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Tab 2	SB 666 by Collins; (Identical to H 00707) Form of Candidate Oath					
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Tab 3	SB 444 by Ingoglia; (Identical to H 00411) District School Board Elections					

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

ETHICS AND ELECTIONS
Senator Burgess, Chair
Senator Rouson, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Burgess, Chair; Senator Rouson, Vice Chair; Senators Avila, Garcia, Grall, Ingoglia, Martin, Mayfield, Polsky, and Powell

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 620 DiCeglie (Identical H 199, Compare H 241)	Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationships for Public Officers or Employees; Deleting an exception authorizing certain public officers or employees to be employed by, or to enter into a contractual relationship with, specified agencies, etc. EE 03/07/2023 Temporarily Postponed GO RC	Temporarily Postponed
2	SB 666 Collins (Identical H 707)	Form of Candidate Oath; Revising the address that certain candidates must provide on the form of candidate oath, etc. EE 03/07/2023 Fav/CS JU RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
3	SB 444 Ingoglia (Identical H 411)	District School Board Elections; Providing that an elected candidate for district school board must reside in the district school board member residence area by the date she or he assumes office instead of upon qualifying for office, etc. EE 03/07/2023 Favorable ED RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 3

TAB	OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HOME CITY)	FOR TERM ENDING	COMMITTEE ACTION
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Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hearing will be held for consideration of the below-named executive appointments to the offices indicated.

Jacksonville Aviation Authority

4	Hodges, David C., Jr. (Jacksonville)	09/30/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
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Greater Orlando Aviation Authority

5	Evans, John (Winter Park)	04/16/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Good, M. Carson (Winter Park)	04/16/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0

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Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board			
6	Decker, Jane (Miami)	10/31/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Hernandez, Alexander (Coral Springs)	10/31/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Howe, Charles (Gainesville)	10/31/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Ringle, Peter (Lake Worth)	10/31/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Schoeff, Steven K. (Keystone Heights)	10/31/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Florida Building Commission			
7	Swope, Brian (Wesley Chapel)	05/01/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Tolbert, John T. (Navarre)	01/09/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Florida Citrus Commission			
8	Groom, Christopher (Orlando)	06/30/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Johnson, Steve Allen (Wauchula)	06/30/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	McKenna, Martin J. (Sebring)	06/30/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Meador, Paul Jackson, Jr. (LaBelle)	05/31/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Poulton, William Scott (Lakewood Ranch)	05/31/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Schirard, John Patrick (Vero Beach)	06/30/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Smoak, John F. III (Lake Placid)	06/30/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Sutton, Daniel (Alva)	05/31/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Florida Development Finance Corporation			
9	Barakat, Charbel J. (Tampa)	05/02/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Quijano, John Michael (Miami)	05/02/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Smith, Taylor M. (Jacksonville)	05/02/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services			
10	Brandenburg, Joseph A. (Jacksonville)	09/30/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0

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	Ferreira, Vincent Todd (Starke)	09/30/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Liotta, Janis (St. Augustine)	09/13/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Peeples, Jill E. (Jacksonville)	09/30/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Board of Hearing Aid Specialists			
11	Polhill, Leanne E. (Port Orange)	10/31/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission			
12	Jennings, Gary (Windermere)	09/04/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission			
13	Brown, James A. ()	01/05/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Board of Opticianry			
14	Wilford, Paul M. (Tallahassee)	10/31/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Board of Optometry			
15	Griffin, John Edmund (Tallahassee)	10/31/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Rouse, David W. (Cooper City)	10/31/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Florida Prepaid College Board			
16	Starkey, Adria D. (Naples)	05/30/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
State Retirement Commission			
17	Kessie, Michael (Bradenton)	12/31/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
	Khan, Azhar Ali (Tallahassee)	12/31/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology			
18	Falk, Niva (Parkland)	10/31/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission			
19	Atkinson-Hazelton, Geri (Tallahassee)	06/30/2024	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0
Chair, Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission			
20	Faircloth, Charles T., Jr. (Tallahassee)	06/30/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0

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Other Related Meeting Documents

The Florida Senate
BILL ANALYSIS AND FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

Prepared By: The Professional Staff of the Committee on Ethics and Elections

BILL: SB 620

INTRODUCER: Senators DiCeglie and Yarborough

SUBJECT: Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationships for Public Officers or Employees

DATE: March 6, 2023

REVISED: _____

ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1. Cleary	Roberts	EE	Pre-meeting
2. _____	_____	GO	_____
3. _____	_____	RC	_____

I. Summary:

SB 620 deletes a limited exception to a general prohibition in the Code of Ethics for public officers and employees. As a result, (1) special tax districts created by general or special law and limited specifically to constructing, maintaining, managing, and financing improvements in the land area over which the agency has jurisdiction, and (2) drainage and water control districts, will be subject to the same conflicting employment or contractual relationship prohibition that applies to all other agencies. That prohibition provides that a public officer or employee may not hold any employment or contract with any business entity or agency regulated by or doing business with his or her public agency. A public officer or employee also is prohibited from holding any employment or having a contractual relationship which will create a frequently recurring conflict between the official's private interests and public duties or which will impede the full and faithful discharge of the official's public duties.

This bill takes effect July 1, 2023.

II. Present Situation:

Code of Ethics: Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationship

Section 112.313, F.S., specifies standards of conduct for public officers,¹ employees of agencies,² and local government attorneys. Pursuant to s. 112.313(7), F.S., a public officer or employee is prohibited from holding any employment or contract with any business entity or agency regulated by or doing business with his or her public agency. A public officer or

¹ Pursuant to s. 112.313(1), F.S., the term "public officer" includes any person elected or appointed to hold office in any agency, including any person serving on an advisory body.

² Pursuant to s. 112.312(2), F.S., "agency" means any state, regional, county, local, or municipal government entity of this state, whether executive, judicial, or legislative; any department, division, bureau, commission, authority, or political subdivision of this state therein; or any public school, community college, or state university.

employee also is prohibited from holding any employment or having a contractual relationship which will create a frequently recurring conflict between the official's private interests and public duties or which will impede the full and faithful discharge of the official's public duties.³ A violation of this subsection is deemed a violation of the Code of Ethics (Code)⁴ and subjects the violator to enforcement and penalty provisions of the Code.⁵

There is an exception to the above prohibitions in s. 112.313(7)(a)1, F.S., which provides that when the agency referred to is that kind of special tax district created by general or special law and is limited specifically to constructing, maintaining, managing, and financing improvements in the land area over which the agency has jurisdiction, or when the agency has been organized pursuant to chapter 298 (drainage and water control districts), then employment with, or entering into a contractual relationship with, such business entity by a public officer or employee of such agency shall not be prohibited by the subsection or be deemed a conflict per se.⁶ However, conduct by such officer or employee that is prohibited by, or otherwise frustrates the intent of, s. 112.313, F.S., shall be deemed a conflict of interest in violation of the standards of conduct set forth by s. 112.313, F.S. Therefore, a public officer and/or employee is still subject to the other provisions of the Code and conduct that violates the other provisions of the Code subjects these officers and/or employees to the enforcement provisions and penalties of the Code.⁷

Currently, there are several other exceptions to these prohibitions relating to legislative bodies where regulatory power resides in another agency or is strictly through enactment of laws or ordinances,⁸ and lawful or required practice in a particular profession or occupation.⁹ The Code also contains several exemptions to these prohibitions related to:

- Appointed advisory board members;¹⁰
- When business transactions in a county or municipality are conducted under a rotation system;¹¹

³ Section 112.313(7), F.S.; *see also* Florida Commission on Ethics, *Guide to the Sunshine Amendment and Code of Ethics for Public Officers and employees*, p. 6, located at

<https://ethics.state.fl.us/Documents/Publications/GuideBookletInternet.pdf?cp=2023221> (last visited March 2, 2023)

⁴ *See* Pt. III, ch. 112, F.S.

⁵ *See* s. 112.317, F.S.

⁶ *See* ch. 75-208, Laws of Florida (Legislature amended s. 112.313, F.S. in 1975, creating the limited exemption for these special tax districts, which became law October 1, 1975).

⁷ *Id.*; *see* Pt. III, ch. 112, F.S.

⁸ Section 112.313(7)(a)2, F.S. ("When the agency referred to is a legislative body and the regulatory power over the business entity resides in another agency, or when the regulatory power which the legislative body exercises over the business entity or agency is strictly through the enactment of laws or ordinances, then employment or a contractual relationship with such business entity by a public officer or employee of legislative body shall not be prohibited by this subsection or be deemed a conflict.")

⁹ Section 112.313(7)(b), F.S. ("This subsection shall not prohibit a public officer or employee from practicing in a particular profession or occupation when such practice by persons holding such public office or employment is required or permitted by law or ordinance.")

¹⁰ Section 112.313(12), F.S. ("The requirements of subsections (3) and (7) as they pertain to persons serving on advisory boards may be waived in a particular instance by the body which appointed the person to the advisory board, upon a full disclosure of the transaction or relationship to the appointing body prior to the waiver and an affirmative vote in favor of waiver by two-thirds vote of that body. In instances in which appointment to the advisory board is made by an individual, waiver may be effected, after public hearing, by a determination by the appointing person and full disclosure of the transaction or relationship by the appointee to the appointing person.")

¹¹ Section 112.313(12)(a), F.S. ("Within a city or county the business is transacted under a rotation system whereby the business transactions are rotated among all qualified suppliers of the goods or services within the city or county.")

- When business is awarded under a system of sealed, competitive bidding and certain criteria are met;¹²
- Purchases or sales for legal advertising, utilities service, or passage on a common carrier;¹³
- Emergency purchases that must be made to protect public health, safety, or welfare;¹⁴
- When the business entity involved is the only source of supply with the political subdivision and there is a full disclosure by the officer or employee;¹⁵
- When the aggregate of such transactions do not exceed \$500 in a calendar year;¹⁶
- When business transacted is the deposit of agency funds in a bank of which a county, city, or district official is an officer, director, or stockholder, so long as agency records show that the governing body has determined that the member did not favor his or her bank over qualified banks;¹⁷
- When the transaction is made pursuant to s. 1004.22 or s. 1004.23 and is specifically approved by the president and the chair of the university board of trustees;¹⁸
- When the public officer or employee purchases in a private capacity goods or services from an entity regulated by, or doing business, with his or her agency, at a price and under terms available to similarly situated members of the general public;¹⁹ and
- When the elected public officer is employed by a tax exempt organization contracting with his or her agency and the officer's employment is not directly or indirectly compensated as a result of such contract or business relationship and the officer has in no way participated in the agency's decision to contract or to enter into the business relationship with his or her employer. In addition, the officer must abstain from voting on any matter that may come before the agency involving the officer's employer, publicly state to the assembly the nature of the officer's interest in the matter from which he or she is abstaining, and file the required written memorandum.²⁰

Special Districts

"Special tax district" is not defined in ch. 112, F.S., or ch. 189, F.S., which provides the general provisions for special districts. Section 189.012(6), F.S., defines a "special district" as "a unit of local government created for a special purpose, as opposed to a general purpose, which has jurisdiction to operate within a limited geographic boundary and is created by general law, special act, local ordinance, or by rule of the Governor and Cabinet." The special purpose or

¹² Section 112.313(12)(b), F.S. ("The business is awarded under a system of sealed, competitive bidding to the lowest or best bidder and: (1) the official or the official's spouse or child has in no way participated in the determination of the bid specifications or the determination of the lowest or best bidder; (2) the official or the official's spouse or child has in no way used or attempted to use the official's influence to persuade the agency or any personnel thereof to enter such a contract other than by the mere submission of the bid; and (3) the official, prior to or at the time of the submission of the bid, has filed a statement with the Commission on Ethics, if the official is a state officer or employee, or with the supervisor of elections of the county in which the agency has its principal office, if the official is an officer or employee of a political subdivision, disclosing the official's interest, or the interest of the official's spouse or child, and the nature of the intended business.")

¹³ Section 112.313(12)(c), F.S.

¹⁴ Section 112.313(12)(d), F.S.

¹⁵ Section 112.313(12)(e), F.S.

¹⁶ Section 112.313(12)(f), F.S.

¹⁷ Section 112.313(12)(g), F.S.

¹⁸ Section 112.313(12)(h), F.S.

¹⁹ Section 112.313(12)(i),(j), F.S.

²⁰ Section 112.313(15), F.S.

purposes of special districts are implemented by specialized functions and related prescribed powers.

According to the Special District Information Program at the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO), as of March 2, 2023, there are currently 1,922 special districts.²¹ Not all of these are special tax districts, but the DEO data does not break out districts with taxation authority as a subset of all the special districts.²² The table below summarizes the top five specialized functions out of the 78 specialized functions of the 1,922 special districts²³:

Special District Function	Number
Community Development	899
Community Redevelopment	223
Housing Authority	91
Drainage and/or Water Control	82
Fire Control and Rescue	63

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

The bill deletes s. 112.313(7)(a)1, F.S., which provides a limited exemption from the conflicting employment or contractual relationship prohibition in s. 112.313(7)(a), F.S. As a result, the 1) special tax districts created by general or special law and limited specifically to constructing, maintaining, managing, and financing improvements in the land area over which the agency has jurisdiction, and 2) drainage and water control districts, will be subject to the same conflicting employment or contractual relationship prohibition that applies to other agencies. That prohibition provides that a public officer or employee may not hold any employment or contract with any business entity or agency regulated by or doing business with his or her public agency. A public officer or employee also is prohibited from holding any employment or having a contractual relationship which will create a frequently recurring conflict between the official's private interests and public duties or which will impeded the full and faithful discharge of the official's public duties.

Therefore, public officers and employees of the above special tax districts for land improvements and drainage water control districts would not be able to enter into a contract or employment with an agency or business entity regulated or doing business with his or her public agency. Such contracts or employment would now be deemed a per se conflict and such public officers and employees of the public agency would be subject to the enforcement and penalty provisions for violations of the Code of Ethics, unless a separate exemption or exception under the Code applied.

²¹ See Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, *Official List of Districts: Special Purpose Totals (10)(c)*, <https://www.floridajobs.org/community-planning-and-development/special-districts/special-district-accountability-program/official-list-of-special-districts>. (last visited March 2, 2023)

²² *Id.* (The Florida Department of Economic Opportunity's Official List of Special Districts located on its website allows visitors to generate customized lists of special districts but provides the following disclaimer, "Special Purpose Totals: Be aware that many special districts have similar purposes but are grouped separately because they were established under different statutes . . . Additionally, many special districts have more than one special purpose; therefore, adding the number of special districts in this category will not provide accurate state totals.")

²³ *Id.*

The bill takes effect July 1, 2023.

IV. Constitutional Issues:

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

D. State Tax or Fee Increases:

None.

E. Other Constitutional Issues:

The bill does not expressly state the effect that eliminating the exemptions found in subsection (7)(a)1. would have on existing contracts based on the existing exemption for certain special tax districts and drainage and water control districts. The bill does not state whether the elimination of the exemption has a prospective or retroactive effect. The bill does not state whether the elimination of the exemption applies only to contracts entered into after July 1, 2023, the bill's effective date, or whether the bill's prohibitions also applies to existing current contracts or employment in effect when the exemption allowed such contracts. If the act applies retroactively, affecting existing contracts by now prohibiting such contracts, and by now subjecting public officers and employees to prosecution for violations under the Code of Ethics, this may raise legal issues under the Contracts Clause of the United States²⁴ and Florida Constitutions.²⁵

The Legislature may wish to clarify whether the bill only applies to employment or contractual relationships entered into after the effective date of the bill.

²⁴ U.S. Const. art. I, s. 10. cl. 1 ("No State shall enter into any Treaty, Alliance, or Confederation; grant Letters of Marque and Reprisal; coin Money; emit Bills of Credit; make any Thing but gold and silver Coin a Tender In Payments of Debts; pass any Bill of Attainder, ex post facto Law, or Law impairing the Obligation of Contracts, or grant any Title of Nobility."); *see Ogden v. Saunders*, 25 U.S. (12 Wheat) 213 (1827) (The Constitution seeks to protect private rights from state interference by limiting the states' power to enact legislation that alters existing contract rights.); *see Home Bldg & Loan Ass'n v. Blaisdell*, 290 U.S. 398, 428 (1934) (But, the Supreme Court has held that the Contract Clause does not generally prevent states from enacting laws to protect the welfare of their citizens.)

²⁵ Fla. Const. art. I, s. 10 ("No bill of attainder, ex post facto law or law impairing the obligation of contracts shall be passed.")

V. Fiscal Impact Statement:**A. Tax/Fee Issues:**

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:

Indeterminate, depending on whether the existing limited exemption is enabling employment or contractual relationships that will be prohibited by the repeal of that exemption. Another factor is whether the proposed bill will retroactively affect and prohibit existing employment or contractual relationships allowed under the current exemption and, if so, the number of the existing relationships that will be affected.

C. Government Sector Impact:

None.

VI. Technical Deficiencies:

Line 17 of SB 620 creates a new reference to the conflict of interest law currently found in s. 112.313(7)(a), F.S. Given the longstanding nature of this law and its many references to complaints, formal opinions, and court cases, the Commission on Ethics recommends not renaming s. 112.313(7)(a), F.S. as s. 112.313(7)(a)1, F.S.. Instead, the Commission recommends the Legislature consider, under line 44 of SB 620, renaming the exemption noted as 2, be renamed to 1.²⁶

The proposed changes in this bill to s. 112.313(7)(a) will affect s. 189.031(6), F.S., and s. 190.007(1), F.S., which cross-references the current exemption under s. 112.313(7), F.S. for these special tax districts. The Legislature may wish to also amend these other statutes to address these technical deficiency by deleting references to s. 112.313(7), F.S., from these statutes.²⁷

VII. Related Issues:

SB 620 does not expressly state that the bill applies prospectively, thus, transforming existing employment or contractual relationships, which were not unethical when initiated under the exemption under the current law, into a violation of the Code of Ethics. A question arises regarding administrative enforcement of the Code's penalties against public officials now considered violating the Code by having employment or contractual relationships that are now prohibited under this bill. In a criminal context, such an ex post facto law could implicate

²⁶ See Agency Bill Analysis for Bill HB 199, Conducted by Florida Commission on Ethics, <http://abar.laspbs.state.fl.us/ABAR/Document.aspx?id=30312&yr=2023> (last viewed March 2, 2023) (HB 199 is identical to SB 620)

²⁷ See s. 189.031(6), F.S. ("For purposes of s. 8(h)(2), Art. II of the State Constitution, a board member or a public employee of a special district does not abuse his or her public position if the board member or public employee commits an act or omission that is authorized under s. 112.313(7), (12), (15), or (16) or s. 112. 3143(3)(b)" (Emphasis added)); see s. 190.007(1), F.S. (For purposes of s. 8(h)(2), Art. II of the State Constitution, a board member or a public employee of a district does not abuse his or her public position if the board member or public employee commits an act or omission that is authorized under subsection, s. 112.313(7), (12), (15), or (16), or s. 112.3143(3)(b)," (Emphasis added))

constitutional concerns. Notice issues may arise if administrative enforcement actions are pursued based on these past contracts or employment.

VIII. Statutes Affected:

This bill substantially amends section 112.313, Florida Statutes.

IX. Additional Information:

- A. Committee Substitute – Statement of Changes:
(Summarizing differences between the Committee Substitute and the prior version of the bill.)

None.

- B. Amendments:

None.

This Senate Bill Analysis does not reflect the intent or official position of the bill's introducer or the Florida Senate.



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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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House

The Committee on Ethics and Elections (DiCeglie) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 17 - 51

and insert:

(a) A ~~No~~ public officer or employee of an agency may not
~~shall~~ have or hold any employment or contractual relationship
with any business entity or any agency which is subject to the
regulation of, or is doing business with, an agency of which he
or she is an officer or employee, excluding those organizations
and their officers who, when acting in their official capacity,



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enter into or negotiate a collective bargaining contract with the state or any municipality, county, or other political subdivision of the state; and ~~nor shall~~ an officer or employee of an agency may not have or hold any employment or contractual relationship that will create a continuing or frequently recurring conflict between his or her private interests and the performance of his or her public duties or that would impede the full and faithful discharge of his or her public duties.

1. When the agency referred to is that certain kind of special tax district created by general or special law and is limited specifically to constructing, maintaining, managing, and financing improvements in the land area over which the agency has jurisdiction, or when the agency has been organized pursuant to chapter 298, then employment with, or entering into a contractual relationship with, such business entity by a public officer or employee of such agency may ~~shall~~ not be prohibited by this subsection or be deemed a conflict per se unless the public officer or employee has a material interest in such business entity or obtains a special private gain or loss as a result of such employment or contractual relationship. However, conduct by such officer or employee that is prohibited by, or otherwise frustrates the intent of, this section, including conduct that violates subsection (6), regarding misuse of public position, and conduct that violates subsection (8), regarding disclosure or use of certain information, must ~~shall~~ be deemed a conflict of interest in violation of the standards of conduct set forth by this section.

2. When the agency referred to is a legislative body and the regulatory power over the business entity resides in another



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agency, or when the regulatory power which the legislative body exercises over the business entity or agency is strictly through the enactment of laws or ordinances, then employment or a contractual relationship with such business entity by a public officer or employee of a legislative body shall not be prohibited by this subsection or be deemed a conflict.

Section 2. Section 112.3142, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

112.3142 Ethics training for specified constitutional officers, elected municipal officers, ~~and~~ commissioners, and elected local officers of independent special districts.—

(1) As used in this section, the term “constitutional officers” includes the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, the Attorney General, the Chief Financial Officer, the Commissioner of Agriculture, state attorneys, public defenders, sheriffs, tax collectors, property appraisers, supervisors of elections, clerks of the circuit court, county commissioners, district school board members, and superintendents of schools.

(2)(a) All constitutional officers must complete 4 hours of ethics training each calendar year which addresses, at a minimum, s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution, the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees, and the public records and public meetings laws of this state. This requirement may be satisfied by completion of a continuing legal education class or other continuing professional education class, seminar, or presentation if the required subjects are covered.

(b) All elected municipal officers must complete 4 hours of ethics training each calendar year which addresses, at a minimum, s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution, the Code of



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Ethics for Public Officers and Employees, and the public records and public meetings laws of this state. This requirement may be satisfied by completion of a continuing legal education class or other continuing professional education class, seminar, or presentation if the required subjects are covered.

(c) Beginning January 1, 2020, each commissioner of a community redevelopment agency created under part III of chapter 163 must complete 4 hours of ethics training each calendar year which addresses, at a minimum, s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution, the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees, and the public records and public meetings laws of this state. This requirement may be satisfied by completion of a continuing legal education class or other continuing professional education class, seminar, or presentation, if the required subject material is covered by the class.

(d) Beginning January 1, 2024, each elected local officer of an independent special district as defined in s. 189.012 and each person who is appointed to fill a vacancy for an unexpired term of such elective office must complete 4 hours of ethics training each calendar year which addresses, at a minimum, s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution, the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees, and the public records and public meetings laws of this state. This requirement may be satisfied by completion of a continuing legal education class or other continuing professional education class, seminar, or presentation, if the required subject matter is covered by such class, seminar, or presentation.

(e) The commission shall adopt rules establishing minimum course content for the portion of an ethics training class which



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addresses s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution and the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees.

(f)~~(e)~~ The Legislature intends that a constitutional officer, an ~~or~~ elected municipal officer, or an elected local officer of an independent special district who is required to complete ethics training pursuant to this section receive the required training as close as possible to the date that he or she assumes office. A constitutional officer, an ~~or~~ elected municipal officer, or an elected local officer of an independent special district assuming a new office or new term of office on or before March 31 must complete the annual training on or before December 31 of the year in which the term of office began. A constitutional officer, or ~~or~~ elected municipal officer, or elected local officer of an independent special district assuming a new office or new term of office after March 31 is not required to complete ethics training for the calendar year in which the term of office began.

(3) Each house of the Legislature shall provide for ethics training pursuant to its rules.

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And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 2 - 7

and insert:

An act relating to ethics for public officers and employees; amending s. 112.313, F.S.; revising an exception authorizing certain public officers and employees to be employed by, or to enter into contractual relationships with, specified agencies;



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127 revising which actions by such officers or employees
128 are deemed a conflict of interest; amending s.
129 112.3142, F.S.; requiring certain ethics training for
130 elected local officers of independent special
131 districts beginning on a specified date; specifying
132 requirements for such training; conforming provisions
133 to changes made by the act;

By Senator DiCeglie

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to conflicting employment or contractual relationships for public officers or employees; amending s. 112.313, F.S.; deleting an exception authorizing certain public officers or employees to be employed by, or to enter into a contractual relationship with, specified agencies; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (7) of section 112.313, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

112.313 Standards of conduct for public officers, employees of agencies, and local government attorneys.—

(7) CONFLICTING EMPLOYMENT OR CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP.—

(a)1. No public officer or employee of an agency shall have or hold any employment or contractual relationship with any business entity or any agency which is subject to the regulation of, or is doing business with, an agency of which he or she is an officer or employee, excluding those organizations and their officers who, when acting in their official capacity, enter into or negotiate a collective bargaining contract with the state or any municipality, county, or other political subdivision of the state; nor shall an officer or employee of an agency have or hold any employment or contractual relationship that will create a continuing or frequently recurring conflict between his or her private interests and the performance of his or her public duties or that would impede the full and faithful discharge of

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his or her public duties.

~~1. When the agency referred to is that certain kind of special tax district created by general or special law and is limited specifically to constructing, maintaining, managing, and financing improvements in the land area over which the agency has jurisdiction, or when the agency has been organized pursuant to chapter 298, then employment with, or entering into a contractual relationship with, such business entity by a public officer or employee of such agency shall not be prohibited by this subsection or be deemed a conflict per se. However, conduct by such officer or employee that is prohibited by, or otherwise frustrates the intent of, this section shall be deemed a conflict of interest in violation of the standards of conduct set forth by this section.~~

2. When the agency referred to is a legislative body and the regulatory power over the business entity resides in another agency, or when the regulatory power which the legislative body exercises over the business entity or agency is strictly through the enactment of laws or ordinances, then employment or a contractual relationship with such business entity by a public officer or employee of a legislative body shall not be prohibited by this subsection or be deemed a conflict.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.

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BILL ANALYSIS AND FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

Prepared By: The Professional Staff of the Committee on Ethics and Elections

BILL: CS/SB 666

INTRODUCER: Ethics and Elections Committee and Senator Collins

SUBJECT: Form of Candidate Oath

DATE: March 8, 2023

REVISED: _____

	ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1.	Biehl	Roberts	EE	Fav/CS
2.			JU	
3.			RC	

Please see Section IX. for Additional Information:

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE - Substantial Changes

I. Summary:

CS/SB 666 revises the oath format for certain candidates for office. Current law requires each candidate for a Florida office to sign a written oath or affirmation that includes, in part, the candidate's address. This bill specifies that the address in the oath or affirmation for a non-federal office must be the candidate's address *of legal residence*.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2023.

II. Present Situation:

The Florida Constitution and statutory Election Code¹ specify a number of requirements candidates for public office must satisfy. Those requirements include, but are not limited to, a signed oath or affirmation and certain residency requirements.

Oath or Affirmation

Each candidate for an elected office in Florida must take and subscribe to in writing an oath or affirmation.² Current law specifies oath formats for a candidate for federal office,³ a candidate

¹ Chapters 97-106, F.S.

² Sections 99.021(1)(a) and 105.031(4), F.S.

³ Section 99.021(1)(a)2., F.S.

for a non-federal office other than a judicial office,⁴ and a candidate for a state judicial office.⁵ Every oath or affirmation must be signed by the candidate in front of the filing officer and must contain his or her address.

The oath or affirmation for a non-federal office must, in substance:

- Provide the name of the office for which the candidate is running;
- Affirm that the candidate is a qualified elector of the county or court jurisdiction, as applicable;
- Affirm that the candidate is qualified under the State Constitution and laws of Florida to hold the office for which he or she is running;
- Affirm that the candidate has not qualified for any other public office in the state for which the term runs concurrently and that he or she has resigned from any office from which he or she is required to resign;⁶ and
- Affirm that the candidate will support the constitutions of the United States and the State of Florida.⁷

Residency

Many elected offices require that the public officials holding them live within a specified district or area. Unless otherwise provided for constitutionally, legislatively, or judicially, any residency requirement for an elected office must be met at the time of assuming office.⁸ Some offices with specified residency requirements are below.

Office	Point at Which Residency Requirement Must be Met
City commissioner	At time of assuming office, unless otherwise provided by city charter or ordinance ⁹
Congressional member (U.S. Senator or U.S. Representative)	At time of election ¹⁰
County commissioner	At time of election ¹¹
Constitutional county officers (clerk of court, supervisor of elections, property tax appraiser, sheriff)	At time of assuming office ¹²

⁴ Section 99.021(1)(a)1., F.S.

⁵ Section 105.031(4)(b), F.S.

⁶ Section 99.012(3)(a), F.S., states, “No officer may qualify as a candidate for another state, district, county, or municipal public office if the terms or any part thereof run concurrently with each other without resigning from the office he or she presently holds.”

⁷ Sections 99.021(1)(a)1. and 105.031(4), F.S.

⁸ “Guidelines for Determining When Residency Qualifications for Elected Office Must be Met,” Florida Division of Elections, DE Reference Guide 0008, updated 10/2018.

⁹ See *Nichols v. State*, 177 So.2d 467 (Fla. 1965); *Marina v. Leahy*, 578 So.2d 382; and Division of Elections opinions 94-04 and 92-10.

¹⁰ Article 1, ss. 2 and 3, U.S. CONST.

¹¹ See *State v. Grassi*, 532 So.2d 1055 (Fla. 1988); Art. VII, s. 1(e), FLA. CONST.; Division of Elections opinions 92-10 and 94-04; and Attorney General Opinion 74-293.

¹² See Division of Elections opinions 90-30, 92-10, and 94-04.

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Cabinet member	At time of election ¹³
Judge	At time of assuming office ¹⁴
State legislators	At time of election ¹⁵
School board members	At time of qualifying ¹⁶
School superintendent	At time of assuming office ¹⁷

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

The bill amends the oath formats for a candidate for a non-federal office other than a judicial office and for a candidate for state judicial office to specify that the included address must be the candidate's address *of legal residence*.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2023.

IV. Constitutional Issues:

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

D. State Tax or Fee Increases:

None.

E. Other Constitutional Issues:

None.

V. Fiscal Impact Statement:

A. Tax/Fee Issues:

None.

¹³ Article IV, s. 5, FLA. CONST.

¹⁴ See Art. V, s. 8, FLA. CONST.; and Division of Elections opinions 78-31 and 94-04.

¹⁵ See *Ruiz v. Farias*, 43 So.3d 124 (Fla. 3DCA 2010).

¹⁶ See ss. 1001.34 and 1001.361, F.S.; and Division of Elections opinions 82-02 and 94-04.

¹⁷ See Division of Elections opinion 94-04.

B. Private Sector Impact:

None.

C. Government Sector Impact:

None.

VI. Technical Deficiencies:

None.

VII. Related Issues:

Some candidates for office and elected officials may be entitled to protect their home addresses from disclosure under public-records laws.¹⁸

VIII. Statutes Affected:

This bill substantially amends the following sections of the Florida Statutes: 99.021 and 105.031.

IX. Additional Information:**A. Committee Substitute – Statement of Substantial Changes:**

(Summarizing differences between the Committee Substitute and the prior version of the bill.)

CS by Ethics and Elections on March 7, 2023:

The CS makes the same change to the oath for judicial candidates – requiring that the listed address be the address *of legal residence* – that the underlying bill makes to the oath for candidates for other state offices.

B. Amendments:

None.

This Senate Bill Analysis does not reflect the intent or official position of the bill's introducer or the Florida Senate.

¹⁸ The State Constitution and Florida Statutes require disclosure of public records upon request unless a legislatively created exemption applies (Art. I, s. 24(a), FLA. CONST., and s. 119.07(1)(a), F.S.). Section 119.071(4)(d), F.S., exempts from public disclosure the personal identification and location information of a number of public officials and employees, their spouses, and their children. Examples of personnel whose information is protected under the exemptions include, but are not limited to, justices and judges, law enforcement officers, state attorneys, and public defenders.



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The Committee on Ethics and Elections (Collins) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 67 and 68
insert:

Section 2. Paragraph (b) of subsection (4) of section
105.031, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

105.031 Qualification; filing fee; candidate's oath; items
required to be filed.—

(4) CANDIDATE'S OATH.—

(b) All candidates for judicial office shall subscribe to



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an oath or affirmation in writing to be filed with the appropriate qualifying officer upon qualifying. A printed copy of the oath or affirmation shall be furnished to the candidate by the qualifying officer and shall be in substantially the following form:

State of Florida

County of

Before me, an officer authorized to administer oaths, personally appeared ...(please print name as you wish it to appear on the ballot)..., to me well known, who, being sworn, says he or she: is a candidate for the judicial office of; that his or her legal residence is County, Florida; that he or she is a qualified elector of the state and of the territorial jurisdiction of the court to which he or she seeks election; that he or she is qualified under the constitution and laws of Florida to hold the judicial office to which he or she desires to be elected or in which he or she desires to be retained; that he or she has qualified for no other public office in the state, the term of which office or any part thereof runs concurrent to the office he or she seeks; that he or she has resigned from any office which he or she is required to resign pursuant to s. 99.012, Florida Statutes; and that he or she will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Florida.

...(Signature of candidate)...

...(Address of legal residence)...



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Sworn to and subscribed before me this day of,
...(year)...., at County, Florida.

...(Signature and title of officer administering oath)...

===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 5

and insert:

candidate oath; amending s. 105.031, F.S.; revising
the address that judicial candidates must provide on
the form of candidate oath; providing an effective
date.

By Senator Collins

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 2 An act relating to the form of candidate oath;
 3 amending s. 99.021, F.S.; revising the address that
 4 certain candidates must provide on the form of
 5 candidate oath; providing an effective date.
 6
 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
 8
 9 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section
 10 99.021, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
 11 99.021 Form of candidate oath.—
 12 (1)(a)1. Each candidate, whether a party candidate, a
 13 candidate with no party affiliation, or a write-in candidate, in
 14 order to qualify for nomination or election to any office other
 15 than a judicial office as defined in chapter 105 or a federal
 16 office, shall take and subscribe to an oath or affirmation in
 17 writing. A copy of the oath or affirmation shall be made
 18 available to the candidate by the officer before whom such
 19 candidate seeks to qualify and shall be substantially in the
 20 following form:
 21 State of Florida
 22 County of....
 23 Before me, an officer authorized to administer oaths,
 24 personally appeared ...(please print name as you wish it to
 25 appear on the ballot)..., to me well known, who, being sworn,
 26 says that he or she is a candidate for the office of; that
 27 he or she is a qualified elector of County, Florida; that
 28 he or she is qualified under the Constitution and the laws of
 29 Florida to hold the office to which he or she desires to be

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30 nominated or elected; that he or she has qualified for no other
 31 public office in the state, the term of which office or any part
 32 thereof runs concurrent with that of the office he or she seeks;
 33 that he or she has resigned from any office from which he or she
 34 is required to resign pursuant to s. 99.012, Florida Statutes;
 35 and that he or she will support the Constitution of the United
 36 States and the Constitution of the State of Florida.
 37 ...(Signature of candidate)...
 38 ...(Address of legal residence)...
 39 Sworn to and subscribed before me this day of,
 40 ...(year)..., at County, Florida.
 41 ...(Signature and title of officer administering oath)...
 42 2. Each candidate for federal office, whether a party
 43 candidate, a candidate with no party affiliation, or a write-in
 44 candidate, in order to qualify for nomination or election to
 45 office shall take and subscribe to an oath or affirmation in
 46 writing. A copy of the oath or affirmation shall be made
 47 available to the candidate by the officer before whom such
 48 candidate seeks to qualify and shall be substantially in the
 49 following form:
 50 State of Florida
 51 County of
 52 Before me, an officer authorized to administer oaths,
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 56 he or she is qualified under the Constitution and laws of the
 57 United States to hold the office to which he or she desires to
 58 be nominated or elected; that he or she has qualified for no

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59 other public office in the state, the term of which office or
60 any part thereof runs concurrent with that of the office he or
61 she seeks; and that he or she will support the Constitution of
62 the United States.

63 ... (Signature of candidate)...

64 ... (Address)...

65 Sworn to and subscribed before me this day of,

66 ...(year)..., at County, Florida.

67 ... (Signature and title of officer administering oath)...

68 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.



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Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1100

SENATOR JAY COLLINS

14th District

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March 7, 2023

Senator Burgess,

Please allow Senator Ingoglia to present SB 666: Form of Candidate Oath in Ethics and Elections on my behalf today March, 7, 2023.

Thank you for your consideration,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jay Collins", with a horizontal line underneath.

Jay Collins
Senator, District 14

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The Florida Senate
BILL ANALYSIS AND FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

Prepared By: The Professional Staff of the Committee on Ethics and Elections

BILL: SB 444

INTRODUCER: Senator Ingoglia

SUBJECT: District School Board Elections

DATE: March 7, 2023

REVISED: _____

	ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1.	Biehl	Roberts	EE	Favorable
2.			ED	
3.			RC	

I. Summary:

SB 444 revises the residency requirement for school board candidates. Current law requires a candidate for school board to be a resident of the district in which he or she seeks election at the time he or she qualifies to run for the office. This bill changes the time at which the residency requirement must be met to the time at which an elected school board member assumes office.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2023.

II. Present Situation:

Many elected offices require that the public officials holding them live within a specified district or area. Unless otherwise provided for constitutionally, legislatively, or judicially, any residency requirement for an elected office must be met at the time of assuming office.¹ Some offices with specified residency requirements are below.

Office	Point at Which Residency Requirement Must be Met
City commissioner	At time of assuming office, unless otherwise provided by city charter or ordinance ²
Congressional member (U.S. Senator or U.S. Representative)	At time of election ³
County commissioner	At time of election ⁴

¹ “Guidelines for Determining When Residency Qualifications for Elected Office Must be Met,” Florida Division of Elections, DE Reference Guide 0008, updated 10/2018.

² See *Nichols v. State*, 177 So.2d 467 (Fla. 1965); *Marina v. Leahy*, 578 So.2d 382; and Division of Elections opinions 94-04 and 92-10.

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⁴ See *State v. Grassi*, 532 So.2d 1055 (Fla. 1988); Art. VII, s. 1(e), FLA. CONST.; Division of Elections opinions 92-10 and 94-04; and Attorney General Opinion 74-293.

Constitutional county officers (clerk of court, supervisor of elections, property tax appraiser, sheriff)	At time of assuming office ⁵
Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Cabinet member	At time of election ⁶
Judge	At time of assuming office ⁷
State legislators	At time of election ⁸
School board members	At time of qualifying ⁹
School superintendent	At time of assuming office ¹⁰

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

The bill brings the residency requirement for school board members more in line with those for other offices by providing that a school board member must meet the residency requirement at the time he or she assumes office.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2023.

IV. Constitutional Issues:

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

D. State Tax or Fee Increases:

None.

E. Other Constitutional Issues:

None.

⁵ See Division of Elections opinions 90-30, 92-10, and 94-04.

⁶ Article IV, s. 5, FLA. CONST.

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⁹ See ss. 1001.34 and 1001.361, F.S.; and Division of Elections opinions 82-02 and 94-04.

¹⁰ See Division of Elections opinion 94-04.

V. Fiscal Impact Statement:**A. Tax/Fee Issues:**

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:

None.

C. Government Sector Impact:

None.

VI. Technical Deficiencies:

None.

VII. Related Issues:

None.

VIII. Statutes Affected:

This bill substantially amends section 1001.361, Florida Statutes.

IX. Additional Information:**A. Committee Substitute – Statement of Changes:**

(Summarizing differences between the Committee Substitute and the prior version of the bill.)

None.

B. Amendments:

None.

By Senator Ingoglia

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to district school board elections; amending s. 1001.361, F.S.; providing that an elected candidate for district school board must reside in the district school board member residence area by the date she or he assumes office instead of upon qualifying for office; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Section 1001.361, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1001.361 Election of board by districtwide vote.— Notwithstanding any provision of local law or any county charter, the election of members of the district school board must ~~shall~~ be by vote of the qualified electors of the entire district in a nonpartisan election as provided in chapter 105. Each elected candidate for district school board member must ~~shall, by the date at the time~~ she or he assumes office ~~qualifies~~, be a resident of the district school board member residence area from which she or he was elected ~~the candidate seeks election~~. Each candidate who qualifies to have her or his name placed on the ballot must ~~shall~~ be listed according to the district school board member residence area in which she or he is a candidate ~~resides~~. Each qualified elector of the district is ~~shall be~~ entitled to vote for one candidate from each district school board member residence area. The candidate from each district school board member residence area who receives

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the highest number of votes in the general election shall be elected to the district school board.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.

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COMMITTEE MEETING PACKET TAB

Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Hodges, David C., Jr.

Appointed: 06/17/2022

Term: 06/17/2022 – 09/30/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: Jacksonville/Duval

Office: Jacksonville Aviation Authority, Member

Authority: 05-328 & 04-464, L.O.F.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 2/14/23
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/27/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)	X		See Below
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Chair of Hodges Management Group

Compensation: Members are entitled to payment of reasonable expenses as provided by the council of the City of Jacksonville.

Requirements: The authority shall consist of seven members:

- Four appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate
- Three appointed by the Mayor of the City of Jacksonville and confirmed by the Jacksonville City Council

Additional Requirements: Members shall serve four year terms. Members shall initially serve staggered terms with two gubernatorial appointments and two mayoral appointments being for initial two year terms, which shall count as a full term for the purpose of term limits herein. Terms commence on October 1 of the year of the appointment or for the unexpired portion of a term deemed to commence on October 1. Members shall not be eligible for more than two consecutive full terms. Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 18 - Mr. Hodges served on the Jacksonville Housing Authority, 2010-2012.

The Florida Senate
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Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Evans, John

Term: 04/17/2022 – 04/16/2026

City/County: Winter Park/Orange

Office: Greater Orlando Aviation Authority, Member

Authority: 98-491, s. 3(1), L.O.F.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Appointed: 01/14/2022

Prior Term: 03/12/2021 - 04/16/2022

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 7/8/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/27/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office			Not Applicable
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Executive Director of Focinar Communications, LLC

Attendance: Attended 24 of 26 meetings (92%) from March 12, 2021 through August 18, 2022.

Compensation: Reimbursed for reasonable out-of-pocket, travel and per diem expenses incurred while attending authority meetings, other meetings on behalf of the authority, or while engaged in the business of the authority.

Requirements: The authority consists of seven members who shall be elected or appointed as follows:

- One incumbent member of the Orlando City Council;
- One incumbent member of the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County;
- Five members appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate, including:
 - three members who are residents and electors of Orange County;
 - one member who is a resident and elector of Osceola County; and,
 - one member who is a resident and elector of Orange or Seminole County.

Members may not be employees of the City of Orlando or Orange County. No person transacting business with the authority, or who can be reasonably expected to transact business with the authority, for himself or as an employee of, agent for, or consultant to any other person or legal entity shall be appointed to the authority. Each appointed member of the authority shall be a person of integrity, responsibility and business ability and who is competent and knowledgeable in one or more fields including, but not limited to: public affairs, law, economics, accounting, engineering, finance, natural resource conservation, energy or another field substantially related to the functions and duties of the authority. It is desirable, but not essential, that one or more appointed members be experienced in some aviation-related field.

Additional Terms are for four years.

Requirements: Members may be reappointed; except no member shall serve more than two consecutive terms or eight consecutive years, whichever is greater. Required to file Form 1 with SOE's office.

Notes: Number 8 - Resident of Orange County

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Good, M. Carson

Appointed: 01/14/2022

Term: 04/17/2022 – 04/16/2026

Prior Term: 02/28/2019 - 04/16/2022

City/County: Winter Park/Orange

Office: Greater Orlando Aviation Authority, Member

Authority: 98-491, s. 3(1), L.O.F.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 8/8/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	See Below
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)	X		See Below
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Managing Director of Jones Lang LaSalle, (real estate services)

Attendance: Attended 50 of 50 meetings (100%) from February 28, 2019 through September 22, 2022.

Compensation: Reimbursed for reasonable out-of-pocket, travel and per diem expenses incurred while attending authority meetings, other meetings on behalf of the authority, or while engaged in the business of the authority.

Requirements: The authority consists of seven members who shall be elected or appointed as follows:

- One incumbent member of the Orlando City Council;
- One incumbent member of the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County;
- Five members appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate, including:
 - three members who are residents and electors of Orange County;
 - one member who is a resident and elector of Osceola County; and,
 - one member who is a resident and elector of Orange or Seminole County.

Members may not be employees of the City of Orlando or Orange County. No person transacting business with the authority, or who can be reasonably expected to transact business with the authority, for himself or as an employee of, agent for, or consultant to any other person or legal entity shall be appointed to the authority. Each appointed member of the authority shall be a person of integrity, responsibility and business ability and who is competent and knowledgeable in one or more fields including, but not limited to: public affairs, law, economics, accounting, engineering, finance, natural resource conservation, energy or another field substantially related to the functions and duties of the authority. It is desirable, but not essential, that one or more appointed members be experienced in some aviation-related field.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.
Members may be reappointed; except no member shall serve more than two consecutive terms or eight consecutive years, whichever is greater. Required to file Form 1 with SOE's office.

Notes: Number 8 - Resident & Elector of Orange County
Number 9 - The FDLE reported Mr. Good was charged with driving with a suspended license on 10/15/1986, in Marion County Florida. He pled nolo contendere and adjudication was withheld. He paid court costs and his driver's license was suspended. Mr. Good reported this violation and his driver's license is currently active.
Number 18 - Mr. Good served on the Orange County Planning and Zoning Commission, 2003-2009. Mr. Good served on the Orange County Parks and Recreation Board, 2009-2012.

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Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Decker, Jane

Appointed: 04/29/2022

Term: 04/29/2022 – 10/31/2024

Prior Term:

City/County: Miami/Miami-Dade

Office: Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, Member

Authority: 468.605, F.S. & 20.165(4)(a)4, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 2/1/23
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)	X		See Below
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Building Department Director for the City of Doral (Local Government)

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The nine-member board consists of:

- One member who is an architect licensed pursuant to chapter 481, one engineer licensed pursuant to chapter 471, or a contractor licensed pursuant to chapter 489 and who is not employed by a municipal, county, or state government agency;
- Two members serving as building code administrators;
- Two members serving as building code inspectors;
- One member serving as a plans examiner;
- One member who is a representative of a city or a charter county; and
- Two consumer members who are not, and have never been, members of a profession regulated under this part, chapters 471, 481, or 489, and neither of whom is an employee of a municipal, county, or state governmental agency.

One consumer member must be a person with a disability or a representative of an organization which represents persons with disabilities.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years. Terms expire on October 31. No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

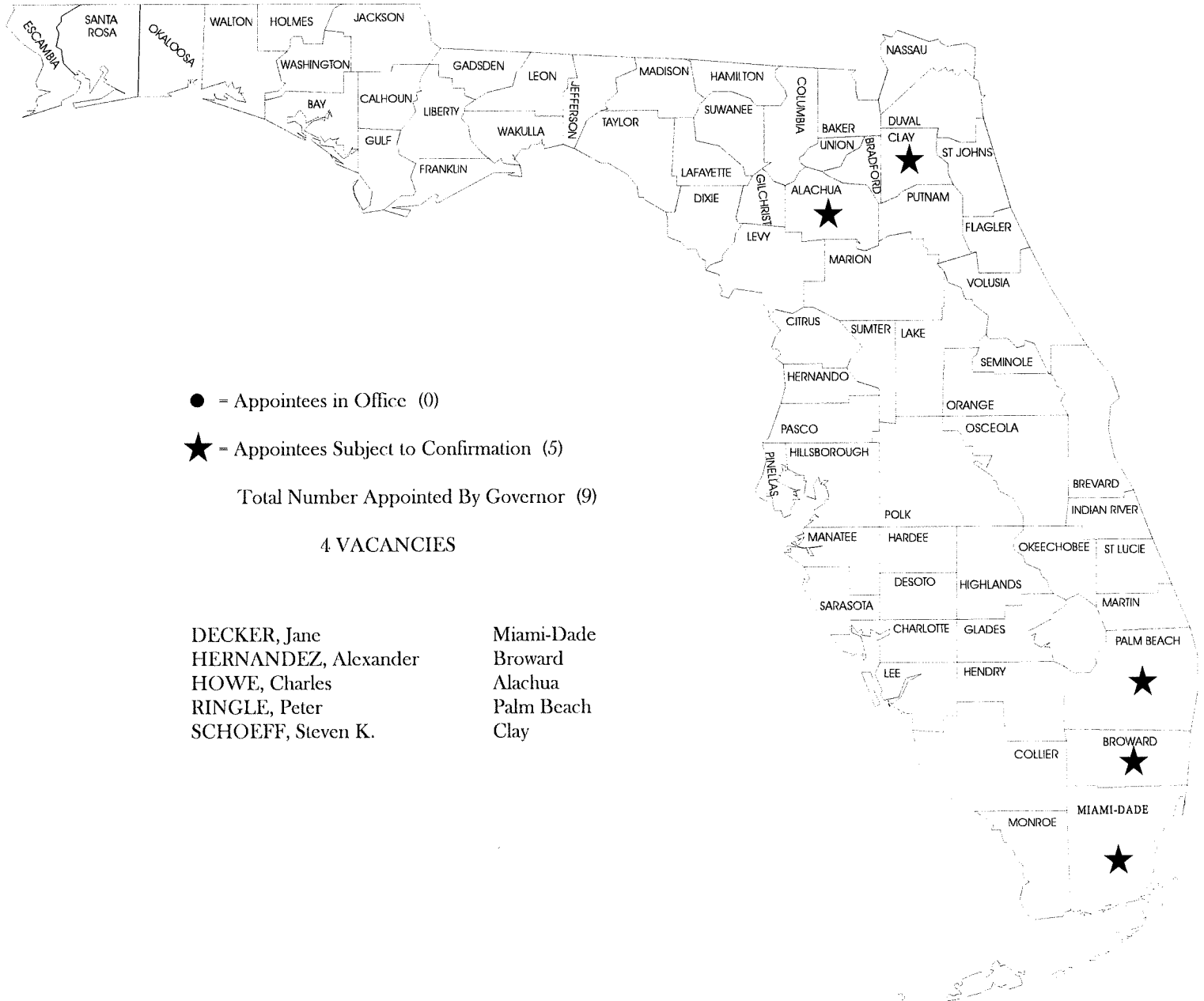
Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Building Code Administrator

Number 15 - Mrs. Decker disclosed that her current employer, City of Doral, participates in many outside agency and local contracts, but as the head of a regulatory agency, she is not involved in city administration.

Number 19 - Mrs. Decker was the Inspector Plans Examiner Chief for the City of Doral, 2012-2015. Mrs. Decker was the Assistant Director for the City of Doral, 2015-2021. Mrs. Decker is the Building Director for the City of Doral, since 2021.

Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Hernandez, Alexander

Appointed: 04/29/2022

Term: 04/29/2022 – 10/31/2023

Prior Term:

City/County: Coral Springs/Broward

Office: Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, Member

Authority: 468.605, F.S. & 20.165(4)(a)4, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/2/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report		X	
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Chief Building Official for the City of Coral Springs

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The nine-member board consists of:

- One member who is an architect licensed pursuant to chapter 481, one engineer licensed pursuant to chapter 471, or a contractor licensed pursuant to chapter 489 and who is not employed by a municipal, county, or state government agency;
- Two members serving as building code administrators;
- Two members serving as building code inspectors;
- One member serving as a plans examiner;
- One member who is a representative of a city or a charter county; and
- Two consumer members who are not, and have never been, members of a profession regulated under this part, chapters 471, 481, or 489, and neither of whom is an employee of a municipal, county, or state governmental agency.

One consumer member must be a person with a disability or a representative of an organization which represents persons with disabilities.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years. Terms expire on October 31. No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Inspector

Number 19 - Mr. Hernandez is the Chief Building Official for the City of Coral Springs, since 2015. Mr. Hernandez was the Chief Mechanical Inspector for the City of Fort Lauderdale, 1993-2015.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Howe, Charles

Appointed: 04/29/2022

Term: 04/29/2022 – 10/31/2024

Prior Term:

City/County: Gainesville/Alachua

Office: Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, Member

Authority: 468.605, F.S. & 20.165(4)(a)4, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/16/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/24/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Plans Examiner II for the City of Gainesville

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The nine-member board consists of:

- One member who is an architect licensed pursuant to chapter 481, one engineer licensed pursuant to chapter 471, or a contractor licensed pursuant to chapter 489 and who is not employed by a municipal, county, or state government agency;
- Two members serving as building code administrators;
- Two members serving as building code inspectors;
- One member serving as a plans examiner;
- One member who is a representative of a city or a charter county; and
- Two consumer members who are not, and have never been, members of a profession regulated under this part, chapters 471, 481, or 489, and neither of whom is an employee of a municipal, county, or state governmental agency.

One consumer member must be a person with a disability or a representative of an organization which represents persons with disabilities.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years. Terms expire on October 31. No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Plans Examiner

Number 19 - Mr. Howe is the Plans Examiner for the City of Gainesville, since 2017. Mr. Howe was a Deputy Sheriff for Alachua County Sheriff Department, 1983-1993. Mr. Howe was a Police Officer for the City of Waldo, 1981-1983.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Ringle, Peter

Appointed: 04/29/2022

Term: 04/29/2022 – 10/31/2023

Prior Term:

City/County: Lake Worth/Palm Beach

Office: Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, Member

Authority: 468.605, F.S. & 20.165(4)(a)4, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/13/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/24
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)	X		See Below
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)	X		See Below
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Building Official for the City of Lake Worth

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The nine-member board consists of:

- One member who is an architect licensed pursuant to chapter 481, one engineer licensed pursuant to chapter 471, or a contractor licensed pursuant to chapter 489 and who is not employed by a municipal, county, or state government agency;
- Two members serving as building code administrators;
- Two members serving as building code inspectors;
- One member serving as a plans examiner;
- One member who is a representative of a city or a charter county; and
- Two consumer members who are not, and have never been, members of a profession regulated under this part, chapters 471, 481, or 489, and neither of whom is an employee of a municipal, county, or state governmental agency.

One consumer member must be a person with a disability or a representative of an organization which represents persons with disabilities.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years. Terms expire on October 31. No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Building Inspector w/o managerial authority
Number 17 - Mr. Ringle is serving on the Palm Beach County Construction Industry Licensing Board, since 2017. Mr. Ringle is serving on Palm Beach County Building Code Advisory Board, since 2019.
Number 18 - Mr. Ringle served on the Palm Beach County Construction Industry Licensing Board, 2017- 2022.
Number 19 - Mr. Ringle is currently the Building Official for the City of Lake Worth Beach, since 2018. Mr. Ringle was the Building Official for the Village of North Palm Beach, 2016-2018.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Schoeff, Steven K.

Appointed: 04/29/2022

Term: 04/29/2022 – 10/31/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: Keystone Heights/Clay

Office: Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board, Member

Authority: 468.605, F.S. & 20.165(4)(a)4, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/13/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/24/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	See Below
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Building Official for Clay County Board of County Commissioners

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The nine-member board consists of:

- One member who is an architect licensed pursuant to chapter 481, one engineer licensed pursuant to chapter 471, or a contractor licensed pursuant to chapter 489 and who is not employed by a municipal, county, or state government agency;
- Two members serving as building code administrators;
- Two members serving as building code inspectors;
- One member serving as a plans examiner;
- One member who is a representative of a city or a charter county; and
- Two consumer members who are not, and have never been, members of a profession regulated under this part, chapters 471, 481, or 489, and neither of whom is an employee of a municipal, county, or state governmental agency.

One consumer member must be a person with a disability or a representative of an organization which represents persons with disabilities.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years. Terms expire on October 31. No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Building Code Administrator
Number 14 - The Department of Business and Professional Regulation reported and Mr. Schoeff disclosed a citation was issued on his Residential Contractor license from 2000. Mr. Schoeff was fined \$500 for failing to provide proof of 14 hours of CEU's, workers' compensation insurance, public liability and property damage insurance.
Number 19 - Mr. Schoeff is the Building Code Administrator for Clay County Board of County Commissioners, since 2008.

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MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Florida Building Commission



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Swope, Brian

Appointed: 05/20/2022

Term: 05/20/2022 – 05/01/2023

Prior Term: 12/18/2015 - 5/01/2019

City/County: Wesley Chapel/Pasco

Office: Florida Building Commission, Member

Authority: 553.74, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/31/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/26/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: President of Tampa Roofing Company

Attendance: Attended 45 of 50 meetings (90%) from December 18, 2015 through July 25, 2022.

Compensation: Members of the board serve without compensation, but shall be entitled to reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses as provided by s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The 19 member commission shall be composed of the following:

- One architect licensed pursuant to chapter 481 with at least 5 years of experience in the design and construction of buildings designated for Group E or Group I occupancies by the Florida Building Code;
- One structural engineer registered to practice in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One air-conditioning contractor, mechanical contractor, or mechanical engineer certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One electrical contractor or electrical engineer certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One certified general contractor or certified building contractor certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One plumbing contractor licensed to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One roofing, sheet metal contractor certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One certified residential contractor licensed to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- Three members who are municipal, county or district codes enforcement officials, one of whom is also a fire official;
- One member of a Florida-based organization of persons with disabilities or a nationally chartered organization of persons with disabilities with chapters in this state which complies with or is certified to be compliant with the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.
- One member of the manufactured buildings industry who is licensed to do business in this state and is actively engaged in the industry;
- One member of the building products manufacturing industry who is authorized to do business in this state and actively engaged in the industry;
- One member who is a representative of the building owners and managers industry who is actively engaged in commercial building ownership or management;
- One member who is a representative of the insurance industry; and,
- One member who is a swimming pool contractor licensed to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession; and
- One member who is a representative of the natural gas distribution system and who is actively engaged in the distribution of natural gas in this state;

Additional Requirements: All appointments shall be for terms of four years.
Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Roofing Contractor

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Tolbert, John T.

Appointed: 05/20/2022

Term: 05/20/2022 – 01/09/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: Navarre/Santa Rosa

Office: Florida Building Commission, Member

Authority: 553.74, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/6/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	See Below
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)	X		See Below
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Building Official for Santa Rosa County

Compensation: Members of the board serve without compensation, but shall be entitled to reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses as provided by s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The 19 member commission shall be composed of the following:

- One architect licensed pursuant to chapter 481 with at least 5 years of experience in the design and construction of buildings designated for Group E or Group I occupancies by the Florida Building Code;
- One structural engineer registered to practice in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One air-conditioning contractor, mechanical contractor, or mechanical engineer certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One electrical contractor or electrical engineer certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One certified general contractor or certified building contractor certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One plumbing contractor licensed to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One roofing, sheet metal contractor certified to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- One certified residential contractor licensed to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession;
- Three members who are municipal, county or district codes enforcement officials, one of whom is also a fire official;
- One member of a Florida-based organization of persons with disabilities or a nationally chartered organization of persons with disabilities with chapters in this state which complies with or is certified to be compliant with the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.
- One member of the manufactured buildings industry who is licensed to do business in this state and is actively engaged in the industry;
- One member of the building products manufacturing industry who is authorized to do business in this state and actively engaged in the industry;
- One member who is a representative of the building owners and managers industry who is actively engaged in commercial building ownership or management;
- One member who is a representative of the insurance industry; and,
- One member who is a swimming pool contractor licensed to do business in this state and actively engaged in the profession; and
- One member who is a representative of the natural gas distribution system and who is actively engaged in the distribution of natural gas in this state;

Additional Requirements: All appointments shall be for terms of four years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Municipal/District Code Enforcement Official-Fire
Number 9 - Mr. Tolbert disclosed he was charged with false accusation of battery in Pensacola on 10/24/2009 and the charges were dropped (Case 2009 CF 005158 A).
Number 18 - Mr. Tolbert served on the Florida Building Commission, 2008-2015.
Number 19 - Mr. Tolbert is currently the Director of Building Services for Escambia County, since 2016. Mr. Tolbert was the Building Official for Santa Rosa County School District, 2011-2014. Mr. Tolbert was the Building Official for Santa Rosa County, 2003-2011.

COMMITTEE MEETING PACKET TAB

Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Groom, Christopher

Appointed: 08/06/2022

Term: 08/05/2022 – 06/30/2023

Prior Term:

City/County: Orlando/Orange

Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member

Authority: 601.04, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/2/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation:

Compensation: Twenty-five dollars for each day traveling to or from meetings, or in transacting other business; reimbursed for per diem and expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

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Notes: Number 8 - Statewide Processor

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Johnson, Steve Allen
 Term: 08/05/2022 – 06/30/2023
 City/County: Wauchula/Hardee
 Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member
 Authority: 601.04, F.S.
 Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Appointed: 08/05/2022
 Prior Term:

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/26/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)	X		See Below
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: President and Owner of Johnson Citrus Harvesting

Compensation: Twenty-five dollars for each day traveling to or from meetings, or in transacting other business; reimbursed for per diem and expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

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Notes: Number 17 - Mr. Johnson is serving on the Hardee Soil & Water Conservation District Board, since 2007.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: McKenna, Martin J.

Appointed: 08/05/2022

Term: 08/05/2022 – 06/30/2024

Prior Term:

City/County: Sebring/Highlands

Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member

Authority: 601.04, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 8/8/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report		X	
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
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18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: President/Owner of McKenna & Associates Citrus, Inc.

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Notes: Number 8 - District 5

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Meador, Paul Jackson, Jr.

Appointed: 08/05/2022

Term: 08/05/2022 – 05/31/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: LaBelle/Hendry

Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member

Authority: 601.04, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

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- Notes:** Number 9 - The FDLE reported Mr. Meador was charged with reckless driving in Hendry County on 7/2/1994 and was fined \$335.00. Mr. Meador disclosed this violation.
- Number 14 - The DBPR reported an administrative complaint was filed on 4/24/2001. Case No. 2000-80897 alleged Mr. Meador had violated s. 475.25(1)(e) and (m), F.S. for failing to disclose a reckless driving charge on his application for a real estate salesperson license. A stipulated agreement was adopted on 7/20/2001, Mr. Meador was fined \$500, and his real estate license was suspended for three months. The final order was signed on 8/30/2001. Mr. Meador disclosed this charge in his questionnaire and his real estate license are active.
- Number 17 - Mr. Meador is serving on the Hendry County Hospital Board, since 11/2022.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Poulton, William Scott
 Term: 08/05/2022 – 05/31/2025
 City/County: Lakewood Ranch/Manatee
 Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member
 Authority: 601.04, F.S.
 Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Appointed: 08/05/2022
 Prior Term:

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
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2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)	X		See Below
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/30/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 2/3/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Senior Director, Global Procurement, Pepsico/Tropicana

Compensation: Twenty-five dollars for each day traveling to or from meetings, or in transacting other business; reimbursed for per diem and expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

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Notes: Number 6 - Mr. Poulton served in the U.S. Navy, 1988-1992.
Number 8 - Statewide Processor

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Schirard, John Patrick

Term: 08/05/2022 – 06/30/2024

City/County: Vero Beach/Indian River

Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member

Authority: 601.04, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Appointed: 08/05/2022

Prior Term:

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/8/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: CEO of Citrus Extracts, LLC

Compensation: Twenty-five dollars for each day traveling to or from meetings, or in transacting other business; reimbursed for per diem and expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

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Additional Requirements:

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Notes: Number 19 - Mr. Schirard was a Citrus Forecast surveyor for the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services in 1983.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Smoak, John F., III

Appointed: 08/05/2022

Term: 08/05/2022 – 06/30/2023

Prior Term:

City/County: Lake Placid/Highlands

Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member

Authority: 601.04, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/24/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Owner/President of Smoak Groves (Agriculture)

Compensation: Twenty-five dollars for each day traveling to or from meetings, or in transacting other business; reimbursed for per diem and expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

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Notes: Number 8 - District 3

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Sutton, Daniel

Appointed: 08/05/2022

Term: 08/05/2022 – 05/31/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: Alva/Lee

Office: Florida Citrus Commission, Member

Authority: 601.04, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

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8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
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Occupation: President and General Manager of Citrus at Alico Inc.

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Notes: Number 15 - Mr. Sutton disclosed that his employer has contractual relationships with the South Florida Water Management District (dispersed water), the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, and the Department of Emergency Management on block grants.
 Number 17 - Mr. Sutton serves on the Hendry-Hilliard Water Control District, since 2015. Mr. Sutton serves on the Devil's Garden Water Control District, since 2019.
 Number 18 - Mr. Sutton served on the Barron Water Control District, 2007-2014.

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING PACKET TAB

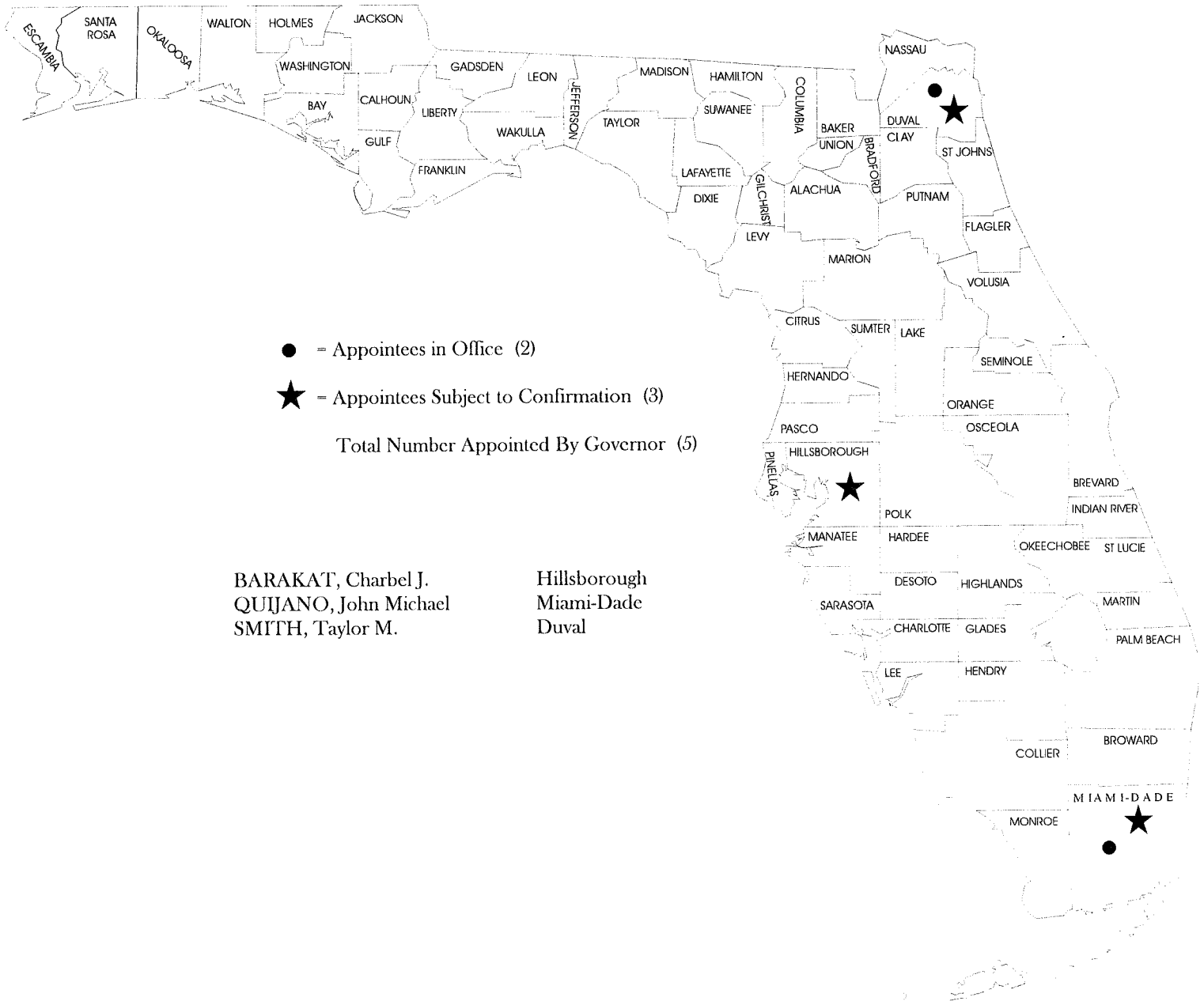
Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Florida Development Finance Corporation



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Barakat, Charbel J.

Appointed: 05/27/2022

Term: 05/27/2022 – 05/02/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: Tampa/Hillsborough

Office: Florida Development Finance Corporation, Member

Authority: 288.9604, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

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Occupation: Chief Counsel for D.R. Horton, Inc.

Compensation: Reimbursed for necessary expenses, including travel expenses, incurred in the discharge of his or her duties.

Requirements: The five-member board of directors shall consist of:

- At least three of the directors of the corporation shall be bankers who have been selected by the Governor from a list of bankers who were nominated by the Enterprise Florida, Inc.
- One director who is an economic development specialist; and
- The chairperson of the Florida Black Business Investment Board shall be an ex officio member of the board of the corporation.

Any person may be appointed as director if he or she resides, or is engaged in business, which means owning a business, practicing a profession, or performing a service for compensation or serving as an officer or director of a corporation or other business entity so engaged, within the state.

Additional Requirements: Terms are four years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Directors are subject to ss. 112.313(1)-(8), (10), (12), and (15); 112.3135; and 112.3143(2). For purposes of applying ss. 112.313(1)-(8), (10), (12), and (15); 112.3135; and 112.3143(2) to activities of directors, directors shall be considered public officers and the corporation shall be considered their agency.

Notes: Number 17 - Mr. Barakat is serving on the Second District Court of Appeals, Judicial Nominating Commission, since 2016.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Quijano, John Michael

Appointed: 05/27/2022

Term: 05/27/2022 – 05/02/2026

Prior Term:

City/County: Miami/Miami-Dade

Office: Florida Development Finance Corporation, Member

Authority: 288.9604, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/18/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/26/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office			Not Applicable
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Director at Insightec, Inc.

Compensation: Reimbursed for necessary expenses, including travel expenses, incurred in the discharge of his or her duties.

Requirements: The five-member board of directors shall consist of:

- At least three of the directors of the corporation shall be bankers who have been selected by the Governor from a list of bankers who were nominated by the Enterprise Florida, Inc.
- One director who is an economic development specialist; and
- The chairperson of the Florida Black Business Investment Board shall be an ex officio member of the board of the corporation.

Any person may be appointed as director if he or she resides, or is engaged in business, which means owning a business, practicing a profession, or performing a service for compensation or serving as an officer or director of a corporation or other business entity so engaged, within the state.

Additional Requirements: Terms are four years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Directors are subject to ss. 112.313(1)-(8), (10), (12), and (15); 112.3135; and 112.3143(2). For purposes of applying ss. 112.313(1)-(8), (10), (12), and (15); 112.3135; and 112.3143(2) to activities of directors, directors shall be considered public officers and the corporation shall be considered their agency.

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Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Smith, Taylor M.

Appointed: 05/27/2022

Term: 05/27/2022 – 05/02/2026

Prior Term:

City/County: Jacksonville/Duval

Office: Florida Development Finance Corporation, Member

Authority: 288.9604, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 9/30/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report		X	
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/27/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)	X		See Below
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Owner of Project Finance & Development, LLC Owner of Ortega Tiger Consulting, Inc.

Compensation: Reimbursed for necessary expenses, including travel expenses, incurred in the discharge of his or her duties.

Requirements: The five-member board of directors shall consist of:

- At least three of the directors of the corporation shall be bankers who have been selected by the Governor from a list of bankers who were nominated by the Enterprise Florida, Inc.
- One director who is an economic development specialist; and
- The chairperson of the Florida Black Business Investment Board shall be an ex officio member of the board of the corporation.

Any person may be appointed as director if he or she resides, or is engaged in business, which means owning a business, practicing a profession, or performing a service for compensation or serving as an officer or director of a corporation or other business entity so engaged, within the state.

Additional Requirements: Terms are four years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Directors are subject to ss. 112.313(1)-(8), (10), (12), and (15); 112.3135; and 112.3143(2). For purposes of applying ss. 112.313(1)-(8), (10), (12), and (15); 112.3135; and 112.3143(2) to activities of directors, directors shall be considered public officers and the corporation shall be considered their agency.

Notes: Number 8 - Economic Development Specialist

Number 18 - Mr. Smith served on the Florida Greenway Commission in 1994. Mr. Smith Served on the Jacksonville Public Library Board, 1992-1993.

Number 19 - Mr. Smith was the Director of Government Affairs for the City of Jacksonville, 1991-1992.

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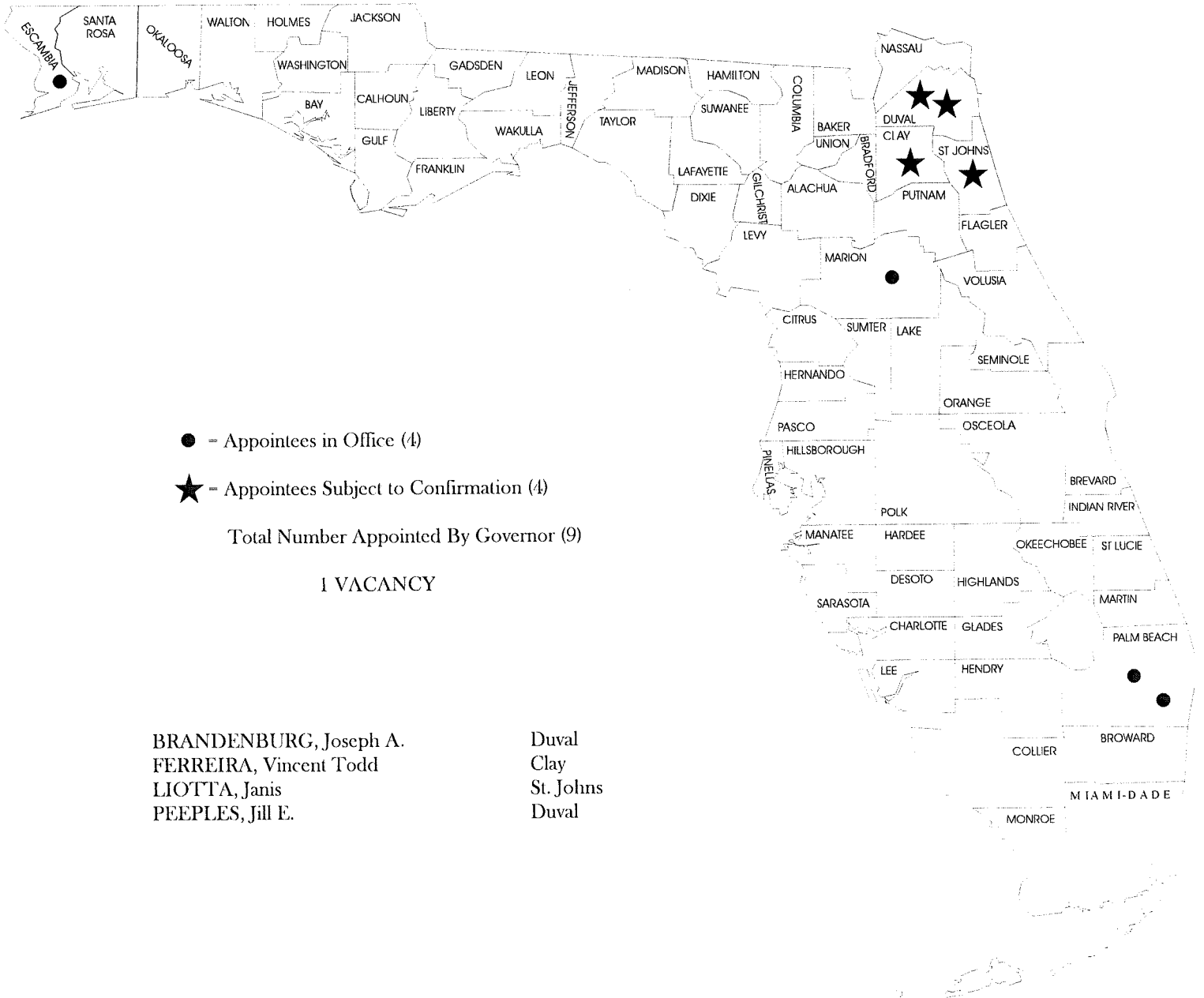
Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Brandenburg, Joseph A.

Appointed: 05/06/2022

Term: 05/06/2022 – 09/30/2025

Prior Term: 11/20/2017 - 09/30/2021

City/County: Jacksonville/Duval

Office: Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Member

Authority: 497.101, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)	X		See Below
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/12/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			No Report
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/26/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: President/Funeral Director & Embalmer/ Hardage-Giddens Funeral Homes

Attendance: Attended 74 of 74 meetings (100%) from November 20, 2017 through July 6, 2022.

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services consists of 10 members,

- Nine of whom shall be appointed by the Governor from nominations made by the Chief Financial Officer and confirmed by the Senate.
 - One member must be the State Health Officer or her or his designee.
 - Two members shall be funeral directors licensed under part III of this chapter who are associated with a funeral establishment.
 - One member shall be a funeral director licensed under part III of this chapter who is associated with a funeral establishment licensed under part III of this chapter that has a valid preneed license issued pursuant to this chapter and who owns or operates a cinerator facility approved under chapter 403 and licensed under part VI of this chapter.
 - Two members shall be persons whose primary occupation is associated with a cemetery company licensed pursuant to this chapter.
 - Three members shall be consumers who are residents of the state have never been licensed as funeral directors or embalmers, are not connected with a cemetery or cemetery company licensed pursuant to this chapter, and are not connected with the death care industry or the practice of embalming, funeral directing, or direct disposition. One of the consumer members shall be at least 60 years of age and one shall be licensed as a certified public accountant under chapter 473.
- One member of the board shall be a principal of a monument establishment licensed under this chapter as a monument builder.

There shall not be two or more board members who are principals or employees of the same company or partnership or group of companies or partnerships under common control.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.

The State Health Officer shall serve as long as that person holds that office. The designee of the State Health Officer shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

When the terms of the initial board members expire, the Chief Financial Officer shall stagger the terms of the successor members as follows: one funeral director, one cemetery representative, the monument dealer, and one consumer member appointed for terms of 2 years, and the remaining members shall be appointed for terms of 4 years. All subsequent terms shall be for 4 years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 6 - Mr. Brandenburg served in the Florida National Guard in 1964.
Number 8 - Mr. Brandenburg is a funeral director and is associated with a funeral establishment with crematory funeral services.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Ferreira, Vincent Todd
Term: 05/06/2022 – 09/30/2025

Appointed: 05/06/2022
Prior Term:

City/County: Starke/Clay

Office: Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Member

Authority: 497.101, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/20/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)	X		See Below
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)	X		See Below
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Owner and President of Ferreira Enterprises, Inc.(Funeral/Cemetary Services) Owner and Managing Mbr of VTF Properties, LLC (Real Estate) Owner and Managing Mbr of Coastal Service, LLC (Real Estate)

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services consists of 10 members,

- Nine of whom shall be appointed by the Governor from nominations made by the Chief Financial Officer and confirmed by the Senate.

- One member must be the State Health Officer or her or his designee.

- Two members shall be funeral directors licensed under part III of this chapter who are associated with a funeral establishment.

- One member shall be a funeral director licensed under part III of this chapter who is associated with a funeral establishment licensed under part III of this chapter that has a valid preneed license issued pursuant to this chapter and who owns or operates a cinerator facility approved under chapter 403 and licensed under part VI of this chapter.

- Two members shall be persons whose primary occupation is associated with a cemetery company licensed pursuant to this chapter.

- Three members shall be consumers who are residents of the state have never been licensed as funeral directors or embalmers, are not connected with a cemetery or cemetery company licensed pursuant to this chapter, and are not connected with the death care industry or the practice of embalming, funeral directing, or direct disposition. One of the consumer members shall be at least 60 years of age and one shall be licensed as a certified public accountant under chapter 473.

One member of the board shall be a principal of a monument establishment licensed under this chapter as a monument builder.

There shall not be two or more board members who are principals or employees of the same company or partnership or group of companies or partnerships under common control.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.

The State Health Officer shall serve as long as that person holds that office. The designee of the State Health Officer shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

When the terms of the initial board members expire, the Chief Financial Officer shall stagger the terms of the successor members as follows: one funeral director, one cemetery representative, the monument dealer, and one consumer member appointed for terms of 2 years, and the remaining members shall be appointed for terms of 4 years. All subsequent terms shall be for 4 years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Cemetary Services

Number 15 - Mr. Ferreira disclosed his business, Ferreira Enterprises, Inc. provides funeral services for indigent patients at the Northeast Florida State Hospital.

Number 17 - Mr. Ferreira serves on the Baker County Hospital Authority, since 2000.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Liotta, Janis

Appointed: 05/06/2022

Term: 05/06/2022 – 09/13/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: St. Augustine/St. Johns

Office: Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Member

Authority: 497.101, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/16/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Director of Income Tax at CSX Transportation, Inc.

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services consists of 10 members,

- Nine of whom shall be appointed by the Governor from nominations made by the Chief Financial Officer and confirmed by the Senate.

- One member must be the State Health Officer or her or his designee.

- Two members shall be funeral directors licensed under part III of this chapter who are associated with a funeral establishment.

- One member shall be a funeral director licensed under part III of this chapter who is associated with a funeral establishment licensed under part III of this chapter that has a valid preneed license issued pursuant to this chapter and who owns or operates a cinerator facility approved under chapter 403 and licensed under part VI of this chapter.

- Two members shall be persons whose primary occupation is associated with a cemetery company licensed pursuant to this chapter.

- Three members shall be consumers who are residents of the state have never been licensed as funeral directors or embalmers, are not connected with a cemetery or cemetery company licensed pursuant to this chapter, and are not connected with the death care industry or the practice of embalming, funeral directing, or direct disposition. One of the consumer members shall be at least 60 years of age and one shall be licensed as a certified public accountant under chapter 473.

One member of the board shall be a principal of a monument establishment licensed under this chapter as a monument builder.

There shall not be two or more board members who are principals or employees of the same company or partnership or group of companies or partnerships under common control.

Additional Terms are for four years.

Requirements:

The State Health Officer shall serve as long as that person holds that office. The designee of the State Health Officer shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

When the terms of the initial board members expire, the Chief Financial Officer shall stagger the terms of the successor members as follows: one funeral director, one cemetery representative, the monument dealer, and one consumer member appointed for terms of 2 years, and the remaining members shall be appointed for terms of 4 years. All subsequent terms shall be for 4 years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Consumer

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Peeples, Jill E.

Term: 05/06/2022 – 09/30/2025

Appointed: 05/06/2022

Prior Term:

City/County: Jacksonville/Duval

Office: Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Member

Authority: 497.101, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/9/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action			As of 1/26/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)	X		See Below
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Director, Peeples Funeral Services, Inc.

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services consists of 10 members,

- Nine of whom shall be appointed by the Governor from nominations made by the Chief Financial Officer and confirmed by the Senate.

- One member must be the State Health Officer or her or his designee.

- Two members shall be funeral directors licensed under part III of this chapter who are associated with a funeral establishment.

- One member shall be a funeral director licensed under part III of this chapter who is associated with a funeral establishment licensed under part III of this chapter that has a valid preneed license issued pursuant to this chapter and who owns or operates a cinerator facility approved under chapter 403 and licensed under part VI of this chapter.

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- Three members shall be consumers who are residents of the state have never been licensed as funeral directors or embalmers, are not connected with a cemetery or cemetery company licensed pursuant to this chapter, and are not connected with the death care industry or the practice of embalming, funeral directing, or direct disposition. One of the consumer members shall be at least 60 years of age and one shall be licensed as a certified public accountant under chapter 473.

One member of the board shall be a principal of a monument establishment licensed under this chapter as a monument builder.

There shall not be two or more board members who are principals or employees of the same company or partnership or group of companies or partnerships under common control.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.

The State Health Officer shall serve as long as that person holds that office. The designee of the State Health Officer shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

When the terms of the initial board members expire, the Chief Financial Officer shall stagger the terms of the successor members as follows: one funeral director, one cemetery representative, the monument dealer, and one consumer member appointed for terms of 2 years, and the remaining members shall be appointed for terms of 4 years. All subsequent terms shall be for 4 years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Funeral Director
Number 18 - Ms. Peeples served on this board, 1999-2005.

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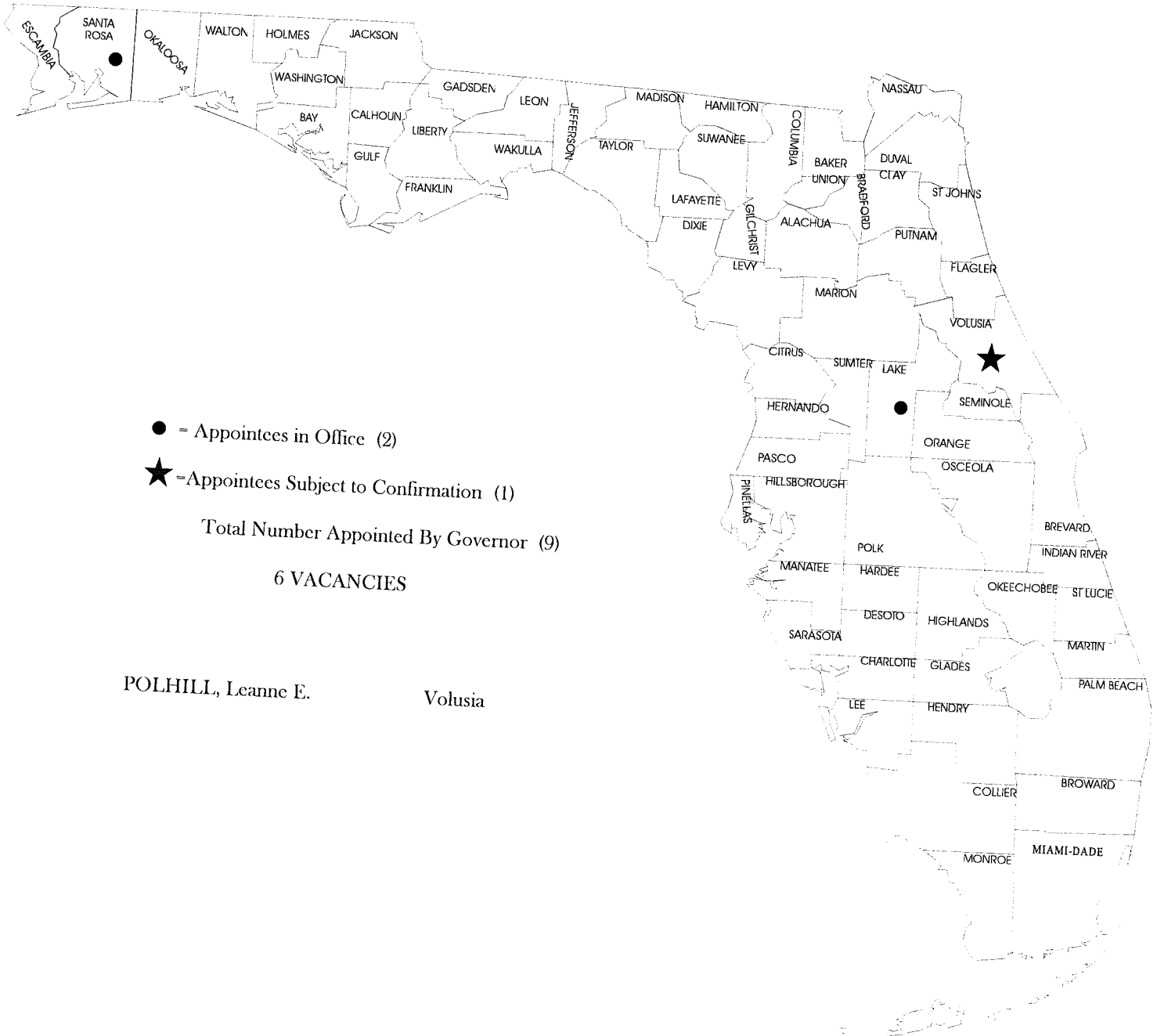
Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Board of Hearing Aid Specialists



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Polhill, Leanne E.

Appointed: 04/28/2022

Term: 04/28/2022 – 10/31/2024

Prior Term: 01/26/2018 - 10/31/2020

City/County: Port Orange/Volusia

Office: Board of Hearing Aid Specialists, Member

Authority: 484.042(1), F.S. & 20.43(3)(g)25, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/28/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/24/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Owner of Encore Hearing Care (Retail)

Attendance: Attended 22 of 22 meetings (100%) from January 26, 2018 through May 13, 2022.

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The nine-member board consists of:

- Five members who are licensed hearing aid specialists who have been practicing in Florida for at least the preceding four years; and
- Four members who are lay persons who do not derive economic benefit from the fitting or dispensing of hearing aids, with the following requirements:

One lay member who is a hearing aid user, but is not and has never been a hearing aid specialist or a licensee of a closely related profession;

One lay member who is an otolaryngologist licensed pursuant to chapter 458, F.S., or chapter 459, F.S.; and

One lay member who is sixty-five years of age or older.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years. Terms expire on October 31. No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Hearing Aid Specialist

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MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Jennings, Gary

Appointed: 05/13/2022

Term: 09/04/2022 – 09/04/2025

Prior Term: 05/13/2022 - 09/04/2022

City/County: Windermere/Orange

Office: Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission, Member

Authority: 379.2253(2), F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed		X	Not Required; See Below
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/26/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)	X		See Below
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation:

Attendance: Attended 4 of 4 meetings (100%) from May 13, 2022 through July 25, 2022.

Compensation: The Florida Statutes make no provision for compensation.

Requirements: Each state on the Commission, including Florida, Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia, and with such other states as may enter the compact, is entitled to three representatives as follows:

- The Executive Director of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, serving as an ex officio member, which appointment does not require Senate confirmation;
- A legislator appointed on a rotating basis by the President of the Senate or the Speaker of the House of Representatives, beginning with the appointment of a member of the Senate; and
- One citizen appointed by the Governor subject to Senate confirmation, who has knowledge of, and interest in, the marine fisheries problems.

Additional Requirements: The term of office for the citizen member is three years.
Not required to file financial disclosure form.

Notes: Number 7 - Not Required
Number 17 - Mr. Jennings currently serves on the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council.

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Ethics and Elections

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Brown, James A.

Appointed: 05/13/2022

Term: 05/13/2022 – 01/05/2025

Prior Term:

City/County: Apalachicola/Franklin

Office: Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission, Member

Authority: 379.2254(2), F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed		X	Not Required
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report	X		
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Retired

Compensation: The Florida Statutes makes no provision for compensation.

Requirements: Each state on the Commission, including Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Texas, and with such other states as may enter into a compact, is entitled to three representatives as follows:

- The Executive Director of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, serving as an ex officio member, which appointment does not require Senate confirmation;
- A legislator appointed on a rotating basis by the President of the Senate or the Speaker of the House of Representatives, beginning with the appointment of a member of the House of Representatives; and
- One citizen, appointed by the Governor, subject to Senate confirmation, who has knowledge of, and interest in, the marine fisheries problems.

Additional Requirements: Term of office for the citizen member is three years.
Not required to file financial disclosure form.

Notes: Number 8 - Governor's Appointment
Number 19 - Mr. Brown was the Director of Law Enforcement at the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, 1981-2013.

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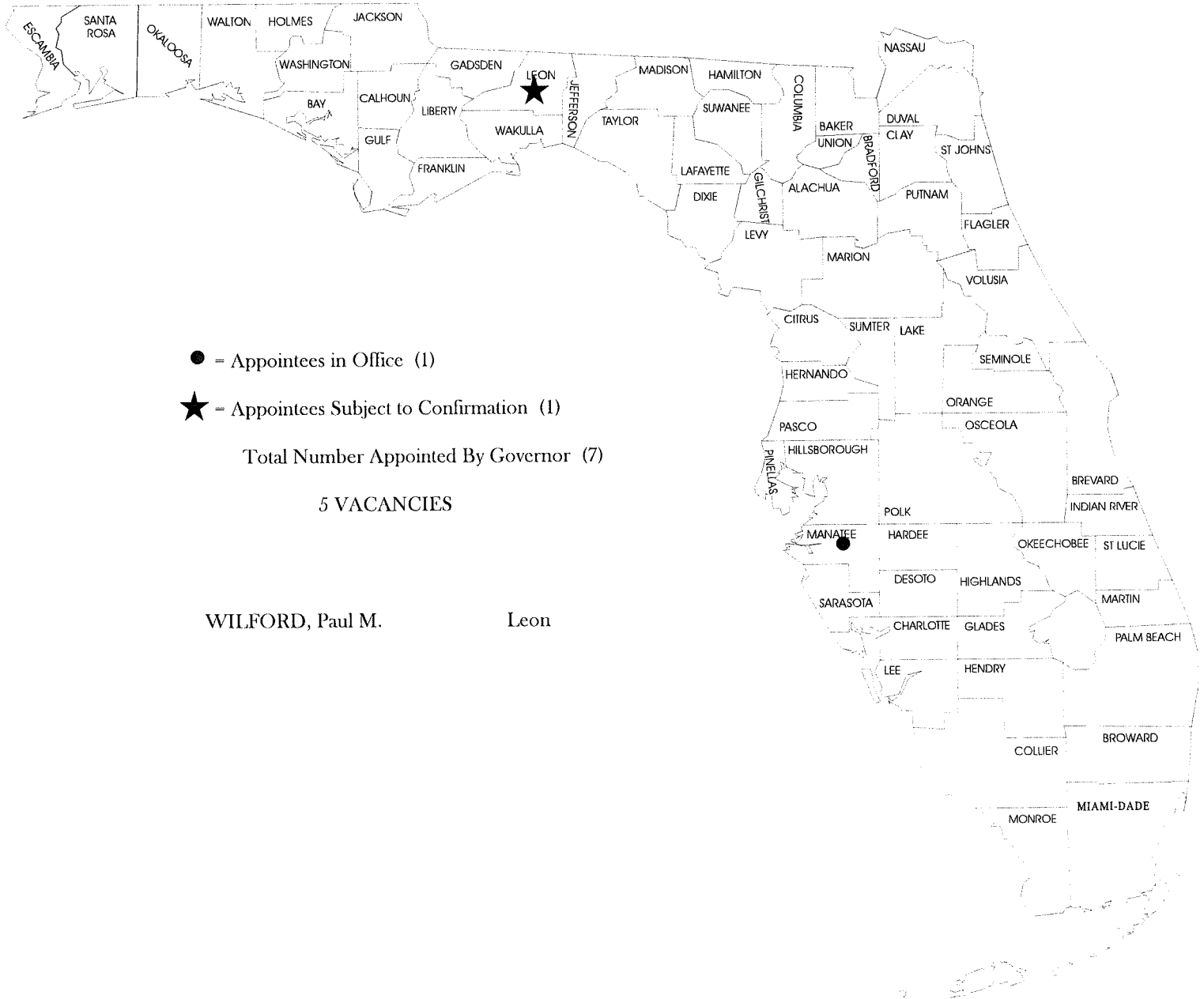
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MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Board of Opticianry



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Wilford, Paul M.

Appointed: 04/28/2022

Term: 04/28/2022 – 10/31/2025

Prior Term: 03/05/2015 - 10/31/2017

City/County: Tallahassee/Leon

Office: Board of Opticianry, Member

Authority: 484.003(1), F.S. 20.43(3)(g)24, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/6/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/24/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Optical Supervisor at Tallahassee Eye Center

Attendance: Attended 26 of 28 meetings (93%) from March 5, 2015 through May 13, 2022.

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

- Requirements:** The seven-member board consists of:
- Five members who are licensed opticians;
 - Two members who are state residents who have never been licensed as opticians and who are in no way connected with the practice of opticianry; and
 - At least one member who is sixty years of age or older.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.

Terms expire on October 31.

No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Optician

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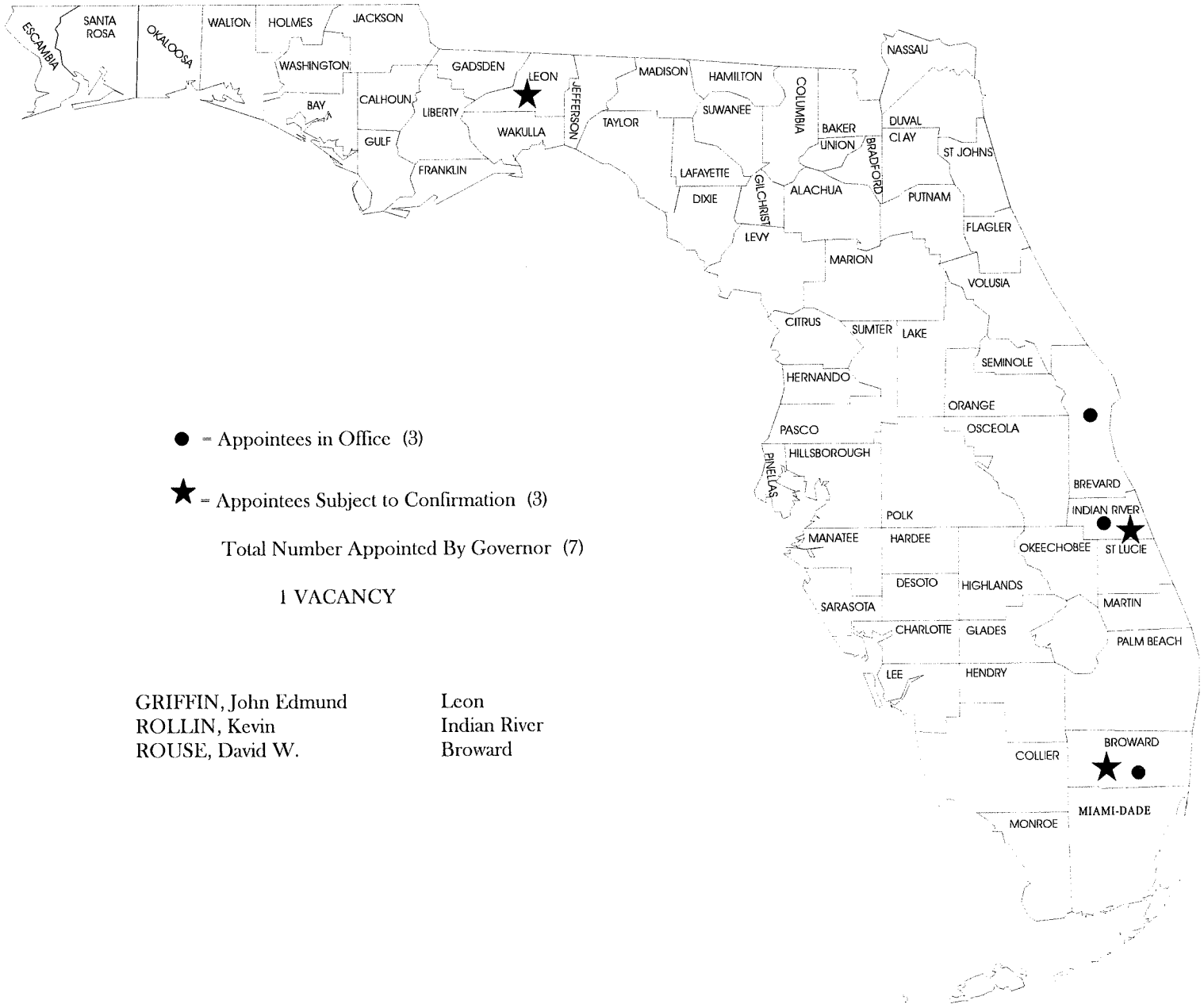
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TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Board of Optometry



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Griffin, John Edmund
 Term: 12/28/2022 – 10/31/2026
 City/County: Tallahassee/Leon
 Office: Board of Optometry, Member
 Authority: 463.003(1), F.S. & 20.43(3)(g)7, F.S.
 Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Appointed: 12/28/2022
 Prior Term:

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 1/13/23
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report		X	
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 2/8/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Retired Attorney

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The seven-member board consists of:

- Five members who are licensed practitioners actively practicing in this state;
- Two citizens of the state who are not, and who have never been, licensed practitioners and who are in no way connected with the practice of optometry or with any vision-oriented profession or business;
- At least one member who is sixty years of age or older.

Additional Requirements:

Terms are for four years.

Terms expire on October 31.

No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Lay Member

Number 19 - Mr. Griffin was an attorney at the Florida Department of Legal Affairs, 1979-1990. Mr. Griffin was a research aide and law clerk at the Florida Supreme Court, 1977-1979.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Rouse, David W.	Appointed: 04/28/2022
Term: 04/28/2022 – 10/31/2025	Prior Term: 07/12/2021 - 10/31/2021
City/County: Cooper City/Broward	
Office: Board of Optometry, Member	
Authority: 463.003(1), F.S. & 20.43(3)(g)7, F.S.	
Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections	

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 5/9/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/25/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)	X		See Below
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Optometrist at Rouse Family Eye Care

Attendance: Attended 10 of 10 meetings (100%) from July 12, 2021 through May 13, 2022.

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

- Requirements:** The seven-member board consists of:
- Five members who are licensed practitioners actively practicing in this state;
 - Two citizens of the state who are not, and who have never been, licensed practitioners and who are in no way connected with the practice of optometry or with any vision-oriented profession or business;
 - At least one member who is sixty years of age or older.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.

Terms expire on October 31.

No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Practicing Optometrist
Number 17 - Mr. Rouse is serving on the Planning and Zoning Board for Cooper City, since 2015.

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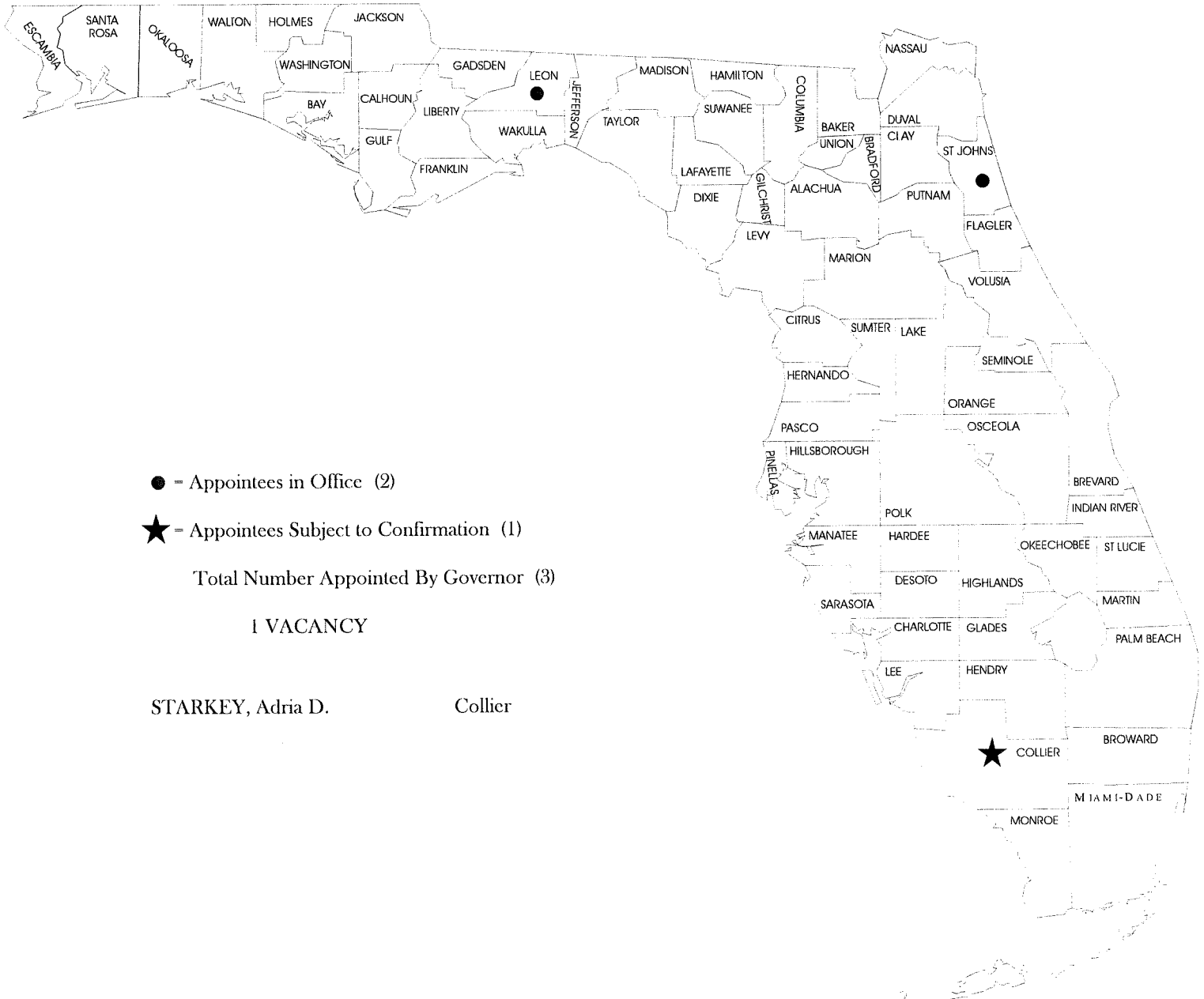
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TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Florida Prepaid College Board



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Starkey, Adria D.

Appointed: 07/29/2022

Term: 07/29/2022 – 05/30/2025

Prior Term: 03/12/2021 - 06/30/2022

City/County: Naples/Collier

Office: Florida Prepaid College Board, Member

Authority: 1009.971(2), F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/8/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report		X	
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/27/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office		X	
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)	X		See Below
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: President of FineMark National Bank & Trust Naples

Attendance: Attended 8 of 8 meetings (100%) from March 12, 2021 through August 19, 2022.

Compensation: Reimbursed for per diem and travel expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

- Requirements:** The board shall consist of seven members composed of the following:
- The Attorney General;
 - The Chief Financial Officer;
 - The Chancellor of the State University System;
 - The Chancellor of the Division of Florida Colleges; and
 - Three members, appointed by the Governor, with knowledge, skill, and experience in the areas of accounting, actuary, risk management, or investment management.

Each non-appointed member may name a designee to serve on the board on behalf of the member, who must meet the qualifications of gubernatorial appointees to the board.

Additional Requirements: Members appointed by the Governor shall serve terms of three years.

Each member of the board who is not otherwise required to file a full and public disclosure of financial interests pursuant to s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution or s. 112.3144 shall file a statement of financial interests pursuant to s. 112.3145.

Required to file a Form 6 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 18 - Mrs. Starkey served on the Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council, 2000-2002.

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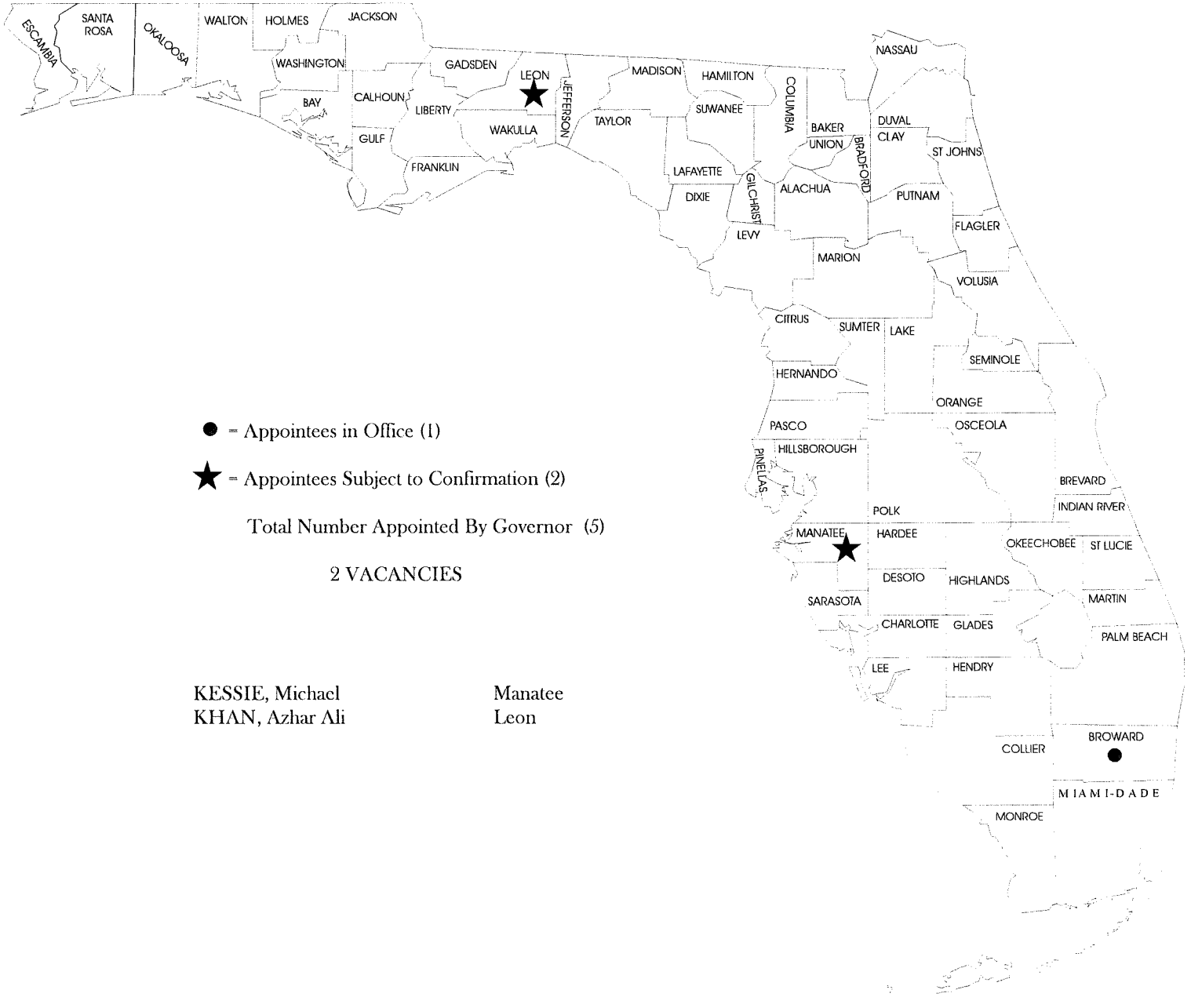
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MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 7, 2023

TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

State Retirement Commission



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Kessie, Michael
Term: 06/17/2022 – 12/31/2024
City/County: Bradenton/Manatee
Office: State Retirement Commission, Member
Authority: 121.22(1), F.S.
Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Appointed: 06/17/2022
Prior Term:

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 7/21/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			No Report
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/26/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office			Not Applicable
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Retired

Compensation: Members shall be paid a stipend of \$100 for each day spent on work of the commission. Additionally, each member shall be reimbursed for per diem and travel expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The five-member commission consists of:

- Two members who are retired under a state-supported retirement system administered by the Department of Management Services;
- Two members who are active in a state-supported retirement system which is administered by the Department of Management Services; and
- One member who is neither a retiree, beneficiary or member of a state-supported retirement system which is administered by the Department of Management Services.

Each member shall have a different occupational background from the other members.

An appointee to the commission must have been a citizen of Florida for at least three years immediately prior to the appointment.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.
No person shall serve who holds an elective public office of the state or any political subdivision thereof, or holds an office or serves as an agent for a political party.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Retired member under state-supported retirement system.
Number 19 - Mr. Kessie was a Deputy Sheriff for the Manatee County Sheriff's Office, 2004-2006. Mr. Kessie worked for the New College of Florida Police Department, 2002-2004 and 2006-2022.

Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Khan, Azhar Ali

Appointed: 06/17/2022

Term: 06/17/2022 – 12/31/2024

Prior Term:

City/County: Tallahassee/Leon

Office: State Retirement Commission, Member

Authority: 121.22(1), F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/30/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report		X	
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/26/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office			Not Applicable
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Economist for the Executive Office of the Governor

Compensation: Members shall be paid a stipend of \$100 for each day spent on work of the commission. Additionally, each member shall be reimbursed for per diem and travel expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The five-member commission consists of:

- Two members who are retired under a state-supported retirement system administered by the Department of Management Services;
- Two members who are active in a state-supported retirement system which is administered by the Department of Management Services; and
- One member who is neither a retiree, beneficiary or member of a state-supported retirement system which is administered by the Department of Management Services.

Each member shall have a different occupational background from the other members.

An appointee to the commission must have been a citizen of Florida for at least three years immediately prior to the appointment.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.
No person shall serve who holds an elective public office of the state or any political subdivision thereof, or holds an office or serves as an agent for a political party.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Active Member Florida Retirement System
Number 19 - Mr. Khan is an Economist in the Executive Office of the Governor, since 2015.

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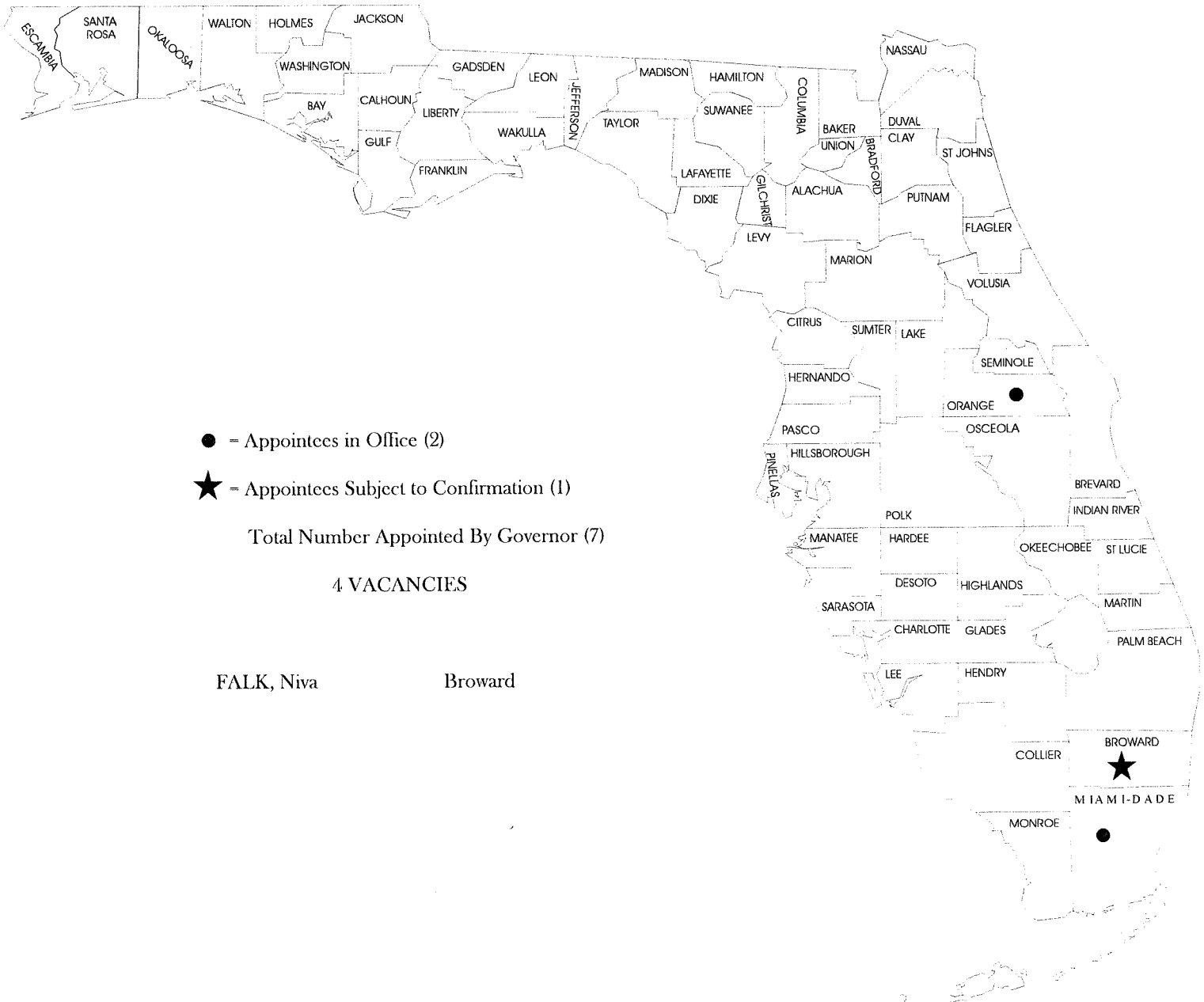
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TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Falk, Niva

Appointed: 08/26/2022

Term: 08/26/2022 – 10/31/2026

Prior Term:

City/County: Parkland/Broward

Office: Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, Member

Authority: 468.1135(1), F.S. & 20.43(3)(g)13, F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 9/19/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		See Below
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 1/30/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office			Not Applicable
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee		X	
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Speech Language Pathologist

Compensation: Fifty dollars per day while attending to the business of the board; reimbursed for expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

- Requirements:** The seven-member board consists of:
- Two members who are licensed, practicing speech-language pathologists;
 - Two members who are licensed, practicing audiologists;
 - One member who is a physician licensed pursuant to ch. 458, F.S., who is a neurologist, an otolaryngologist, or a pediatrician;
 - Two members who are citizens of the state who are communicatively impaired and who are not and have never been licensed as speech-language pathologists or audiologists and who are in no way connected with the practice of such professions with at least one of the two being a hearing aid user; and
 - At least one member of the board shall be 60 or older.

Additional Terms are for four years.

Requirements: Terms expire October 31.

No member shall serve more than the remaining portion of a previous member's unexpired term, plus two consecutive 4-year terms.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 8 - Speech Language Pathologist

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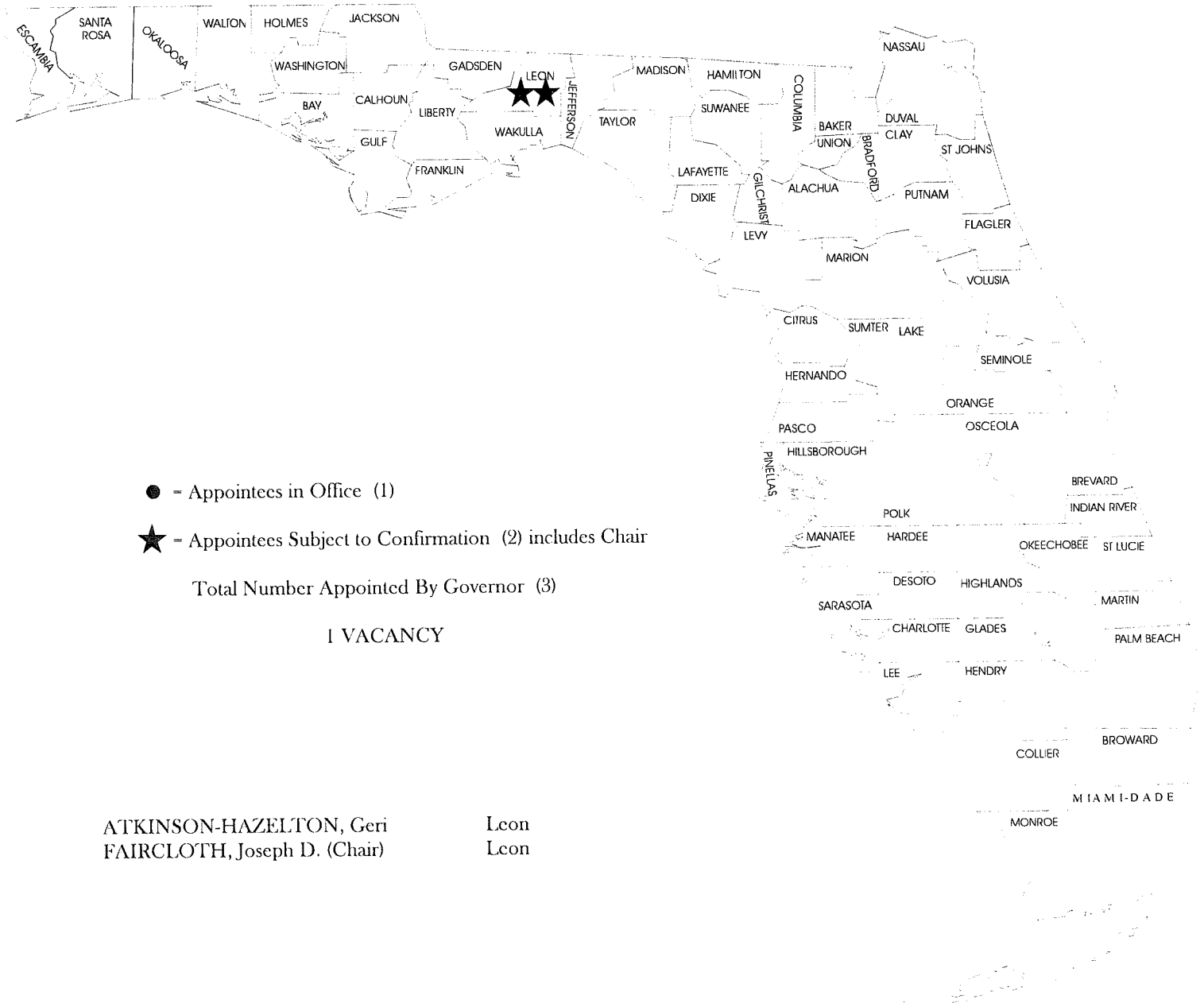
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PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Atkinson-Hazelton, Geri
Term: 12/06/2022 – 06/30/2024

Appointed: 12/06/2022
Prior Term:

City/County: Tallahassee/Leon

Office: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, Member

Authority: 443.012(1), F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 12/27/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 2/6/22
12. Previously Suspended from Office			Not Applicable
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation:

Compensation: \$100 a day for each day engaged in the work of the commission.

Members are entitled to reimbursement of travel expenses, as provided in s. 112.061.

Requirements: The commission shall consist of a chair and two other members to be appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate.

Only one appointee may be a representative of employers, as demonstrated by his or her previous vocation, employment, or affiliation; and only one appointee may be a representative of employees, as demonstrated by his or her previous vocation, employment, or affiliation.

Additional Terms are for four years.

Requirements: Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 19 - Mrs. Atkinson-Hazelton was a Legislative Aide to State Representative Don Hazelton, 1974-1978. Mrs. Atkinson-Hazelton worked for the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1979-1981, and 1983-2010.

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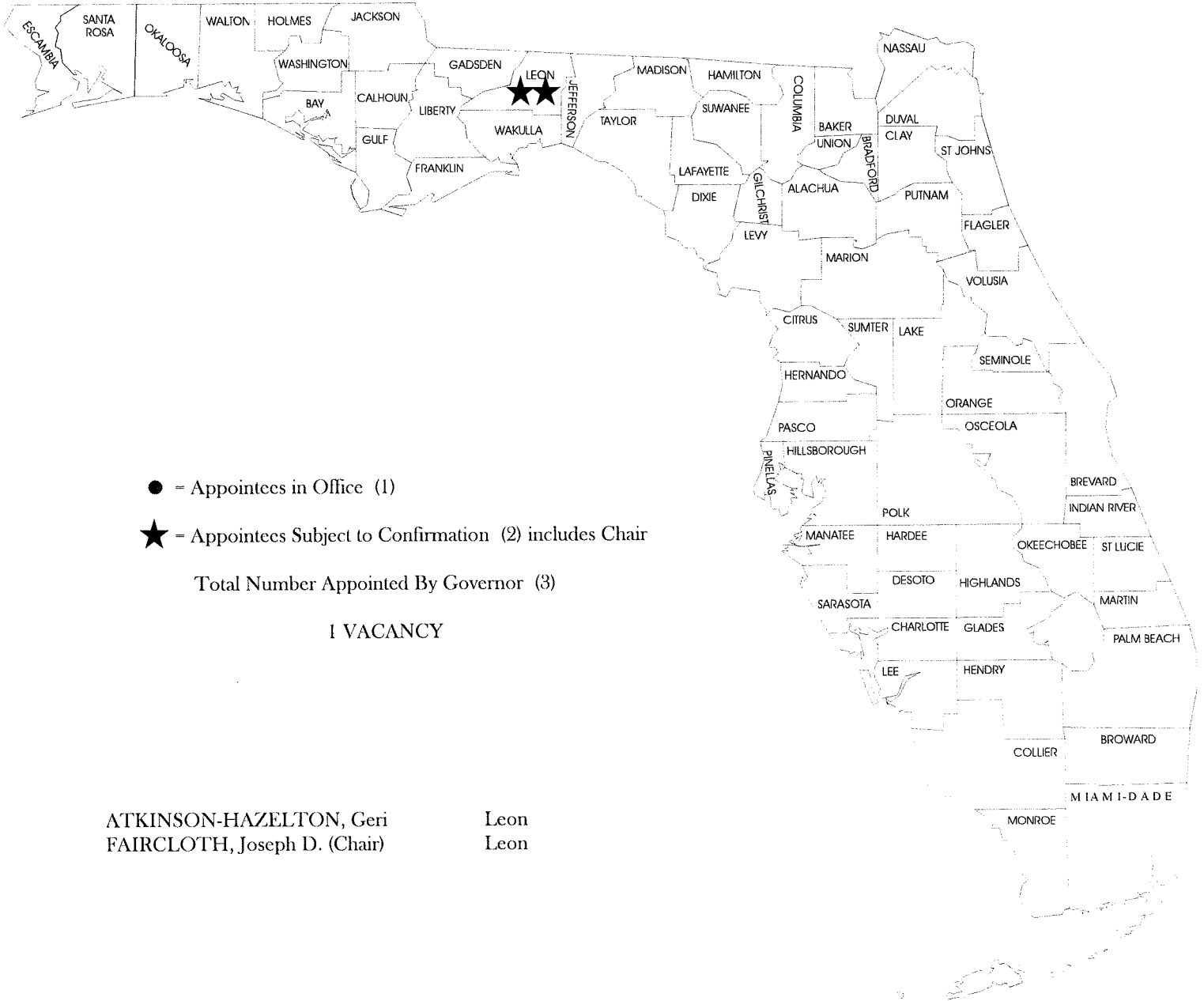
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TIME: 2:00—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission



Recommendation for Senate Confirmation of Executive Appointment

Appointee: Faircloth, Charles T., Jr.
Term: 10/07/2022 – 06/30/2025

Appointed: 10/07/2022
Prior Term:

City/County: Tallahassee/Leon

Office: Chair, Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission

Authority: 443.012(2), F.S.

Reference(s): Committee on Ethics and Elections

Executive Appointment Questionnaire	Yes	No	Notes
1. Questionnaire completed	X		
2. Questionnaire notarized	X		
3. US Citizen (sworn statement)	X		
4. Florida Resident (sworn statement)	X		
5. Registered Voter in Florida	X		
6. Honorable Discharge (sworn statement)			Not Applicable
7. Financial Disclosure Filed	X		Form 1 filed as of 6/13/22
8. Meets Requirements of Law	X		
9. Conviction Record		X	
10. Adverse Auditor General Report			Not Applicable
11. Adverse Ethics Commission Action		X	As of 2/3/23
12. Previously Suspended from Office			Not Applicable
13. Previously Refused Bond (sworn statement)		X	
14. Licenses or Certification Revoked/Suspended		X	
15. Contracts with State/Local Governments (sworn statement)		X	
16. Contracts with Pending Office		X	
17. Holds Another Public Office (sworn statement)		X	
18. Previously a Public Officer (sworn statement)		X	
19. Present or Past Government Employee	X		See Below
20. Currently a Registered Lobbyist		X	

Occupation: Chair of the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission

Compensation: \$146,079.79 per year as of December 10, 2013.

The chairman receives a salary equal to that paid to a judge of the circuit court and is reimbursed for travel expenses pursuant to s. 112.061, F.S.

Requirements: The commission shall consist of a chair and two other members to be appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate.

Not more than one appointee shall be a person who, on account of previous vocation, employment, or affiliation shall be classified as a representative of employers; and not more than one such appointee shall be a person who, on account of previous vocation, employment, or affiliation, may be classified as a representative of employees.

The chairman must have the qualifications required by law for a judge of the circuit court and may not engage in any other business, vocation, or employment.

Additional Requirements: Terms are for four years.

Required to file Form 1 with the Commission on Ethics.

Notes: Number 19 - Mr. Faircloth was the General Counsel for the Department of Veterans' Affairs, 2015-2022. Mr. Faircloth was the Chief of Staff at the Department of Financial Services, 2011-2014.

APPEARANCE RECORD

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CourtSmart Tag Report

Room: SB 37
Caption: Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections

Case No.:

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Judge:

Started: 3/7/2023 2:01:38 PM
Ends: 3/7/2023 2:22:58 PM **Length:** 00:21:21

2:01:37 PM Chair Burgess calls meeting to order
2:02:00 PM Quorum is present
2:02:18 PM Chair opening remarks
2:02:42 PM Tab 1 SB 620 Tp'd
2:02:55 PM Tab 2 SB 666 by Senator Collins being presented by Senator Ingoglia
2:03:24 PM take up Amendment 348986
2:03:56 PM Question on the amendment?
2:04:15 PM Senator Powell ask questions
2:04:41 PM David Ramba waived in support
2:04:50 PM Amendment is adopted
2:05:01 PM Senator Powell asks question regarding bill
2:05:26 PM Senator Ingoglia responds
2:06:14 PM Roll call vote on SB 666
2:07:14 PM Tab 3 SB 444 by Senator Ingoglia
2:07:29 PM Senator Ingoglia to explain the bill
2:07:39 PM Senator Powell question on the bill
2:07:54 PM Senator Ingoglia responds
2:08:23 PM Senator Powell follow up
2:09:23 PM Senator Ingoglia responds
2:10:11 PM Senator Powell question
2:10:44 PM Senator Ingoglia responds
2:10:51 PM Appearance Cards:
2:11:00 PM Genesis Robinson to speak against the bill
2:11:50 PM Senator Martin questions Genesis Robinson
2:12:50 PM Genesis Robinson responds
2:14:00 PM Jasmine Burney-Clark waives in support
2:15:00 PM Senator Powell comments on the bill
2:15:17 PM Senator Martin debates on bill
2:16:17 PM Chair Burgess speaks on the bill
2:17:07 PM Senator Ingoglia closes
2:17:23 PM Roll call vote on bill
2:17:31 PM Tab 4 Confirmation Hearings
2:18:07 PM Chair says one roll call vote will be done on group of confirmations
2:18:40 PM Motion to recommend confirmation by Senator Mayfield
2:19:09 PM roll call vote on tabs 4-20
2:19:43 PM Confirmations confirmed
2:19:54 PM Senator Polsky tab 2 recorded to vote in the affirmative
2:20:17 PM Chair Burgess closing remarks
2:21:20 PM Senator Polsky requests staff to meeting regarding on a seperate voting issue
2:22:19 PM Chair Burgess comments
2:22:36 PM Senator Ingoglia moves to adjourn