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TO: Mayor Jerry L. Demings
-AND-
Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Cheryl J. Gillespie, Supervisor 
Agenda Development Office

SUBJECT: Appointment to Community Action Board
CONSENT AGENDA ITEM OCTOBER 22, 2019

The Community Action Board (CAB) is responsible for development, review, supervision, evaluation, and making recommendations for final approval of all fiscal and program policies, plans, priorities, proposals, budgets, and any other activities to be conducted by Orange County Community Action. The CAB consists of three sectors: public sector, private sector, and low income community sector.

The Board of County Commissioners appoints the eight members of the public sector, which is composed of up to three County Commissioners, up to three elected officials from three different municipalities located in Orange County, up to two members representing the state of Florida or United States Congress, and one member of the Orange County School Board.

There are currently two vacancies on the CAB for municipal representatives due to the passing of City of Edgewood Mayor Ray A. Bagshaw and the resignation of former City of Belle Isle Mayor Lydia Pisano. The City of Edgewood has nominated Council Member Lee Chotas to succeed the late Mayor Bagshaw with a term expiring December 31, 2022. The City of Belle Isle has nominated Commissioner Susanne W. Nielsen to succeed former Mayor Pisano with a term expiring December 31, 2021. Copies of Council Member Chotas' and Commissioner Nielsen's advisory board applications for appointment are available upon request.

Please let me know if you require further information.

ACTION REQUESTED: Appointment to the Community Action Board of Council Member Lee Chotas in the municipal elected official category with a term expiring December 31, 2022 and Commissioner Susanne W. Nielsen in the municipal elected official category with a term expiring December 31, 2021.