

May 1, 2020

TO:

Mayor Jerry L. Demings

-AND-

County Commissioners

FROM:

Byron W. Brooks, AICP, County Administrator

SUBJECT:

Appointments to the 2020 Value Adjustment Board

DISCUSSION AGENDA ITEM MAY 19, 2020

The Value Adjustment Board (VAB) serves as the decision-making authority when there is disagreement between the taxpayer and Property Appraiser concerning property exemptions, classifications, and valuations The VAB hears appeals regarding property value assessments, denied exemptions or classifications, ad valorem tax deferrals, portability decisions, and change of ownership or control.

The VAB is composed of the following:

- two members of the Board of County Commissioners (with two designated alternates);
- one citizen member appointed by the Board who must own homestead property within the county (with one designated alternate);
- one member of the school board: and
- one citizen member appointed by the school board.

David W. Robinson and Robert W. Caldwell have been serving on the VAB for several years as the citizen representative and designated alternate citizen representative, respectively. They have both indicated their willingness to serve, again.

At the May 19, 2020 meeting the Board will be asked to appoint two Commissioners and one citizen member to the 2020 VAB and designate two Commissioners and one citizen member as alternates. Mayor Demings has indicated his support for Commissioners Bonilla and Gomez Cordero as the two primary members and Commissioners VanderLey and Uribe as the two designated alternates in order to maintain equitable commissioner board assignments. The attachment shows previous terms to this board.

Please call me if you have any questions.

ACTION REQUESTED

Appointment of two Commissioners and one citizen member to the 2020 Value Adjustment Board and the designation of two alternate Commissioners and one alternate citizen member.

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Attachment

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VALUE ADJUSTMENT BOARD APPOINTMENTS

<u>Commissioner VanderLey</u> 2016, 2017 (alt), 2018, 2019 (alt)

Commissioner Uribe 2019 (alt)

Commissioner Bonilla 2017, 2018

<u>Citizen (David W. Robinson)</u> 2009 (alt), 2010 (alt), 2011 (alt), 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 **Commissioner Moore**

2019

<u>Commissioner Gomez Cordero</u> 2019

<u>Commissioner Siplin</u> 2015 (alt), 2016 (alt), 2017 (alt), 2018 (alt)

Alternate Citizen (Robert W. Caldwell) 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 2019