

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE  
Boards and Appointments

Vacancies

12/01/08 - 12/31/08

9/11/2008

**BOARD:**           **00003 *State Retirement Commission***  
**TERM:**             4 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*  
**DESCRIPTION:**     The commission shall hear appeals of retirees on retirement problems that cannot be resolved by the Division of Retirement.  
**QUALIFICATIONS:** The commission shall consist of 5 members appointed by the Governor. No person shall serve as a member who holds an elective office or serves as an agent for a political party. All members must have been a citizen of Florida for at least 3 years prior to an appointment.

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**POSITION:**        7 *Beginning Date: 3/1/2006 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mr. John R. Capra  
Duval  
Two members shall be retired under state-supported retirement system administered by the Department.

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**BOARD:**           **00009 *Florida Cancer Control and Research Advisory Council***  
**TERM:**             4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*  
**DESCRIPTION:**     The board shall advise the Secretary of the Department of Health and approve a program each year for cancer control and research and recommend a plan for the care and treatment of persons suffering from cancer.  
**QUALIFICATIONS:** Governor appoints 33 of 35 members. All must be residents of this state. Senate President and House Speaker each appoints 1 member. At least 1 member must be 60 years of age or older. At least 10 members must be minority persons as define by Section 288. 703(3). The Governor appoints the chairperson.

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**POSITION:**        6 *Beginning Date: 7/13/2005 Ending Date: 12/1/2008*  
Mrs. Cynthia J. Brown  
Pasco  
Representative of the Florida Nurses Association.

**POSITION:**        9 *Beginning Date: 7/13/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Dr. Robert S. Kirsner

Miami-Dade  
Representative of the School of Medicine of the University of  
Miami.  
POSITION: 17 *Beginning Date: 7/13/2005 Ending Date: 12/1/2008*  
Dr. Lance F. Grenevicki  
Brevard  
Representative of the Florida Dental Association.  
POSITION: 21 *Beginning Date: 7/13/2005 Ending Date: 12/1/2008*  
Mr. Stephen T. Parrish  
Orange  
Representative of the General Public acting as consumer  
advocate.

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**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.

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POSITION: 7 *Beginning Date: 8/16/2007 Ending Date: 12/10/2008*  
Mr. Owen B. McCaul  
Leon  
A blind person

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**BOARD:** 00146 *Florida Elections Commission*  
TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: Senate*  
DESCRIPTION: The Commission has jurisdiction to investigate and determine  
violations of the state election laws; refer matters to the state  
attorneys; record hearings; and impose civil penalties by fines.  
QUALIFICATIONS: Governor appoints a chair for a maximum of 4 years, term shall be  
concurrent with Governor term. Eight members appointed from a list of  
nominees submitted by the Senate President, Speaker, Senate and House  
minority leaders. Only five from the same political party. Members may  
serve only 2 full terms.

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POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 5/19/2008 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mr. Donald W. Rhodes

Collier

Governor appoints two members nominated by the President of the Senate.

POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 4/21/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mr. G. Gregory King

Polk

Governor appoints two members nominated by the President of the Senate.

POSITION: 6 *Beginning Date: 5/19/2008 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

The Honorable Thomas E. Rossin

Palm Beach

Governor appoints two members nominated by the Senate Minority Leader.

POSITION: 7 *Beginning Date: 4/21/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Ms. Beleria F. Floyd

Hillsborough

Governor appoints two members nominated by the Senate Minority Leader.

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**BOARD:** 00222 *Judicial Qualifications Commission*

TERM: 6 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The Commission investigates and recommends to the Supreme Court the reprimand or removal from office of any justice or judge whose conduct demonstrates an unfitness to hold office.

QUALIFICATIONS: No member except a justice or judge shall be eligible for judicial office while on the commission and 2 years thereafter; no member shall hold an office in a political party or hold public office.

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POSITION: 4 *Beginning Date: 1/16/2003 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Ms. Shirlee P. Bowne

Leon

Governor appoints 5 members who reside in the state, who have never held judicial office or been a member of the Florida Bar.

POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 1/16/2003 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mr. Stanley G. Tate

Miami-Dade

Governor appoints 5 members who reside in the state, who have never held judicial office or been a member of the Florida Bar.

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**BOARD:**            **00247 Board of Commissioners, North Broward Hospital District**

TERM:                    4 YEARS    *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION:            Board members shall establish, construct, operate and maintain such hospital or hospitals necessary to protect the health of the residents of the area.

QUALIFICATIONS:        One commissioner may be a member of the medical profession. Each subdistrict has one member. Members must post bond. A Member must reside in the subdistrict one year prior to appointment.

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POSITION:                1 *Beginning Date: 4/21/2005    Ending Date: 12/13/2008*

Mr. Daniel E. Gordon

Broward

subdistrict #1

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**BOARD:**            **00278 Flagler 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.

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POSITION:                5 *Beginning Date: 5/23/2005    Ending Date: 12/15/2008*

Mr. Rayfield Gilyard

Flagler

One member shall be a resident who is current in rent in a housing project or a Low-income person who resides in the jurisdiction of the housing authority.

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**BOARD:**            **00372 Pinellas 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.

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POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 5/23/2005 Ending Date: 12/1/2008*  
Mr. Deveron M. Gibbons  
Pinellas  
NA

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**BOARD:** 00388 *Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority*

TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The authority creates and improves water systems for the Florida Keys; regulates the use and supply of water, including rationing and regulations to enforce rationing.

QUALIFICATIONS: Five members appointed by Governor; must be registered electors residing in Monroe County at least six months.

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POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 1/6/2005 Ending Date: 12/30/2008*  
Mrs. Mary L. Rice  
Monroe

One member from County Commission District 4.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 1/6/2005 Ending Date: 12/30/2008*  
Mr. J. Robert Dean  
Monroe

One member from County Commission District 3

POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 1/6/2005 Ending Date: 12/30/2008*  
Mr. David C. Ritz  
Monroe

One member from County Commission District 5

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**BOARD:** 00398 *Southeast Volusia Hospital District*

TERM: 4 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: Members shall maintain a hospital or hospitals as is necessary

for the good of the people of the district; they shall appoint a superintendent and chief surgeon; borrow money and issue notes.

QUALIFICATIONS: Commissioners shall be qualified electors and property owners who reside in the district. Members must post a bond.

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POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 8/16/2007 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mr. Neal Coates Sr.  
Volusia  
Governor appoints a resident of the unincorporated area of the hospital district effective upon next vacancy.

POSITION: 6 *Beginning Date: 8/16/2007 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mr. Robert W. Lott  
Volusia  
Governor appoints a resident of the City of Edgewater.

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**BOARD:** 00478 *Indian River 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.

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POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 8/11/2005 Ending Date: 12/20/2008*  
Ms. Nola M. Wilson  
Indian River  
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**BOARD:** 01167 *Children's Services Council of Martin County*

TERM: Four years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: Provide and maintain child guidance; make available counseling clinics for juveniles as Council determines. Allocate and provide funds for agencies which operate for benefit of

juveniles. Collect information and statistical data to help County decide needs of children and juveniles.

QUALIFICATIONS: Governor appoints five of the nine members to the council.

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POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 3/18/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mrs. Samia M. Ferraro

Martin

Five members appointed by the Governor.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 3/18/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mrs. Deborah B. Crowder

Martin

Five members appointed by the Governor.

POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 3/18/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mrs. Marian M. Carpenter

Martin

Five members appointed by the Governor.

POSITION: 4 *Beginning Date: 3/18/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Ms. Karen K. Ripper

Martin

Five members appointed by the Governor.

POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 3/17/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mr. Anthony D. George Jr.

Martin

Five members appointed by the Governor.

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**BOARD: 01168 *Children's Board of Hillsborough County***

TERM: Four years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The mission of the Children's Board is to maximize the potential of families and communities to ensure the optimal development and well-being of children in Hillsborough County. Provide and maintain child guidance, psychological and psychiatric clinics for juveniles as board determines. Allocate and provide funds for agencies which operates for the benefit of juveniles.

QUALIFICATIONS: Governor appoints five out of nine members to the board for a term of four years.

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POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 2/19/2008 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mr. John G. Evon III  
Hillsborough  
Five members appointed by the Governor.  
POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 4/22/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mrs. Valerie H. Goddard  
Hillsborough  
Five members appointed by the Governor.  
POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 4/22/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mr. Thomas L. Hernandez  
Hillsborough  
Five members appointed by the Governor.  
POSITION: 4 *Beginning Date: 4/22/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mr. David A. Kennedy  
Hillsborough  
Five members appointed by the Governor.  
POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 4/22/2005 Ending Date: 12/31/2008*  
Mrs. Patricia A. McClure  
Hillsborough  
Five members appointed by the Governor.

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**BOARD:** 01529 *Hardee 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 7 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. A member can not be an employee of the county.

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POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 5/11/2006 Ending Date: 12/17/2008*  
Ms. Dawn J. Atkinson-Jones  
Hardee  
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**BOARD:**            **01699 State Board of Education**

TERM:                            4 years    *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION:                The board shall serve as the body corporate for Florida's seamless K-20 education system; implement the coordinated education vision, and oversee the success of that vision. The board shall enforce all laws, rules, and guidelines and shall provide timely direction, resources, assistance, intervention when needed, and strong incentives and disincentives to force accountability for results.

QUALIFICATIONS:            The board shall consist of 7 members who are residents of the state appointed by the Governor. Members may be reappointed for additional terms not to exceed 8 years of consecutive service. The Governor appoints the first chair of the board.

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POSITION:                    5 *Beginning Date: 5/9/2005    Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mrs. Phoebe H. Raulerson  
Okeechobee

Seven members appointed by the Governor.

POSITION:                    6 *Beginning Date: 5/9/2005    Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Mr. Roberto Martinez  
Miami-Dade

Seven members appointed by the Governor.

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**BOARD:**            **01729 Florida Arts Council**

TERM:                            4 Years    *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION:                The council shall advise the Secretary of State in all matters pertaining to art; stimulate and encourage throughout the state the study and presentation of the arts and public interest and participation; and promote the enhancement of the interiors of the Capitol Building and other public buildings and advise appropriate state officers, state agencies and the Department of Management Services.

QUALIFICATIONS:            The council shall consist of 15 members, 7 appointed by the Governor. No member may serve more than two 4-year terms. Members should have a substantial history of community service in the performing or visual arts; theatre, folk arts, music, etc.

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POSITION:                    3 *Beginning Date:    Ending Date: 12/31/2008*

Ms. Lois H. Benson

Escambia

Seven members appointed by the Governor.

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