



WHAT IS A LONG-TERM RECOVERY GROUP (LTRG)?

A Long-Term Recovery Group (LTRG) is a collaborative organization made up of representatives from faith-based groups, non-profits, government agencies, businesses, and community organizations. As a proven leader in disaster recovery, UWSSC and the Sarasota County Long-Term Recovery Group has successfully guided the community through the aftermath of major storms by providing long-term assistance and resources to individuals and families affected by disasters.

Sarasota County Long-Term Recovery Group (LTRG) strengthens disaster response and coordination across the community through preparation, response, recovery, and mitigation efforts, ensuring that recovery is both effective and resilient.

GET INVOLVED IN SARASOTA COUNTY'S RECOVERY!

If you're passionate about helping Sarasota County recover from the devastation caused by Hurricanes Debby, Helene, and Milton, we encourage you to join the Sarasota County Long-Term Recovery Group. As our community moves into the long-term recovery phase, collaboration and strategic planning are vital to rebuilding a stronger and more resilient community. By joining our LTRG, you'll contribute to efforts that go beyond short-term relief, ensuring sustained recovery for those in need.

ATTEND OUR COMMUNITY MEETINGS

We hold community meetings on the **last Friday of each month at 9:00 AM EST via Zoom**. Please check our website for the Zoom link. All community members and stakeholders are welcome to attend and learn how they can be part of the recovery process.

JOIN A COMMITTEE AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Do you have a specific skill set or expertise you'd like to contribute? The Sarasota County LTRG has various committees that focus on different aspects of disaster recovery. Whether your background is in planning, logistics, volunteer coordination, or public relations, your involvement can make a significant impact on our community's long-term recovery efforts. For more information on how to join a committee, please contact us today!

SARASOTA COUNTY LTRG LEADERSHIP BOARD

- **Barbara Cruz**, UWSSC, *Chair*
- **Chris Johnson**, UWSSC, *Vice-Chair*
- **Dorothy Wyche**, UWSSC, *Treasurer/Committee Chair*
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- **John Gregory**, Samaritan Counseling Services, *Committee Chair - Mental Health*
- **David Dahlke**, Lakeside Lutheran Church, *Committee Chair - Spiritual Care*
- **John Livingston**, Operational Consultant/Coach, *Committee Chair - Construction*
- **Charlene Altenhain**, The Glasser/Shoenbaum Services Center, *Committee Chair - Needs Assessment*
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- **Nick Pachota**, Mayor of Venice, *Member at Large*

THANK YOU COMMUNITY PARTNERS!

