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Michelle has more than 25 years of experience in both the public and private planning sectors. While in the private sector she represented clients in the land development and entitlement process.

At Delray Beach she and her team have worked to develop new code language prohibiting the demolition of historic structures due to neglect, written the city's first Historic Preservation Comprehensive Plan Element, secured grant funding to enrich preservation in the city, and developed a GIS mapping system for historic properties.

She earned a Bachelor's degree in Geography with a certificate in Urban Planning from FAU. She currently serves as a board member on the Palm Beach County Planning Congress and has served as a CRA board member in Boynton Beach.