

**CAREERSOURCE GULF COAST  
ANNUAL LUNCHEON MEETING  
November 4, 2022**

CareerSource Gulf Coast held its annual meeting luncheon on Friday, November 4, 2022 at 11:30 a.m. Central Time, at the Advanced Technology Center of Gulf Coast State College, Panama City.

Members Present:

Dr. Pat Hardman (V)	Ms. Elinor Mount-Simmons (V)
Ms. Christy Smith(V)	Mr. John Deegins (V)
Dr. Cheryl Flax-Hyman (V)	Mr. Joey Ginn (V)
Ms. Shelly Scarborough (V)	Ms. Alex Murphy (V)
Ms. Rebekah Vassar (V)	Mr. Derrick Henderson (V)

Members Absent:

Mr. Aaron Little (V)  
Ms. Sheila Hauser (V)  
Mr. Christian Johnson (V)  
Mrs. Lisa Barnes-Tapscott (V)  
Mrs. Becca Hardin (V)  
Mr. Fred Croon (V)  
Mr. Stephan Jordan (V)  
Mr. Ted Mosteller (V)  
Mr. Jim McKnight (V)

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Also present were Mr. Andrew Biondo, North Florida Regional Manager, External Affairs representing CFO Jimmy Patronis; Representative Jason Shoaf and his legislative aides Ms. Leann Bunton and Ms. Amber Norris; Ms. Michelle Dennard, Ms. Adriane Grant, and Mr. James Mosteller, CareerSource Florida; Sheriff Tommy Ford; Commissioner Robert Carroll, Bay County Board of County Commission; Mr. David Hughes, Franklin County Schools; Mr. Bob Bodine, Mr. Glen McDonald, Ms. Tassalhie Dekouche, Mrs. Marissa Hunt, Ms. Linda Cohen, Ms. Alisa Stewart, Ms. Angela McLane, Ms. Canica Simmons; Gulf Coast State College; Mrs. Patty Butchikas and Sonya Livingston Smith, Representative Elect Griff Griffiths office in Bay County, Mr. Dayton Lister, Department of Corrections; Ms. Ann Leonard, Incoming Bay County School Board; Angela Reese, Director of Haney Technical Center; Mr. Kendrick Larry, Division of Blind Services; Ms. Aimee Bright, Bay Chamber; Ms. Sharon Trainor, Healthy Start Coalition of Bay, Franklin and Gulf Counties, Inc.; Ms. Carlas Wodford and Ms. Eva Woods, Royal American Management; Mrs. Kathy Motley, Mr. Amos Pittman, Mr. Kyle Johnson, Mr. Joe Harris, Ms. Mary McHale, Ms. Dietra Lovett, Department of Economic Opportunity; and CareerSource Gulf Coast Staff: Mrs. Kimberly Bodine, Executive Director, Ms. Maria Goodwin, Mrs. Deb Blair, Mr. Lee Ellzey, Ms. Jennifer German, Mrs. Shannon Walding, Mrs. Becky Samarripa, Ms. Janine Dexter, Ms. Paula McDonald, Ms. Dewy Powell, Mr. Corbett Hines, Ms. Valentina Web, Ms. Emily Barba-Jaume, Mrs. Emily Tucker, Mr. Dean Wilcox, Ms. Michelle Bailey, Mr. Daniel Sanford, Mr. Jerry Bushee, Ms. Joan Hamm, Ms. Sherry White, Ms. Alison Woods, Ms. Cindy Palmer, Ms. Michel Smith, Mrs. Cathy Rutherford and Ms. Donna Stapleton.

Mrs. Kimberly Bodine, Executive Director, welcomed everyone to the meeting. The Posting of Colors was made by the Arnold High School Navy JROTC. Ms. Rebekah Poe was the vocalist for the National Anthem. Mrs. Bodine led the Pledge of Allegiance and Ms. Elinor Mount-Simmons gave the Invocation.

Mrs. Bodine, Executive Director, recognized the community leaders, service providers and board members in attendance and thanked them for their efforts in achieving a successful year. A video presentation of program highlights and participant success stories was viewed. Mrs. Bodine presented certificates of appreciation of participant achievements.

Election of Officers:

Dr. Pat Hardman, Board Chair, called the meeting to order. A slate of officers was provided to all board members present. Dr. Pat Hardman asked if there were any other nominations. There were no additional nominations and she asked for a motion to approve the slate of officers for 2022- 2023.

Chair (Franklin)	Elinor Mount-Simmons
Vice-Chair (Bay)	Joey Ginn
Past Chair (Gulf)	Dr. Pat Hardman
Executive Committee - Franklin	Ted Mosteller
Executive Committee - Bay County	Christy Smith
Executive Committee – Bay County	John Deegins

**Mr. John Deegins made a motion to accept the Slate of Officers as presented for 2022-2023. Ms. Christy Smith seconded, and the motion was passed unanimously.**

Mrs. Elinor Mount-Simmons as newly appointed Chair asked if there were any public comments. As there were none, she adjourned the meeting.