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To: Long, Janet C; Peters, Kathleen; Justice, Charlie; Eggers, Dave; Scott, Brian; Latvala, Christopher

Cc: <u>Hadad, Cassandra; Herring, Darlina; Burton, Barry; White, Jewel</u>

Subject: Letter of Support for 2nd Vice President of the Florida Association of Counties from the BOCC

Date: Wednesday, December 28, 2022 10:18:26 AM

Good Morning:

For several months, I have worked diligently to meet the requirements noted in the By Laws for the Florida Association of Counties to qualify as a candidate to run for an executive leadership position. I am excited to share that I have not only met but exceeded those requirements including but not limited to:

Completed the FAC CCC leadership Training Certification Course

Completed the FAC Advanced County Commissioner I Certification Course

Served (Currently Serving) as Chair of the Urban Caucus (2 terms)

Serve in the FAC Board of Directors

Served as a Commissioner for two (2) years or more

While it is not required, I am currently in the final stages of completing the Advanced County Commissioner II Certification Course by April 2023, I have 100% attendance at FAC Conferences and Legislative Days, appointed to the NACo National Housing Crisis workgroup, and presented on the FAC Podcast show discussing affordable/workforce housing issues as well as why membership in the FAC is important.

I also currently serve on the following FAC Committees:

Finance
Health Safety & Justice
Small County Coalition
Federal Policies

Community & Urban Affairs

Finally, I have attained the support and endorsement of a number of commissioners to include former FAC Presidents, and FAC Board members. I am asking that this item be placed on the next workshop and meeting agenda for January, 2023 so that I can submit my paperwork to the FAC timely. I thank you in advance for your consideration and support.

Yours In Service, Commissioner Rene Flowers

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