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## **CFHLA Endorsed Candidates Victorious in General Election Races**

**ORLANDO, Fla.** (November 22, 2022) – The Central Florida Hotel & Lodging Association (CFHLA) PAC & PC endorsed 16 pro hospitality/tourism candidates during the 2022 General Election races.

Following the announcement of the results, CFHLA is thrilled to have had a **100% success rate** in turning out the Central Florida hospitality industry.

The bi-partisan slate of endorsed candidates included races for the Florida Senate, Florida House of Representatives, Orange County Commission, Orange County School Board, Osceola County Commission and Seminole County Commission.

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### **Endorsed Candidates:**

#### **Florida Senate:**

- Jason Brodeur (R), District 9

#### **Florida House of Representatives:**

- Keith Truenow (R), District 26
- Fred Hawkins (R), District 35
- Rachel Plakon (R), District 36
- Susan Plasencia (R), District 37
- David Smith (R), District 38
- Doug Bankson (R), District 39
- LaVon Bracy Davis (D), District 40
- Johanna Lopez (D), District 43
- Kristen Arrington (D), District 46

#### **Orange County Commission:**

- Maribel Gomez Cordero, District 4
- Michael “Mike” Scott, District 6

**Orange County School Board:**

- Alicia Farrant, District 3

**Osceola County Commission:**

- Viviana Janer (D), District 3

**Seminole County Commission:**

- Jay Zembower (R), District 2
- Amy Lockhart (R), District 4

The Central Florida Hotel & Lodging Association's mission is to advance tourism and the community through hospitality. As the world's largest regional lodging association, CFHLA represents approximately 80 percent of the more than 129,000 hotel rooms in Orange, Seminole and Osceola counties, and nearly 500 "supplier" organizations that do business with the hospitality and tourism industries.

For more information on the Central Florida Hotel and Lodging Association, please visit [www.cfhla.org](http://www.cfhla.org).

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