



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
July 19, 2022

CONTACT:
Robert Agrusa
President/CEO
Central Florida Hotel & Lodging Association
(407) 907-8082
Robert.Agrusa@CFHLA.org

CFHLA PAC/PC ANNOUNCES ADDITIONAL ENDORSEMENTS FOR THE FLORIDA HOUSE AND LOCAL OFFICES ACROSS CENTRAL FLORIDA

Orlando, Fla (July 19, 2022) – Today, the Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association's (CFHLA) PAC and PC announced additional endorsements for the 2022 election cycle. This bipartisan slate includes endorsements for candidates running in primaries for the Florida House of Representatives, as well as the Orange County Commission and Orange County School Board.

Florida House of Representatives

Florida House of Representatives, District 39 – **Doug Bankson** (REP)
Florida House of Representatives, District 40 – **LaVon Bracy Davis** (DEM)
Florida House of Representatives, District 43 – **Johanna Lopez** (DEM)
Florida House of Representatives, District 44 – **Daisy Morales** (DEM)
Florida House of Representatives, District 45 – **Bruno Portigliatti** (REP)
Florida House of Representatives, District 47 – **Dan Marquith** (DEM)

Orange County

Orange County Commission, District 6 – **Roberta Walton Johnson**
Orange County School Board, District 1 – **Angie Gallo**
Orange County School Board, District 3 – **Alicia Farrant**

"CFHLA PAC and PC is extremely excited to support this diverse and passionate group of bipartisan candidates throughout the 2022 election cycle," said Jay Leonard, General Manager of the Wyndham Garden Lake Buena Vista Disney Springs Resort Area, and the Chairman of the CFHLA PAC and PC. "Each of these pro-hospitality candidates understand the importance of tourism and are eager to help find solutions to the challenges that we face as a region and as a state."

Robert Agrusa, president and CEO of the Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association went on to say, "We are confident that if elected, each of these candidates will seek policy solutions that not only support the hospitality industry and its workforce, but the continued vitality of our state and local community. We are proud to stand with each of these candidates and we strongly encourage our members to do the same on August 23, 2022."

The Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association's mission is to advance tourism and the community through hospitality. As the world's largest regional lodging association, CFHLA represents approximately 80 percent of the more than 129,500 hotel rooms in Orange, Seminole and Osceola counties, and nearly 500 "supplier" organizations that do business with the hospitality and tourism industries.

For more information on the Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association, please visit www.cfhla.org.

#