

CALL FOR NOMINATION SPACE COAST CHAPTER BOARD



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Call for Nomination to the Space Coast Florida Local Chapter Board

In October 2023, I formally issued a Call for Nomination to the First Coast Florida Local Chapter Board and gave some insight into the FGFOA's efforts to reinvigorate the struggling or dormant local chapters.

Since that writing, the FGFOA conducted a very successful Networking/CPE event in Jacksonville and there is now a Board of Directors for the First Coast Florida Chapter! These volunteers are working to re-establish the chapter and develop an agenda that includes educational and networking opportunities for the many government finance professionals in that area. Thank you to those who stepped up and we're looking forward to much success for First Coast Florida in the future!

As mentioned in the previous communication, a new Board has been elected for the Southwest Florida Chapter and they have been working hard to bring new energy to the area and resume local chapter activities.

The other struggling Local Chapter previously discussed is Space Coast Florida. Several people have expressed interest in re-activating the chapter. In response, the FGFOA will be conducting a Networking/CPE event on February 9th, like what was done in Jacksonville. Once again, our goal is to nominate a full slate of Board members. **This email serves as a formal call for nominations to serve on the Space Coast Florida Local Chapter Board**, and we are looking for energetic, passionate people who want to ensure the traditions of education and networking continue in this region. An invitation to this networking session will be sent shortly to members in that area and we hope you will join us. In the meantime, if you are interested in serving, please click here.

In closing, I want to thank my fellow FGFOA Officers and Board members for their support of this Local Chapter success initiative. I especially want to thank Past-President Jamie Roberson, Chair of the Local Chapters Ad-Hoc Committee, for leading this effort and continuing to serve the members of our great organization.

Finally, thank you for your membership in the FGFOA and for entrusting me to be your President.

Sincerely, Frank DiPaolo

