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CareerSource Polk Request for Polk County Board of County Commissioners' Approval November 7, 2025

Request Re-Appointment of Board Members to CareerSource Polk Board of Directors

Note: LWDB members shall serve staggered terms and may not serve for more than eight (8) consecutive years unless the member is a representative of a government entity. Service in a term of office which commenced before July 1, 2021, does not count toward the 8- year limitation.

Request Reappointment for the following Board Members to continue to serve out their second 4-year term effective July 1-2025 – June 30, 2029:

- 1. **Jorge Altieri** Sofidel America Business Representative
- 2. Colonel Gary Clark CPS Investment Advisors / Polk County Veterans Council
- 3. **Karen Case** Legoland Florida Resort Business Representative
- 4. **Scott Dimmick** Lakeland Regional Health Representative
- 5. Adil Khan LASR Investments Representative
- 6. **Dr. Angela Garcia-Falconetti** Polk State College Education/Training Provider
- 7. Ginger Garner Walmart Fulfillment Center Business Representative
- 8. **Cynthia Jantomaso** Haines City Economic Development Council
- 9. Katrina Lunsford Fifth Third Bank Business Representative
- 10. **David McCraw** Tampa Area Electrical JATC Labor/Apprenticeship Representative
- 11. Yesse Olivas Tampa Maid Foods Business Representative
- 12. Ryan J. Reis Webber University Education Representative
- 13. **Sherry Sapp** Sapp CDL Training Consulting, Inc. Business Representative
- 14. **Amanda Wilson** Department of Children and Families Government
- 15. Derrick Woodard Polk County Public Schools Education and Labor
- 16. **Sharon Wright** Vocational Rehabilitation

Justification

In accordance with Public Law 113-128, Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act, Sections 106 and 107, 20 Code of Federal Regulations 679.320 and Sections 445.004 and 445.007, F.S., each local workforce development board's membership must align with federal and state composition requirements. For the category of education, each local board must include representatives of entities administering education and training activities in the local area who:

- a) Include a representative of eligible providers administering adult education and literacy activities under Title II of WIOA.
- b) Include a representative of institutions of higher education providing workforce investment activities
- c) Include a private education provider, if a public education or training provider is represented on the LWDB. The CareerSource Florida Board of Directors may waive this requirement if requested by an LWDB if it is demonstrated that such a representative does not exist in the local area.
- d) May include representatives of local educational agencies and of community-based organizations with demonstrated experience and expertise in addressing the education or training needs of individuals with barriers to employment. When there is more than one institution in each of the types of educational entities listed above, nominations are solicited from representatives of each of these entities.