

Council Member Susan Gibbs Thomas Biography



Susan Gibbs Thomas' great grandfather came to Indiantown in 1936, which enabled her to be around Indiantown since birth. She moved here permanently in 1973. She attended school in Indiantown, graduating from Martin County High School and attending Indian River State College. Over 40 years of working in Indiantown has given her experience in agriculture, construction, hospitality and tourism, health services, telecommunications and education. Susan Gibbs Thomas has been employed for the past 16 years with the Martin County School District at Warfield Elementary School in Indiantown. She is the 4th generation of her family to work at the school.

In January 2018, Susan decided to run for a seat on the Village of Indiantown's Village Council and, in March 2018, she was elected and sworn in as a member of the 1st Village Council in Indiantown history. She was then elected amongst her fellow Council Members to serve as the 1st Mayor of Indiantown. Her priorities for the Village are to work together with Indiantown's Council to establish a foundational government framework that will allow Indiantown to stand strong in its autonomy for generations to come.

She is also the mother to two wonderful grown sons and her bloodhound Dolly. Susan Gibbs Thomas is an active member of Family Worship Center in Indiantown. When not serving her community, her hobbies include being on the Board of Florida Authentic Civilian Towne (FACT) and participating in living history.