

## **BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS**

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### **FRIENDS OF SANFORD, INC.**

|  | <b><u>Effective<br/>Date</u></b> | <b><u>Reappointed<br/>Date</u></b> | <b><u>Term<br/>Expires</u></b> |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Mayor – Rebecca Wyhof Salmon                     | 07-26-22                         | 03-18-25                           | 06-30-25                       |
| Council Member – Mark Akinosho                   | 02-09-24                         | 03-18-25                           | 06-30-25                       |
| Council Member – Linda Rhodes                    | 09-20-22                         | 03-18-25                           | 06-30-25                       |
| Assistant City Manager – Beth Kelly              | 08-20-19                         | 03-18-25                           | 06-30-25                       |
| Citizen At-Large – Chet Mann                     | 09-20-22                         | 03-18-25                           | 06-30-25                       |
| SAGA CEO – Jimmy Randolph                        | 08-17-20                         | 03-18-25                           | 06-30-25                       |
| Lee Co. Arts Council President –<br>Sheryl Davis | 01-16-24                         | 03-18-25                           | 06-30-25                       |

### **Purpose**

To develop, maintain, improve, expand, erect, enhance, support, preserve, fund, encourage, and sustain public parks operated and owned by the City for the benefit of its users and the general public; aid, encourage, and advise in the maintenance and operation of the recreational facilities; acquire, hold, improve, preserve, develop, and restore facilities and real estate for recreational, historical, or charitable purposes use by the general public; commission, develop, install, secure, and fund art works and art pieces, to include monuments, murals, sculpture, decorative, or educational pieces, works, or elements to improve public spaces; restore, renovate, build, develop, rehabilitate, improve, and revitalize historic buildings, structures, and facilities for public use; solicit and receive gifts, grants, subscriptions, devises, or bequests of real or personal property from public or private sources in order to carry out the purposes of this corporation; and hold, sell, dispose of, invest or reinvest such funds or properties in any manner as the corporation may deem appropriate for achieving the purposes of the corporation; and maintain revolving funds for purposes of carrying out the activities set forth herein; support, encourage, fund, develop, improve, enhance facilities and programs to benefit to homeless and disadvantaged residents of the area; provide, develop, maintain and enhance shelters, feeding, clothing, and other activities or programs to support the homeless and disadvantaged residents of the area; subject to the general limitations set out in the Articles of Incorporation, those contained in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code and applicable Treasury Regulations, to engage in any other lawful activities and to do all other acts necessary or expedient for the successful prosecution of the purposes of the corporation in furtherance of its charitable, education, and any other exempt purposes; and in support of and consistent with the Articles of Incorporation, accept contributions, whether of money, property, or services, and make loans, whether interest bearing or not, investments, gifts, or grants, and to do such other lawful acts as will promote the charitable, educational, and other exempt purposes of the corporation.

### **Appointment Authority**

The Friends of Sanford, Inc., non-profit corporate board shall consist of seven members appointed by City Council to serve one-year terms as outlined in the by-laws of the corporation and by virtue of their positions (as approved at the August 20, 2019, City Council meeting): Mayor; two Council members; Financial Services Director; Citizen At-Large; SAGA (Sanford Area Growth Alliance) Chief Executive Officer; and President of the Lee County Arts Council.

**Meeting Time and Location**

Friends of Sanford, Inc., will meet as needed in the Buggy Conference Room, Buggy Building, located at 115 Chatham Street, Sanford. The annual meeting will be held on the second Thursday of July annually at 6:00 p.m.

## **Addresses and Phone Numbers**

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### **Friends of Sanford, Inc.**

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