

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY BOARD

MMRB Liaison: Dr. Evelyn Cardenas, (319) 936-6416

MISSION

Conducts studies, hold hearings, and make recommendations to the Board of County Commissioners regarding the federal Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 and subsequent federal regulation.

STATUS OF VACANCIES

There is one vacancy on this seven-member board in the District 6 representative category due to the resignation on Erica Atterbury. The term of Victoria J. Laney expired June 30, 2026.

THE MMRB RECOMMENDS:

Consideration of the appointment of Dianna Shade-Herron to succeed Erica Atterbury in the District 6 representative category with a term expiring June 30, 2028.

<u>APPLICANT</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>DISTRICT</u>
Dianna Shade-Herron	The R.E.O. Foundation Inc./ Founder and President	6

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS:

Dianna Shade-Herron: Ms. Shade-Herron is the founder and president of The R.E.O. Foundation Inc., where she has been employed for two years. She is currently pursuing a bachelor's degree at the University of South Carolina Upstate. She is a member of the Central Florida Commission on Homelessness and the Women's Council of NAREB.

CURRENT BOARD

	<u>ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT</u>	<u>TERM EXPIRES</u>	<u>DISTRICT</u>
<u>District 1</u> Ross A. Piper	08/08/23	06/30/27	1
<u>District 2</u> Victoria J. Laney	12/15/20	06/30/26	2
<u>District 3</u> Lydia Pisano	09/14/21	06/30/27	3
<u>District 4</u> Elsa Lugo	06/16/26	06/30/28	4
<u>District 5</u> Sabrina Persaud	11/19/24	06/30/27	5
<u>District 6</u> Erica Atterbury [RESIGNED]	10/14/25	06/30/26	6
<u>Mayor</u> Rodney T. Rackley	09/14/21	06/30/27	4

Advisory Board Application for Appointment

Date: 4/10/2026

Application Number: 97982

Application Expires: 4/10/2028

Name: Ms. Dianna Shade-Herron

Business Address:

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Orlando, FL 32804

Home Address:

4417 Marshall Street
Orlando, FL 32811

Mail Address:

Not Listed

Email Address: diannashadeherron@yahoo.com

Home Telephone Number:

(407) 285-8535

Work Telephone Number:

(321) 274-4224

Employer: The R.E.O. Foundation Inc

Job Title: Founder and President

Years Employed: 2

Education:

School: University of South Carolina Upstate

Degree: B.A. - currently enrolled

Boards of Interest:

Affordable Housing Advisory Board
Community Development Advisory Board

Licenses and Certificates: Real estate associate

Issue Date: 10/1/2024

Issuing Authority: DPBR

Disciplinary Action: Not Listed

From: Not Listed

To: Not Listed

Personal History: My qualifications for appointment to the Community Development Advisory Board are rooted in both my lived experience and my professional work serving vulnerable populations. I have personally experienced homelessness, justice involvement, and the challenges of navigating systems as a single mother. These experiences have given me a firsthand understanding of the barriers individuals and families face when trying to access stable housing, employment, and supportive services. Professionally, I am the founder of a nonprofit organization focused on reentry support, housing stability, and economic empowerment for justice-impacted individuals and low-income families. Through this work, I engage in community outreach, resource coordination, and program development that aligns closely with the goals of the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program, particularly in expanding access to affordable housing, supporting underserved populations, and strengthening community-based services. Additionally, my background in real estate provides me with insight into housing access, development, and long-term sustainability. I am committed to advocating for equitable policies and ensuring that funding decisions reflect the real needs of the community, especially those who are often underrepresented. I believe my combination of lived experience, professional leadership, and commitment to community impact would allow me to contribute a valuable and informed perspective to the board.

Prior Relationship with County: No

Explain Prior Relationship: Not Listed

Reference: Tamara Shade

Phone Number: (352) 973-1169

Capacity/ Relationship: Partner work relationship

Reference: Phyllis Davis

Phone Number: (321) 440-7847

Capacity/ Relationship: Personal reference

Reference: Destiny Johnson

Phone Number: (305) 464-3233

Capacity/ Relationship: Business/work

Professional Organizations: Central Florida Commission on Homelessness

From: 03/2026

To: Present

Professional Organizations: Women's Council of NAREB

From: 01/2025

To: Present

Orange County Resident: Yes

Resident Since: 1981

Registered Voter: Yes

District: Orange County District 6

Previously Served On: Unlisted

Year Previously Served: Unlisted

Gender: Unlisted

Disabled: Unlisted

Are you of Hispanic origin? Unlisted

Race: Unlisted

Current Applicants for the Community Development Advisory Board as of 6/5/2026

Name	District/County	Application Date
Anderson, Isaiah	Orange County District 4	10/20/2024
Blanchette, Richard L.	Orange County District 4	4/29/2026
Bolling, Louis	Orange County District 3	3/15/2026
Burgess, Beverly D.	Orange County District 2	5/11/2026
Colon, Gil	Orange County District 5	8/14/2024
Cox, Sobrina Thomas	Orange County District 4	2/13/2026
Desai, Kishor C.	Orange County District 5	8/16/2024
Fernandez, Tatiana	Orange County District 4	12/26/2025
Gonzalez, Arianna M.	Orange County District 6	10/7/2025
Hirsch Korn, Alan	Orange County District 3	7/20/2024
Jackson, Lamont W.	Orange County District 2	10/2/2024
Johnson, Lynetta	Orange County District 2	1/7/2025
Jones, Brian H.	Orange County District 4	12/29/2025
Jones, Brian	Orange County District 4	12/6/2024
Jules-Robinson, Samara	Orange County District 5	12/21/2025
Keith, Kendell L.	Orange County District 5	12/9/2025
Kratt, Joey	Orange County District 4	2/3/2025
Lassel, Jason P.	Orange County District 2	2/18/2025
Lewis, Aaron E.	Orange County District 5	11/2/2024
Lynch, Patrick Merle	Orange County District 3	8/14/2024
McNeil-Holmes, Sharlena B.	Orange County District 2	4/19/2026
Miura, Sandra M.	Other	7/17/2024
Moldof, Zachary Granger	Orange County District 5	12/11/2024
Morgan, Kevin	Orange County District 4	6/19/2025
Olson, Janet Ellen	Orange County District 3	3/31/2026
Ramcharan, Sam Christine	Orange County District 5	6/20/2024
Robinson, Mathna	Orange County District 2	3/25/2026
Santana, Elvis	Orange County District 5	9/5/2024
Shade-Herron, Dianna	Orange County District 6	4/10/2026
Teel, Sade N.	Orange County District 5	1/13/2025
Thompson, Shakira Renee	Orange County District 4	4/29/2026
Walters, Michelle	Orange County District 3	5/9/2025
Wrenn, Christopher N.	Orange County District 5	1/13/2026