

PHOTO, NAME	12 NOMINEES FOR PERDIDO KEY AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
 <p>Jim Beran*</p>	<p>Since moving Perdido Key area; in January 2013, when I took the position of Director of Sales at Gilmore Services in Pensacola. I've become an active volunteer member of the PKA Chamber of Commerce; I currently serve as the Chair of the Work Force Development and Business Retention Committee on Board of Director for the past two years and this past year as Vice Chair on the Executive Committee. By being elected to serve for another term I will be able to help provide the continuity to continue with the valuable programming, advocacy, member marketing opportunities, and events the chamber offers, which will increase the desire to become a member of the chamber, in-turn growing our overall membership numbers to a supportable level. Gini (my wife) and I have become quite captivated with the PKA for its quality of life, welcoming & friendly people and the strong community bond of all who call PKA home! We've witnessed and experienced this strong community bond firsthand in the many civic & charitable events, and social gatherings, we enjoy participating in. I would like to continue to serve on the Chamber Board of Directors as I see PKA is poised for some exciting growth opportunities. I believe the Chamber needs to be the catalyst to focus these growth opportunities to best serve our community allowing the strong community bond to flourish within the economic development growth opportunities that lie ahead.</p>
 <p>Sally Bowen*</p>	<p>Sally and her husband, Richard, retired Army, moved to Perdido Key in 2003 and rebuilt after Hurricane Ivan. For the past 8 years, she has owned her own catering business, Sally's Island Catering. She has served on the Perdido Key Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors for 11 years and has held the position of Secretary for the past 6 years.</p>
 <p>Vicky Chandler</p>	<p>Vicky lives in Perdido Key, FL and has 2 children and 2 grandchildren. She is the owner & operator of Perdido Pack & Ship, a full-service office and authorized shipper for UPS, FedEx, USPS, & DHL International. Vicky has been a member of the Perdido Key Chamber of Commerce since 2011 and is currently serves on the membership committee. Before retiring to Perdido Key, Vicky was a Mortgage Loan Officer and a million-dollar producer and a member of various organizations in the construction. Financing industry. Vicky served on the Board for the Millbrook Chamber of Commerce for 2 years and on the Board for Millbrook Assisted Living Facility for 2 years.</p>
 <p>Steve Jackson</p>	<p>I, and my wife Michele, discovered Perdido Key in the winter of 2016. After a brief visit, we fell in love with the area and knew this was where we were meant to be. Upon returning home to Arkansas, we sold my insurance agency which I had built, owned, and operated for 18 years, sold the house we had just built 1 1/2 years earlier, and relocated here in June of the following year. My wife is currently a Speech Pathologist for the Escambia County School District, and after 23 years in the insurance industry and building 2 insurance agencies from the ground up, I am currently a Business Insurance Consultant for Fisher Brown and Bottrell Insurance in Pensacola. With not knowing a single person upon moving here, the Perdido Key Area Chamber and it's representatives have played a vital role in me becoming involved within the community on both a personal and professional level. So for that, I would love to be able to give back to the Chamber and to the community by offering my time, effort, and services to help ensure the progress that I have seen in this wonderful area continues.</p>
 <p>Stephanie Jenkins</p>	<p>I have been a working professional for the past 25 years. I have been in real estate for 21 of those years. I spent 14 years as an independent fee appraiser and owned my own business for 6 of those years. I worked for the tax assessor's office for 3 years and also worked as a rental property manager in a resort setting. I have spent the last several years as a transition coordinator for real estate offices. I believe that the skill set I have developed over the years can serve the chamber well.</p>
 <p>Greg Jones</p>	<p>Greg Jones has close to 20 years in experience in resort development and management in the state of Florida. He is currently the Vice President of Development for Terra Firma Asset Management, LLC located on Perdido Key. During the last decade he has been actively involved in developing a balance between sustainable growth in the Perdido Key community while establishing a healthy balance of protecting environment along with the benefits of living on the island. Greg has been an active participant in local and state community efforts by residing on the Escambia County Tourism Development Council since 2012 and a Senate appointed Board Member for the Florida Communities Trust as a state representative of the development community since 2014.</p>



Pat Mclellan*

Pat came through the Navy Flight Program in 1971 as an NROTC graduate from the University of Minnesota with a degree in Journalism and Advertising. He spent four years aboard the USS Lexington as Public Affairs and Special Services Officer. Once out of the service, from 1976-1984, Pat worked his way up from bartender at Rosie O'Grady's to General Manager at Seville Quarter. It was there he initiated the 1st Mardi Gras street party and co-chaired the first Pensacola Mardi Gras committee. Joe Gilchrist convinced Pat to become his partner in a quiet little "Honky Tonk" on the Gulf called the Flora-Bama. That was in Oct. of 1984. From there he went on to create the "Polar Bear Dip", "Inter-State Mullet Toss" and numerous other special events. Pat was on the initial Board Perdido Key Sports Association, Orange Beach Chamber Board, the Kiwanis, Rotary Club and for the last of 32 years on the Perdido Key Area Chamber of Commerce Board. Pat resides with his wife of 32 years, Sheryl on Innerarity Point. He has two grown sons Sean and Brendan. Also, he is currently serving on the Citizens Advisory Board for the FL/AL Transportation Planning Organization (T.P.O.). Now those events developed or hosted result in over \$150,000/annually going back to Community Charities and Youth Programs. One event he is proudest of is "Super-Chili Bowl Saturday" Cook-Off which now raises over \$15,000 to the local American Cancer Society.



Tammy Mercer

Tammy's background includes more than 10 years of property management, rentals, and marketing. After visiting the Gulf Coast for many years, she and her family decided to make it home. In the summer of 2014, she and her family made the move from Tupelo, MS and continued her career in property management. Continuing her education, she became a licensed Community Association Manager. She then accepted a position with Sundown Riverside Condominiums, here in Perdido Key, as the Community Association Manager and managing the rental program. When Tammy isn't working she is spending time with her family. They can usually be found enjoying the outdoors and probably hanging out on the beach or fishing.



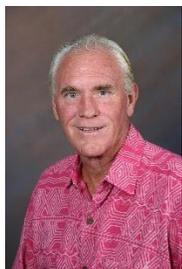
Kim Parker*

Kim Parker has been a resident of Perdido Key since 1998 and is married to her husband of 30 years, Tim Parker. Kim has a daughter, Caitlyn, son in law, Kyle McGhie and 3 Grandchildren, Amelia, James and Parker, who all live locally. Kim has been employed with Florida Blue for 20+ years, currently serving as Director of the local Florida Blue Retail Center, providing Health Plan Solutions for Consumers. Kim's passion is dedicated to "making an impactful difference in her community".



Cameron Price*

Cameron Price moved to the area in the summer of 2006. He spent time working as part of the management team at WCI Communities' Lost Key Development, and has been involved in real estate development on the Key and in south Alabama through the years. Cameron is one of the owners of the Flora-Bama family of businesses in Perdido Key, FL, five Cactus Cantina Mexican Grills in FL & AL, Coastal Restaurant, Ice Cream and Clothing Company in Gulf Shores, AL, and Shunk Gulley in Santa Rosa Beach, FL. In addition, Cameron is one of the owners of Lifestyle and Performance Management, a functional medicine practice in Pensacola, FL. Cameron is married to his wife, Cam, and they have three children (Malia, Dorian & Kai). He genuinely loves the Gulf Coast, is proud to have called it home for over ten years, and will do his best to help the team accomplish the vision of the Perdido Key Area Chamber of Commerce.



Bill Short

Bill Short is President of AM-PRES Corporation, an international renewable energy firm, and Chairperson of the International Trade Council's Energy Working Group. He has previously served in executive management in the hospitality industry, marketing and promotions of well-known charity golf tournaments, in leadership of the Hawaii Energy Policy Forum, Building Industry Association of Hawaii, Building Owners and Managers Association, Building Energy Efficiency Program (BEEP,) BuildPAC, the International Passenger Travelers Association and the United States Army.



Bill Stromquist*

Bill has lived here 20+ years and was Executive Director of the Perdido Key Chamber of Commerce from 1995-2005. He currently serves as Treasurer Emeritus on our Perdido Key Area Chamber Board. He is also heavily involved in the Alabama Gulf Coast Zoo Board. He is currently the President/ Chairman of the Friends of the Southwest Branch Library group as well as on the Escambia County Board of Adjustments.