

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE  
Boards and Appointments

Vacancies

01/01/2010 - 01/31/2010

8/7/2009

**BOARD:**           **00098 *Public Employees Relations Commission***  
**TERM:**             4 YEARS   *Confirmation Required: Senate*  
**DESCRIPTION:**     The Commission construes and enforces the statutes and rules under which public employees may bargain collectively with their employers; determines bargaining units and provides a forum for controversies.  
**QUALIFICATIONS:**   Commissioners shall not be employed by or hold any commission with any governmental unit in the state or any employee organization or engage in any other business or employment while in office.

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**POSITION:**           3 *Beginning Date: 1/19/2006   Ending Date: 1/1/2010*  
Mrs. Jessica E. Varn  
Leon  
NA

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**BOARD:**           **00245 *Merritt Island Library District Board, Brevard County***  
**TERM:**             3 YEARS   *Confirmation Required: None*  
**DESCRIPTION:**     The Board shall maintain and conduct a library and any facilities, buildings and structures related to and used or operated in conjunction with a library.  
**QUALIFICATIONS:**   Members shall be property owners in the district. Members must reside within Merritt Island boundary.

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**POSITION:**           7 *Beginning Date: 1/27/2009   Ending Date: 1/17/2010*  
Mrs. Suzan C. Sannicandro  
Brevard  
NA

**POSITION:**           10 *Beginning Date: 1/27/2009   Ending Date: 1/17/2010*  
Mr. Thomas D. McGill  
Brevard  
NA

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**BOARD:**            **00291 *Hamilton County Memorial Hospital Board***

TERM:                    4 YEARS    *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION:            The Board shall adopt such bylaws for their own guidance and for the government of the hospital as may be expedient. They shall have exclusive control of the expenditures of all monies.

QUALIFICATIONS:        Members shall serve at large and take an oath of office.

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POSITION:                1 *Beginning Date: 2/16/2006    Ending Date: 1/22/2010*

Mrs. Amelia H. Tompkins

Hamilton

NA

POSITION:                2 *Beginning Date: 2/16/2006    Ending Date: 1/22/2010*

Mrs. Ida L. Daniels

Hamilton

NA

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**BOARD:**            **00334 *Manatee County Housing Authority***

TERM:                    4 YEARS    *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION:            The housing authority shall provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of dwelling units for the purpose of improving the state of affordable housing; hold or improve real property; may acquire by gift, grant, bequest, devise, or otherwise any property; investigate into living, dwelling and housing conditions and into means and methods for improving such conditions.

QUALIFICATIONS:        Members are qualified electors from the county and are not employed by the county.

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POSITION:                1 *Beginning Date: 9/18/2007    Ending Date: 1/5/2010*

Mrs. Linda C. Cinque

Manatee

NA

POSITION:                2 *Beginning Date: 9/18/2007    Ending Date: 1/15/2010*

Ms. Dani Lynn Lolli-Pearson

Manatee

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**BOARD:**            **00355 *Palm Beach County Housing Authority***

TERM:                    4 YEARS    *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION:            The housing authority shall provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of dwelling units for the purpose of improving the state of affordable housing; hold or improve real property; may acquire by gift, grant, bequest, devise, or otherwise any property; investigate into living, dwelling and housing conditions and into means and methods for improving such conditions.

QUALIFICATIONS:        Members are qualified electors from the county and are not employed by the county.

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POSITION:                2 *Beginning Date: 5/21/2008    Ending Date: 1/14/2010*

Mr. Roger B. Rukin

Palm Beach

NA

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**BOARD:**            **00372 *Pinellas County Housing Authority***

TERM:                    4 YEARS    *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION:            The housing authority shall provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of dwelling units for the purpose of improving the state of affordable housing; hold or improve real property; may acquire by gift, grant, bequest, devise, or otherwise any property; investigate into living, dwelling and housing conditions and into means and methods for improving such conditions.

QUALIFICATIONS:        Members are qualified electors from the county and are not employed by the county.

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POSITION:                2 *Beginning Date: 3/23/2009    Ending Date: 1/21/2010*

Mr. Joseph M. Triolo

Pinellas

NA

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**BOARD:**            **00379 *Santa Rosa Bay Bridge Authority***

TERM:                    4 YEARS    *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The authority is responsible for construction of the Santa Rosa County Bay Bridge System, including land purchase and finance agreement, after approval by a resource planning and management committee

QUALIFICATIONS: Governor appoints 3 of 7 members, all permanent residents of Santa Rosa County, none elected officials at time of appointment. Others serve: 3 appointed by County Commission; District Engineer (ex officio).

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POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 4/4/2006 Ending Date: 1/3/2010*

Mr. Alvin M. Lamb

Santa Rosa

Governor's appointee.

POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 4/4/2006 Ending Date: 1/3/2010*

Mrs. Pamela E. Langham

Santa Rosa

Governor's appointee.

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**BOARD:** 01081 *Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission*

TERM: 3 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The Commission ascertains such methods, practices and conditions as may be disclosed for bringing about the conservation and prevention of the depletion and waste of Gulf seaboard fisheries.

QUALIFICATIONS: The citizen member shall be appointed by the Governor and shall have a knowledge of and interest in the marine fisheries problem.

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POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 5/20/2009 Ending Date: 1/5/2010*

Mr. Hayden R. Dempsey

Leon

Citizen of Florida appointed by the Governor for a 3-year term.

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**BOARD:** 01120 *Florida Interagency Coordinating Council for Infants and Toddlers*

TERM: 3 YEARS *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The Council is established to enhance opportunities for Florida's infants and toddlers with special needs and their families. The Council shall advise and assist the state lead agency and other entities in the development, implementation, and evaluation of

policies and procedures; educate decision-makers, service providers, families and all Floridians.

QUALIFICATIONS: The Council must be appointed by the Governor. The Governor shall ensure that the membership of the Council reasonably represents the population of the State.

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POSITION: 6 *Beginning Date: 3/3/2009 Ending Date: 1/1/2010*  
Ms. Bambi J. Lockman  
Leon  
At least 1 member of the state education agency responsible for preschool service to children with disabilities.

POSITION: 10 *Beginning Date: 3/3/2009 Ending Date: 1/1/2010*  
Ms. Luz L. Morillo  
Miami-Dade  
At large members appointed by the Governor.

POSITION: 18 *Beginning Date: 3/3/2009 Ending Date: 1/1/2010*  
Ms. Lorraine H. Allen  
Leon  
At least 1 member shall be a representative designated by the Office of Coordinator for Education of Homeless Children and Youths.

POSITION: 19 *Beginning Date: 3/3/2009 Ending Date: 1/1/2010*  
Mrs. Deborah V. Russo  
Leon  
At least 1 member from the state agency responsible for child care.

POSITION: 21 *Beginning Date: 3/3/2009 Ending Date: 1/1/2010*  
Ms. Karen M. Hartz  
Duval  
At least 1 member shall be from a Head Start program.

POSITION: 22 *Beginning Date: 3/3/2009 Ending Date: 1/1/2010*  
Dr. Lori M. Massey  
St. Lucie  
At least 1 member shall be from a personnel preparation program.

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**BOARD:** 01589 *Florida Greenways and Trails Council*

TERM: 2 Years *Confirmation Required: None*

DESCRIPTION: The council shall advise DEP and other agency on policies

relating to the Florida Greenways and Trails System, and promote intergovernmental cooperation; recommend priorities for critical links in the Florida Greenways and Trails System; facilitate a statewide system of interconnected land-based trails that connect urban, suburban, and rural areas of the state.

QUALIFICATIONS: The council shall compose of 21 members, 5 appointed by the Governor. No member shall serve on the council for more than four consecutive terms.

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POSITION: 2 *Beginning Date: 8/15/2008 Ending Date: 1/23/2010*  
Mr. Deno A. Hicks  
Duval  
The Governor appoints two members representing the trail user community.

POSITION: 3 *Beginning Date: 8/15/2008 Ending Date: 1/23/2010*  
Ms. Kathryn E. Starkey  
Pasco  
The Governor appoints two members representing the greenway user community.

POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 8/15/2008 Ending Date: 1/23/2010*  
Mr. Henry C. Smallwood Jr.  
Gulf  
The Governor appoints one member representing private landowners.

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**BOARD:** **01687 Board of Trustees, University of Florida**

TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 7 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Earl W. Powell

Miami-Dade  
Six members appointed by the Governor  
POSITION: 8 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Roland C. Daniels  
Alachua  
Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** 01688 *Board of Trustees, University of South Florida*  
TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*  
DESCRIPTION: The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.  
QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 7 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Dr. Kiran C. Patel  
Hillsborough  
Six members appointed by the Governor  
POSITION: 10 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mrs. Sonja W. Garcia  
Hillsborough  
Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** 01689 *Board of Trustees, University of North Florida*  
TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*  
DESCRIPTION: The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy,

budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 10 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*

Dr R. Bruce Taylor

Duval

Six members appointed by the Governor

POSITION: 12 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*

Dr. Edythe M. Abdullah

Duval

Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** 01690 *Board of Trustees, Florida State University*

TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 8 *Beginning Date: 1/23/2007 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*

Mr. William A. Haggard

Miami-Dade

Six members appointed by the Governor

POSITION: 9 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*

Mr. Derrick D. Brooks

Hillsborough

Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** **01691 *Board of Trustees, Florida A and M University***  
**TERM:** 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*  
**DESCRIPTION:** The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.  
**QUALIFICATIONS:** The board shall consist 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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**POSITION:** 6 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Ms. Laura M. Branker  
Out-of-State  
Six member appointed by the Governor  
**POSITION:** 7 *Beginning Date: 6/20/2007 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Dr. Solomon L. Badger III  
Duval  
Six member appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** **01692 *Board of Trustees, University of West Florida***  
**TERM:** 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*  
**DESCRIPTION:** The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.  
**QUALIFICATIONS:** The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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**POSITION:** 1 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Honor M. Bell  
Escambia  
Six members appointed by the Governor

POSITION: 11 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mrs. Sharon H. Herrick  
Escambia  
Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** 01693 *Board of Trustees, Florida Atlantic University*

TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Scott H. Adams  
Palm Beach  
Six members appointed by the Governor

POSITION: 5 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mrs. Lalita M. Janke  
Indian River  
Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** 01694 *Board of Trustees, Florida International University*

TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The Board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity

and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 1 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Robert K. Landon  
Miami-Dade  
Six members Appointed by the Governor

POSITION: 11 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mrs. Patricia L. Frost  
Miami-Dade  
Six members Appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** **01695 *Board of Trustees, Florida Gulf Coast University***

TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 9 *Beginning Date: 6/9/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Ms. Jaynie M. Whitcomb  
Lee  
Six members appointed by the Governor

POSITION: 10 *Beginning Date: 5/12/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Plutarco M. Villalobos  
Lee  
Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** **01696 *Board of Trustees, University of Central Florida***

TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The Board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy

decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 4 *Beginning Date: 1/24/2006 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Alan S. Florez  
Flagler

POSITION: 10 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. Conrad Santiago  
Orange  
Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:** **01697 *Board of Trustees, New College of Florida***

TERM: 5 years *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION: The board shall be responsible for cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to the university's mission, the implementation and maintenance of high-quality education programs within law and rules of the Florida Board of Education, the measurement of performance, the reporting of information, and the provision of input regarding state policy, budgeting and education standards.

QUALIFICATIONS: The board shall consist of 13 members, 6 appointed by the Governor and 5 appointed by the Board of Governors. The Governor shall consider diversity and regional representation, but there shall be no state residency requirement. No legislative lobbyist shall serve as a trustee.

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POSITION: 11 *Beginning Date: 5/10/2005 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mrs. Jane T. Smiley  
Sarasota

A resident of Sarasota County appointed by the Governor

POSITION: 12 *Beginning Date: 5/20/2009 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Ms. Mary L. Ruiz  
Manatee

Six members appointed by the Governor

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**BOARD:**            **01704 *Higher Education Facilities Financing Authority***

TERM:                            5 years    *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION:                The purpose of this act is to provide a measure of assistance and an alternative method enabling private institutions of higher education to provide the facilities and structures that are needed. The authority shall assist institutions of higher education in constructing, financing, and refinancing projects throughout the state.

QUALIFICATIONS:            The authority shall consist of 5 members, appointed by the Governor to be confirmed by the Senate.

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POSITION:                    3 *Beginning Date: 11/17/2005    Ending Date: 1/17/2010*

William T. Kirtley

Sarasota

Five members appointed by the Governor.

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**BOARD:**            **01743 *Board of Governors of the State University System***

TERM:                            7 Years    *Confirmation Required: Senate*

DESCRIPTION:                The board shall operate, regulate, control, and be fully responsible for the management of the whole university system. The responsibilities shall include defining the distinctive mission of each constituent university and its articulation with free public schools and community colleges, ensuring the well-planned coordination and operation of the system, and avoiding wasteful duplication of programs.

QUALIFICATIONS:            The board shall consist of 17 members, 14 appointed by the Governor, subject to Senate confirmation. The Commissioner of Education, chair of the advisory council of faculty senates, and the president of Florida student association, shall also be members of the board.

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POSITION:                    1 *Beginning Date: 1/7/2003    Ending Date: 1/6/2010*

Dr. Zachariah P. Zachariah

Broward

Appointed by the Governor

POSITION:                    4 *Beginning Date: 1/7/2003    Ending Date: 1/6/2010*

Mrs. Carolyn K. Roberts

Marion

Appointed by the Governor  
POSITION: 6 *Beginning Date: 1/7/2003 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Mr. John H. Dasburg  
Miami-Dade

Appointed by the Governor  
POSITION: 10 *Beginning Date: 6/18/2003 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Ms. Ava L. Parker  
Duval

Appointed by the Governor  
POSITION: 11 *Beginning Date: 12/9/2003 Ending Date: 1/6/2010*  
Ms. Sheila M. McDevitt  
Hillsborough  
Appointed by the Governor

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