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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

A "12-time Best of North Port" award-winning artist and community architect. Expert in **Wearable Conservation**, community-building, and digital strategy. Proven success in leveraging the arts for community wellness and economic development in South Sarasota County.

CORE ACHIEVEMENTS

- **12-Time "Best of North Port" Winner** | 2023, 2024, 2025 (Art, Jewelry, Boutique, Souvenirs, Arts & Crafts).
- **Founder & Lead Organizer** | North Port Paint Posse (130+ members) | 2024–Present.
- **Co-Founder** | North Port Art Crawl & "February Founders Edition" | 2026.

EXPERIENCE

Founder & Creative Director | Bone Boutique | 2017 – Present

- Manages a high-fashion sustainable art brand featuring "Wearable Conservation."
- Directs all marketing, financial logistics, and direct-to-collector sales.
- Pioneered innovative bone art techniques, transforming ethically sourced materials into collectible sculpture and jewelry.

Founder | North Port Paint Posse | June 2024 – Present

- Spearheaded the "**Parks & Palm Trees**" project, capturing all 25 North Port city parks through plein air painting.
- Coordinated community-wide exhibitions and features in local news for the "Art for Wellness" initiative.

Program & Outreach Coordinator | North Port Art Center | 2022 – 2023

- Spearheaded community engagement initiatives and expanded the center's reach through strategic local partnerships.
- Transformed the organizational newsletter into a high-distribution publication.

Board of Directors / Social Media Chair | North Port Art Center | 2019 – 2022

- Developed and executed a robust social media strategy, significantly increasing the center's digital footprint and exhibition visibility.

EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP

- **Graduate** | North Port University | Class of 2025
- **Vice President** | Leadership North Port | Class of 2022
- **Self-Taught Mastery** | Ongoing development in Bone, Metal, Mixed Media, Watercolor and Acrylics.

PHILANTHROPY & COMMUNITY

- **Paint a Paw-Trait:** Fundraising lead for local animal rescue organizations.
- **Volunteer:** Meals on Wheels, FWC Marine Lab.