acknowledged. If you have any questions, please contact Sara Kane at 941-861-5000 or email [sustainablesarasota@scgov.net](mailto:sustainablesarasota@scgov.net)

Indicate your desired sponsorship level on the completed Sponsorship Application form and submit **payment online through Eventbrite [click here](#)** OR mail a **check made payable to [Transition Sarasota \(with 2018 Sustainable Communities in the subject line\)](#)** Sponsorship application form must be received and paid no later than Oct. 29, 2018 to allow recognition on all workshop promotional materials.

**Send, email, or fax your Sponsorship form (and payment made to Transition Sarasota by check if not [paying online](#))**

**No later than Oct. 30, 2017 to:**  
**Sarasota County Sustainability**  
**ATTN: Sara Kane, 2017 Sustainable Communities Workshop**  
**6700 Clark Rd.**  
**Sarasota, Florida 34241**  
**Email [sustainablesarasota@scgov.net](mailto:sustainablesarasota@scgov.net) Fax: 941-861-9886**

You will be contacted upon receipt. We must receive a high resolution jpg file of your company logo by Oct. 29 to be included in Sustainable Communities Workshop materials, sent to [sustainablesarasota@scgov.net](mailto:sustainablesarasota@scgov.net)

***Thank you!***

*\*Transition Sarasota is serving as the fiscal host of the Sustainable Communities Workshop.*

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SPONSOR BENEFITS INCLUDE:	Green \$3000 Keynote Speaker Sponsor	Platinum \$2000 Lunch Sponsor	Gold \$1500 Breakfast Sponsor	Silver \$500	Bronze \$250
Marketing Flyers	√	√	√		
Agenda	√	√	√	√	√
Table Tents	√	√	√	√	
News Releases	√	√			
Event Banner	√	√	√	√	√
<b>On Web Site:</b>					
Sponsor Page –website listed	√	√	√	√	
Sponsor Page- logo listed	√	√	√	√	√
Keynote Speakers Page	√	√	√	√	
<b>At the Workshop:</b>					
Company info included in attendee packet	√	√			
Signage by Food Area	√	√	√	√	√
Speaker- Ten (10) Minute Presentation on Stage	√				
Announced on Stage	8 times	6 times	4 times	2 times	1 time
Free Exhibitor Space	√	√	√	√	√
Complimentary Registrations	10	8	6	4	3
Rolling Screen Projection	Exclusive Page	Exclusive Page	Exclusive Page	Group Page	Group Page
Provide Promotional Item(s)	√	√	√	√	√

Please note: The listing of a sponsoring company's name does not constitute an endorsement from Sarasota County or other organizing partners.

**Thank you to our 2018 Sustainable Communities Workshop organizing partners:**



*Girl Scouts of Gulfcoast Florida Event and Conference Center, the workshop setting, is a LEED-certified green building designed to preserve a natural wetland.*

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Business/Organization Name: Manatee County Government

Amount of Sponsorship: \$ 1,500.<sup>00</sup> Gold Sponsorship

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1000

City/State/Zip: 34206

Contact Person: (Please print) Diana Robinson

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone Number: 941-748-4501 ext. 5843

Contact Email: diana.robinson@mymanatee.org

Will you staff an exhibit booth at workshop? YES  NO

Please provide names of all personnel attending and/or staffing your exhibit booth for registration purposes:

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