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MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 1, 2024

TO: Active Members of the Florida Government Finance

Officers Association

FROM: Jonathan McKinney, Chair of the FGFOA Nominating

Committee

SUBJECT: Call for Candidates

The FGFOA Nominating Committee is seeking candidates for three at-large Board positions and the position of Secretary/Treasurer. These three Board positions will be elected for a three-year term.

If you would like to serve in one of these positions, please refer to the FGFOA website for the application at www.fgfoa.org. The application must be submitted to the FGFOA office no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 29, 2024. Please be advised that you will need to submit a resume and electronic picture along with your application.

In order to be considered as a candidate for Director, individuals must have met all of the following minimum criteria:

- *Maintained active membership in the FGFOA for at least three years*
- Served or be serving as chair of an FGFOA Standing Committee, or as a President of a recognized local FGFOA Chapter
- Actively served at least two years on an FGFOA Standing Committee or Ad hoc Committee.
- Certified that he/she has not been convicted of a felony in the last ten years

Additionally, in order to be considered as a candidate for Secretary/Treasurer, individuals must be currently serving as a Director or have served as a Director within the past three years, provided he/she shall have served at least three years total as a FGFOA Director.

Once it has been established that the objective criteria have been met, candidates will be considered based on public and professional contributions, professional certifications, and demonstrated leadership. The Nominating Committee will also give consideration to candidates who provide a balanced and diversified representation with regard to professional discipline, as well as the candidate's governmental type, population size, and geographic location. The Nominating Committee has the unilateral right to determine *qualified* candidates and may reject any application.

After evaluating potential candidates, the Nominating Committee shall recommend a qualified member (one candidate) who is considered to be the best suited to serve in the office of Secretary/Treasurer and to recommend a qualified member (one candidate) who is considered best suited to serve each open seat for Director. These recommendations shall be listed on the slate at a date and time to be determined in the near future.

For a copy of the most recent By-Laws or Policies and Procedures, which detail the nomination procedures and guidelines, please refer to the FGFOA website.