



**City of Naples Round Table Meeting Notes
05/21/2024**

Several issues were raised concerning utilities on commercial remodels. Steve Beckman suggested we discuss the issues with the utilities department and suggested we schedule a meeting with the Deputy Director, Michelle Baines. Mario (PBS). Cindy (Surety Construction) and Bettina (D. Garrett expressed interest in participating.

It was also determined that CBIA should invite fire to our next meeting. Steve Beckman suggested we reach out to Kate Wood in the fire department.

The question of turn-around time on permits was asked given the governor has just signed HB267. Steve shared the following:

If a permit application is complete within 1-3 days, the application goes to review for the first set of reviews with a goal of going to processing in 5 days from when reviews start. Depending on staff workload, the application goes to processing with total time of approximately 2 weeks from when the application is submitted to application approval.

While design professionals are seeing a bit of a slowdown, Steve shared they are not experiencing any slowdown at least over the next 2-3 years.

Participants commented that the city building department is doing a great job.

The next meeting is scheduled for August 20, 2024.