

RICK SCOTT GOVERNOR

April 18, 2018

The Honorable Steven T. Mnuchin Secretary U. S. Department of the Treasury 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest Washington, D. C. 20220

Dear Secretary Mnuchin:

Section 1400Z-1(b)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code provides that a state's chief executive officer may nominate a limited number of low-income community population census tracts and population census tracts that are contiguous to low-income communities for designation as qualified opportunity zones no later than the end of the determination period. On March 8, 2018, I requested and was granted an extension of the determination period to April 20, 2018, under section 1400Z-1(b)(2) of the Code.

This letter serves as notification to your office that I would like to nominate the tracts identified in the accompanying Opportunity Zone Nomination Tool for designation as qualified opportunity zones based on Revenue Procedure 2018-16 published in the Internal Revenue Bulletin 2018-9 on February 26, 2018.

I await your reply and will provide further communication as needed.

Sincerely,

Rick Scott Governor

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Enclosures