STATE OF FLORIDA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 2023E-13

WHEREAS, the people of the State of Florida, by constitutional amendment, have declared that a public office is a public trust and the people have a right to secure and sustain that trust against abuse; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida Commission on Ethics has been created to ensure that public officers and employees do not abuse the trust placed in them; and

WHEREAS, Andreana Jackson was at all times material hereto the Vice Mayor for the City of North Bay Village, and as such was subject to the provisions of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees, Part III of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes, and subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission on Ethics; and

WHEREAS, in the Final Order and Public Report No. 22-003 rendered on January 26, 2022, the Commission on Ethics adopted the Joint Stipulation of Fact, Law, and Recommended Order entered into between the Commission and Andreana Jackson and therein found that Andreana Jackson violated section 112.313(6), Florida Statutes, by requesting and receiving free admission to a charity event for herself and a friend on the basis that she was Vice Mayor of the City of North Bay Village; and

WHEREAS, the findings, conclusions, and recommendations of the Commission on Ethics Final Order and Public Report No. 22-003 are accepted.

NOW THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, Governor of Florida, in obedience to my constitutional duty to take care that the laws be faithfully executed, and pursuant to the

Constitution and laws of the State of Florida, issue this Executive Order, effective immediately, declaring that:

- 1. Andreana Jackson violated section 112.313(6), Florida Statutes, by requesting and receiving free admission to a charity event for herself and a friend on the basis that she was Vice Mayor of the City of North Bay Village.
- 2. A civil penalty in the amount of \$1,500 for the violation of section 112.313(6), Florida Statutes, is hereby imposed on Andreana Jackson, which shall be satisfied within thirty (30) days of the date of this order. Payment must be submitted with a written statement under oath that the penalty amount was not paid with public funds and will not be reimbursed with public funds.
 - 3. Andreana Jackson is hereby publicly censured and reprimanded.

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DATE: November 17, 2023

By:

Ryan D. Newman GENERAL COUNSEL

On behalf of and by the authority of Governor Ron DeSantis

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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