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Shannon Staub named to key roles with the National Association of Counties

Sarasota County Commission Chair Shannon Staub has been named Chair of the Energy Subcommittee of the National Association of Counties (NACo). The organization supports a national energy policy, energy research, education and energy conservation, renewable energy and electric utility restructuring.

Staub also has been reappointed to NACo's Green Government Council. She is one of 16 county commissioners nationally to serve on the council. Along with 15 national corporations, this program helps counties throughout the country develop and implement environmentally sustainable programs and practices for air quality, energy efficiency, renewable and alternative energy, green buildings, water quality and land use.

The NACo Green Government Initiative is a catalyst between counties and the private sector to encourage policies and practices that bring financial and environmental savings. In partnership with leading suppliers of green products and services, NACo provides comprehensive tools and resources for counties on energy, air quality, transportation, water quality, land use, purchasing and recycling.

NACo provides services to the nation's 3,066 counties. The organization advances issues for the federal government, improves the public's understanding of county government, and assists counties in finding and sharing innovative solutions through education and research.

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