

POLK LOCAL COORDINATING BOARD MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATION – for 10-10-24

Name: Polk Transportation Planning Organization Address: Drawer TS05, PO Box 9005, Bartow, FL 33831-9005

The Metropolitan Planning Organization/Designated Official Planning Agency named above hereby certifies to the following:

1. The membership of the Local Coordinating Board, established pursuant to Rule 41-2.012(3) FAC, does in fact represent the appropriate parties as identified in the following list, and
2. The membership represents, to the maximum extent feasible, a cross section of the local community

Signature: _____

Ryan Kordek, CPM, GISP

Executive Director

-	A Representative of:	Voting Member	Term Expires	Alternate Member	Term Expires
1	Chairperson	Commissioner Jeremy Clark	Appointed by TPO Board Annually; 2/2023 -present	No alternate	n/a
A	Department of Transportation (FDOT)	Dale Hanson	By office held	Michelle Peronto	By office held
B	Department of Children and Families (DCF)	Coleen Collinsworth	By office held	<u>Jacqueline Craft</u> <u>Lizbeth Schmidt</u>	<u>By office held</u>
C	Public Education Community	Lisa Miller	4/2024-4/2027 (2 nd Term.)	VACANT	-
D	Division of Vocational Rehabilitation or Blind Services,	<u>Diana Buarque</u>	<u>By office held</u>	Maria Fuentes	By office held
E	Representing Veterans	Joseph Lesniewicz IV	By office held	Tim Kirckhart	By office held
F	Fla Assoc for Community Action representing the economically disadvantaged in the county	VACANT	-	Diane Durr	06/23-06/26 (1 st Term)
G	Representing elderly in the county;	Marcia Staszko VICE- CHAIRPERSON	2/23-2/26 (3 rd Term)	VACANT	-
H	Representing the disabled in the county;	<u>Sheryl Brown</u>	<u>10/24-10/27</u> <u>(1st Term)</u>	VACANT	-
i1	One of Two citizen advocates in the county	Brenda Grella	04/24-04/27 (1 st Term)	VACANT	-
i2	One of Two citizen advocates – person who uses the transportation service(s)	Vacant	-	VACANT	-
J	A local representative for children at risk	<u>Amy Beascochea</u>	<u>10/24-10/27</u> <u>(1st Term)</u>	<u>Tonya Akwetey.</u>	<u>10/24-10/27</u> <u>(1st Term)</u>
K	Local Mass Transit or Public Transit System’s Board	Mayor Pro-Tem Nat Birdsong	By office held (PTA)	vacant	-
L	A local representative of the Florida Department of Elder Affairs	Kevin Gilds	By office held	Kristina Melling	By office held
M	Local private for profit transportation industry.	VACANT	-	VACANT	-
N	Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)	<u>Riley Larsen</u>	<u>By office held</u>	<u>Karen Wessel</u> <u>Aaron Lounsberry</u>	<u>By office held</u>
O	Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD)	Jeannette Estes	By office held	Connie Miller	By office held
P	Regional Workforce Development	Stacy Campbell- Domineck	By office held	VACANT	By office held
Q	Local medical community	<u>Joy Johnson</u>	<u>10/24-10/27</u> <u>(2nd Term)</u>	Holly Vida	06/23-06/26 (2 nd Term)
-	Quorum = 5 seated members or altrnates who must be present in the meeting room				