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### **APA Florida Project Awards Recognize City of Punta Gorda**

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APA Florida, the Florida Chapter of the American Planning Association, has revealed the winners of its 2024 Project Awards. This year marks a record with eight Awards of Excellence to be presented, exceeding last year's acknowledgment of exceptional projects. Among the recipients is the City of Punta Gorda, honored with a Merit Award for its visionary Comprehensive Plan 2045. This accolade marks the city's second consecutive planning award for its forward-thinking approach to urban development and sustainability.

The APA Florida Project Awards program showcases notable planning initiatives across the state during its annual Florida Planning Conference. It offers APA Florida members the opportunity to explore and gain insights from projects in development, conservation, government, and the environment, highlighting instances where outstanding planning has significantly influenced outcomes.

Full list of winning projects is available at <https://florida.planning.org/community-outreach/project-awards/>.