

**AMENDMENT ONE  
RENEWAL ONE  
TO DATA SHARING AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
AND  
PINELLAS COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

On June 2, 2022, the Florida Department of Commerce ("Commerce") and Pinellas County Economic Development (PCED), hereinafter referred to as "PCED," entered into an agreement (the "Agreement") to establish the terms and conditions under which Commerce and PCED agree to establish confidentiality guidelines for Commerce to provide PCED with Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) data, including confidential Reemployment Assistance (RA) information. Commerce and PCED may hereinafter be referred to each individually as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties".

**WHEREAS**, Section III, Term of Agreement, of the Agreement provides that the Agreement shall remain in effect for three (3) years, or until terminated in accordance with Section XI, Terminations, Extensions, and Amendments; and

**WHEREAS**, Section VI, Amendments and Changes, of the Agreement provides that any change, alteration, deletion, or addition to the terms set forth in this Agreement must be by written amendment executed by the Parties thereto; and

**WHEREAS**, Section XI, Terminations, Extensions, and Amendments, subsection E., of the Agreement provides that the Agreement may be renewed in writing for a period not to exceed three (3) years or the term of the original agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parties wish to renew the Agreement for three (3) years and amend the Agreement as set forth herein; and

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants and obligations set forth herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree to the following:

1. On July 1, 2023, the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity was renamed to the Florida Department of Commerce ("Commerce"). Effective July 1, 2023, all references to "Department of Economic Opportunity" or "DEO" are hereby replaced with "Florida Department of Commerce" or "Commerce" as appropriate.
2. Section III, Term of Agreement, of the Agreement is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

**III. TERM OF AGREEMENT**

This Agreement is effective as of June 2, 2022, and shall remain in effect through June 1, 2028, unless otherwise terminated pursuant to Section XI, Terminations, Extensions, and Amendments. The obligations of Section IV, Inspection of Records, through Section IX, Liability and

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Indemnification, shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement, regardless of the reason.

4. Section XII, Agency Contacts, of the Agreement is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
  - A. Commerce designates as its liaison for all issues relating to this Agreement, Kathie Hughes, whose title is Administrator, and who may be contacted by telephone at (850) 245-7237, or by e-mail at [Kathie.Hughes@commerce.fl.gov](mailto:Kathie.Hughes@commerce.fl.gov), and whose address is 107 E. Madison Street, MSC G-020, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-4111.
  - B. PCED designates as its liaison for all issues relating to this Agreement, Cindy Margiotta, whose title is Division Director, and who may be contacted by telephone at (727) 464-7398, or by e-mail at [cmargiotta@pinellascounty.org](mailto:cmargiotta@pinellascounty.org), and whose address is 13805 58th Street North, Suite 1-200, Clearwater, Florida 33760.
  - C. In the event that any Party to this Agreement replaces, adds, or removes any liaison identified in this Section, the Party shall immediately inform the other Parties by email of this change.
5. All other terms and conditions remain in effect.

**[The remainder of this page has intentionally been left blank.]**

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, by signature below, all Parties agree to abide by the terms, conditions, and provisions of the Agreement, as amended. This instrument is effective on the date the last Party signs it.

**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**PINELLAS COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature*

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature*

Printed Name: J. Alex Kelly

Printed Name: Brian Scott

Title: Secretary

Title: Pinellas County Board of County Commissioners

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Office of General Counsel**

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency,  
subject only to full and proper execution by the  
Parties.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature*

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**APPROVED AS TO FORM**  
By: Cody J. Ward  
Office of the County Attorney