

AGENDA DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

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TO:

Mayor Jerry L. Demings

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County Commissioners

FROM:

Cheryl J. Gillespie, Supervisor

Agenda Development Office

SUBJECT:

Appointment to the Tourist Development Tax Sports Incentive Committee

CONSENT AGENDA ITEM AUGUST 9, 2022

On October 31, 2017, the Board approved Resolution No. 2017-M-43, creating the Tourist Development Tax Sports Incentive Committee ("Committee"). The Committee reviews applications for sports incentive funds authorized under the Tourist Development Plan and submits recommendations to the Board for final determination on funding requests. The Committee is comprised of seven members in the following categories:

- chairperson selected by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board;
- certified public accountant;
- citizen representative;
- major Central Florida theme park representative;
- Visit Orlando representative;
- Central Florida Hotel & Lodging Association representative (CFHLA); and
- International Drive Resort Area Chamber of Commerce representative.

Recently, the CHFLA representative, Mark Politte, resigned. Accordingly, CFHLA has nominated John Leonard to succeed Mr. Politte with a term expiring December 31, 2023.

A copy of Mr. Leonard's advisory board application for appointment is available upon request. Please let me know if you require further information.

ACTION REQUESTED:

Tourist Appointment Leonard the of John to Development Tax Sports Incentive Committee in the Florida Lodging **Association** Central Hotel representative with expiring category December 31, 2023.