

January 25, 2022

Sandra Wilson City Manager 110 SE Watula Avenue Ocala, Fl 34471

Re: Appointment to the Ocala Employees' Retirement System Board of Trustees

Dear Mrs. Wilson,

The Board of Trustees of the Ocala Employees' Retirement System is comprised of five members: two general employees elected by a majority of the membership and three residents of the City who are appointed by City Council. Each serves a three-year term and may succeed themselves in office.

Mr. Douglas Peebles is now completing his first three-year term on the Board. His term will expire March 2022. When the December 2021 nominations were requested Mr. Peebles was the only one that accepted the nomination by his peers. The General Employees' Retirement Board would like to recommend that City Council approve his reappointment as a Trustee. Mr. Peebles has indicated a desire to serve again. He currently serves as Chairman and has proven to be a valuable member of our Board over the years.

Thank you for your consideration. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Thank You,

Alicia Gaither Pension Manager

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Cc: Douglas Peebles