

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
Boards and Appointments

Vacancies

11/01/2009 - 11/30/2009

BOARD: **00043 *Board of Trustees, Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind***

TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The Board has complete jurisdiction over the management of the school and acts under the supervision and general policies adopted by the State Board of Education.

QUALIFICATIONS: Each member shall have been a resident of Florida for at least ten years.

POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 4/17/2007 Ending Date: 11/13/2009*

Mrs. Maria T. Rojas

Miami-Dade

5 Lay Members

POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 4/17/2007 Ending Date: 11/20/2009*

Mrs. Mary Jane Dillon

St. Johns

5 Lay Members

BOARD: **00089 *Florida Statewide Advocacy Council***

TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The council shall serve as a third-party mechanism for protecting the constitutional and human rights of any client within a program or facility operated, funded or regulated by any state agency.

QUALIFICATIONS: The council shall consist of 15 to 20 residents of this state, one from each service area designated by the statewide council. The Governor may fill vacancies from a list of nominees submitted by the council or appoint any qualified person. A member may not serve more than 2 full consecutive terms.

POSITION: 4 *Beginning Date: 12/30/2005 Ending Date: 11/1/2009*

Dr. Bruce A. Nager

Broward

At least two nonsalaried representatives of nonprofit agencies or

civic groups (no more than 4 members).
POSITION: 15 *Beginning Date: 12/30/2005 Ending Date: 11/1/2009*
Mr. Sydney J. Pate
Washington
A member at large.

BOARD: 00234 *Baker County Development Commission*

TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The Commission is created for the purpose of performing such acts as shall be necessary for the sound planning for, and development of Baker County.

QUALIFICATIONS: The Commission shall be composed of 7 members appointed by the Governor. One member from each county commission district and two members at large. Two of the members must be women.

POSITION: 7 *Beginning Date: 11/2/2005 Ending Date: 11/1/2009*
Mrs. Joyce B. Davis
Baker
County Commission District 5

BOARD: 00249 *Broward County Housing Authority*

TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The housing authority shall provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of dwelling units for the purpose of improving the state of affordable housing; hold or improve real property; may acquire by gift, grant, bequest, devise, or otherwise any property; investigate into living, dwelling and housing conditions and into means and methods for improving such conditions.

QUALIFICATIONS: Members must be qualified electors from the county and may not be employed by said county.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 2/16/2006 Ending Date: 11/3/2009*
Ms. Mercedes J. Nunez
Broward
One member shall be a resident who is current in rent in a housing project or a low-income person who receives rent subsidy.

BOARD: **00265 Collier County Housing Authority**
TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*
DESCRIPTION: The housing authority shall provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of dwelling units for the purpose of improving the state of affordable housing; hold or improve real property; may acquire by gift, grant, bequest, devise, or otherwise any property; investigate into living, dwelling and housing conditions and into means and methods for improving such conditions.
QUALIFICATIONS: Members must be qualified electors from the county and may not be employed by said county.

POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 12/6/2005 Ending Date: 11/7/2009*
Mr. Z. Floyd Crews
Collier
NA

BOARD: **00298 Tampa Port Authority**
TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: Senate*
DESCRIPTION: The Authority makes studies, adopts plans and carries out the development of the facilities of and traffic through the port. Governing body of the Hillsborough County Port District.
QUALIFICATIONS: Members shall be qualified electors of Hillsborough County with outstanding reputation for integrity, responsibility, and business ability. No public officer or employee may serve.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 2/7/2006 Ending Date: 11/25/2009*
Mr. Lawrence R. Shipp
Hillsborough
Representative of Seat Three appointed by the Governor.

BOARD: **00391 Suwannee County Housing Authority**
TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*
DESCRIPTION: The housing authority shall provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of dwelling units for the purpose of improving the state of affordable

housing; hold or improve real property; may acquire by gift, grant, bequest, devise, or otherwise any property; investigate into living, dwelling and housing conditions and into means and methods for improving such conditions.

QUALIFICATIONS: Members are qualified electors from the county and are not employed by the county.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 12/21/2005 Ending Date: 11/30/2009*
Mrs. Edna Q. Barnes
Suwannee
NA

BOARD: **01107 *Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County***

TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: Each county may by ordinance create an independent special district to provide juvenile welfare services throughout the county. Funding authority approved by the electorate.

QUALIFICATIONS: Members are superintendent of schools, a local school board member, District Administrator from CFS District IX, a member of the board of county commissioners, and five appointees of Governor.

POSITION: 4 *Beginning Date: 1/19/2006 Ending Date: 11/3/2009*
Mrs. Dari M. Bowman
Palm Beach
Appointee of the Governor.

BOARD: **01158 *Metropolitan Planning Organization of Miami-Dade County***

TERM: 4 years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The MPO of Miami-Dade County is responsible for the development of transportation improvement program and for initiating federally aided transportation facilities. It is responsible for transportation-related air, noise, and water quality planning within urbanized areas assign by federal state laws.

QUALIFICATIONS: The Governor shall appoint four voting members, one member must be an elected official from a municipality within the county and one member must be a person who does not hold an elected office and reside in the unincorporated portion of the county.

POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 2/16/2006 Ending Date: 11/23/2009*
The Honorable William H. Kerdyk Jr.
Miami-Dade
Governor appoints an elected official from a municipality within the county.

BOARD: 01185 *Board of Directors, Florida Sports Foundation*

TERM: Four years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: Directors will benefit the council and act in the best interests of the state as a direct-support organization to the council. Receive, hold, invest and administer property, to raise funds and receive gifts, and promote and develop professional sports and related industries.

QUALIFICATIONS: Governor appoints 15 members of the Board of Directors who must be residents of the state and highly knowledgeable of or active in professional sports. No member may serve more than two consecutive terms.

POSITION: 8 *Beginning Date: 9/26/2006 Ending Date: 11/21/2009*
Mr. Shaun E. King
Hillsborough

POSITION: 10 *Beginning Date: 9/26/2006 Ending Date: 11/21/2009*
Mr. Louis Frey, Jr.
Orange
NA

BOARD: 01236 *Children's Services Council of Saint Lucie County*

TERM: 4 Years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: To provide and maintain such preventive, developmental, treatment and rehabilitative services for children as the council determines necessary. To allocate and provide funds for other agencies in the county, which operates for the benefit of children, provided they are not under the exclusive jurisdiction of the public school system.

QUALIFICATIONS: The Governor appoints 5 of the 10 members, others includes of the Superintendent of Schools, a local School Board Member, the District Administrator from CFS, a County Commissioner and a judge. The Board of County Commission shall submit 3 names to the Governor for each vacancy.

POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 11/14/2005 Ending Date: 11/13/2009*
Mrs. Queen S. Townsend
St. Lucie
Five members appointed by the Governor.

BOARD: 01564 *E911 Board*

TERM: 4 years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The E911 Board is established to administer the E911 fee imposed on the subscriber. This includes receiving revenues derived from the fee; distributing portions of such revenue to providers, counties, and the department; accounting for receipts, distributions, and income derived by the funds maintained in the fund; and providing annual reports to the Governor and the Legislature.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of nine members, eight appointed by the Governor. The system director of the Division of Communications, Department Management Services shall serve. Not more than one member may be appointed to represent any single provider on the board. Members may serve two terms.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 11/23/2005 Ending Date: 11/22/2009*

Mrs. Sandi L. Chernoff
Collier

Four county 911 coordinators, one from each a rural county, a medium county, a large county, and a county at-large recommended by the Florida Association of Counties appointed by the Governor.

BOARD: 01770 *Holmes County Housing Authority*

TERM: 4 years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The housing authority shall provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of dwelling units for the purpose of improving the state of affordable housing; hold or improve real property; may acquire by gift, grant, bequest, devise, or otherwise any property; investigate into living, dwelling and housing conditions and into means and methods for improving such conditions.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 5 members, appointed by the Governor. The Governor shall appoint one Commissioner who shall be a resident in a rental housing project or a person of low income who is a recipient of a rent

subsidy. No member of this board shall be an employee of the county.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 7/24/2008 Ending Date: 11/6/2009*
Ms. Cheryl Galloway
Holmes
Tenant Member

BOARD: 10854 *Board of Directors of Scripps Florida Funding Corporation*

TERM: 4 years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The corporation shall facilitate and oversee the state goal and public purpose of providing financial support for the institution and campus in order to expand the amount and prominence of biomedical research conducted in this state, provide an inducement for high-technology businesses to locate in this state, create educational opportunities through access to and partnerships with the institution.

QUALIFICATIONS: The Board shall consist of 9 members, 3 appointed by each the Governor, Senate President and House Speaker. The director of the OTTED or designee shall serve as a nonvoting ex-officio member. No member may be reappointed unless person has served 2 years or less, including initial appointments.

POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 1/20/2006 Ending Date: 11/13/2009*
Mr. Felix A. Crawford
Duval
Three members appointed by the Governor.

BOARD: 11624 *Board of Directors, Institute for the Commercialization of Public Research*

TERM: 3 Years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The institute shall assist in the commercialization of products developed by the research and development activities of universities and colleges, research institutes, and publicly supported organizations within the state.

QUALIFICATIONS: The Board of Directors shall consist of 5 members, 3 appointed by the Governor.

POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 11/3/2008 Ending Date: 11/3/2009*
Mr. Mario B. Ferrari

Miami-Dade

Three members appointed by the Governor

