

December 2, 2014

**APPOINTMENTS TO THE PINELLAS COUNTY ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**

On June 10, 2003, the Board of County Commissioners approved an ordinance providing for the repeal of Section 2-441 of the Pinellas County Code, which had previously created the St. Petersburg/Clearwater Area Economic Development Council. Section 2-441 of the Pinellas County Code was restated to create the Pinellas County Economic Development Council.

The ordinance states that the Council is to be made up of not more than 100 members who are to be appointed by the Board of County Commissioners. Members shall serve two-year terms, and are to be nominated by businesses, business organizations, business trade associations, and the Board of County Commissioners.

There are two new appointments going before the Board for approval with term expirations set for December 2016.

NEW APPOINTMENT:

Matt Becker

Pridestaff

Stuart Rogel

Tampa Bay Partnership



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Matt Becker

Matt Becker is a franchise owner/Strategic-Partner with the national staffing firm PrideStaff. His franchise is located in Clearwater and focuses its efforts on developing business in the Pinellas County market. Prior to starting his business, Matt was the Chief Operating Officer for 2012 Tampa Bay Host Committee for the Republican National Convention. His responsibilities included the oversight of the day-to-day operations of the Host Committee including marketing, communications, events and volunteers. Matt moved to Pinellas County in 2006 and spent 5 years working as a private banker in south Pinellas County for Regions Bank. Prior to moving to Florida, Matt served in the Administration of President George W. Bush and finished his service as the Deputy Chief of Staff and White House Liaison at the U.S. Small Business Administration.

Matt has been married for thirteen years to his wife Amanda, and has two young children. They reside in the East Lake area in North Pinellas County.



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Stuart L. Rogel
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TAMPA BAY PARTNERSHIP

Stuart L. Rogel is the president & chief executive officer of the Tampa Bay Partnership, the eight-county economic development organization representing the Tampa Bay region. Founded in 1994, the Partnership is responsible for the economic prosperity of the 6,515 square miles of west-central Florida, which includes the metropolitan areas of Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, Lakeland-Winter Haven, North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton and Homosassa Springs in

addition to the counties of Citrus, Hernando, Hillsborough, Manatee, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk and Sarasota.

Prior to joining the Partnership, Rogel served as the regional director for the Florida office of New Boston Fund Properties, a full-service real estate development, management and investment company. Previously, he worked as assistant city manager and economic and community development director for the City of Miami Beach. During this period, he was responsible for guiding the community through its dramatic and successful revitalization and redevelopment.

Rogel currently serves as a trustee for the Florida Chamber Foundation and is a member of the United Way Suncoast Board of Directors. He also serves as the volunteer chair of the Team Florida Marketing Partnership reporting to the Enterprise Florida Board of Directors on its progress. Nationally, he is active with the Urban Land Institute and is a frequent speaker before the International Economic Development Council. Rogel is a graduate of Leadership Florida Class XXI, is the past chair of ULI's Tampa Bay District Council and past president of the Florida Economic Development Council.

A resident of Florida since 1984, Rogel earned his undergraduate degree from Lake Forest College and his Master's degree in Urban and Regional Planning from George Washington University. In his spare time, Rogel enjoys sailing on the waters of Tampa Bay. He is married to Bevan Rogel. They have one daughter, Alexandra.

The Tampa Bay Partnership is a regional organization that works with its partners to market the region nationally and internationally, to conduct regional research and to coordinate efforts to influence business and government issues that impact growth and development.

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