



Add-on #1
Gene M. Valentino
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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Escambia County, Florida

ORGANIZATION: Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Gene M. Valentino, County Commissioner, District 2

DATE: February 2, 2012

ISSUE: Recommending a Representative to the Governor to serve on the Northwest Florida Transportation Corridor Authority (NWFTCA).

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board recommend to the Governor's office that Mr. Alan McMillan serve as Escambia County's representative on the Northwest Florida Transportation Corridor Authority (NWFTCA).

BACKGROUND:

The Northwest Florida Transportation Corridor Authority (NWFTCA) was created in Florida Statutes 343.81 with a focus on improving the mobility of US 98. The scope of the "Authority" includes the construction of any feeder roads, connector roads, bypasses, or appurtenant facilities that are intended to improve the mobility of the corridor. The NWFTCA serves eight counties within the panhandle, including Escambia County. There has recently been a vacancy for representation in this area. Each member is recommended by their Board of County Commissioners and submitted to the Governor. NWFTCA members serve a four year term. Mr. Alan McMillan also serves on the Mass Transit Advisory Committee (MTAC).

BUDGETARY IMPACT: N/A

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS/SIGN-OFF: N/A

PERSONNEL: N/A

POLICY/REQUIREMENT FOR BOARD ACTION/DISCUSSION:

In accordance with Section 1B, of the Board of County Commissioners Policy Manual, Board approval is required for all appointments/reappointments to Boards and Committees established by the Board of County Commissioners.

IMPLEMENTATION REQUIREMENTS: Letter of recommendation needs to be sent to the Governor's office.

COORDINATION WITH OTHER AGENCIES/PERSONS: N/A

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Alan McMillan served as the President and Chief Executive Officer of the National Safety Council from 2001 until his retirement in 2008. The National Safety Council is the nation's largest not-for-profit safety and health advocacy organization. Prior to becoming President, he served for six years as the Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer at the Council. He has more than 40 years of government and private sector safety, health and environmental experience, including service with the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), the U.S. Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) and the Employment Standards Administration (ESA).

McMillan began his career in the Federal Government in 1966 at Eglin Air Force Base. He joined the U.S. Department of Labor in 1970 in Atlanta as the Regional Human Resources Director. He then served as OSHA's Chicago Regional Administrator and Atlanta Regional Administrator from 1981 to 1986. In 1987, he was named Acting Assistant Secretary of Labor for MSHA. In 1988 he was appointed Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for the Employment Standards Administration.

From 1989 to 1992, McMillan served as Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor and Acting Assistant Secretary for OSHA, where he was responsible for day-to-day OSHA operations including developing and implementing occupational safety and health standards, assisting workplaces through voluntary compliance programs, and directing OSHA's nationwide enforcement responsibilities. In 1990, President George H.W. Bush awarded him the Presidential Award for Distinguished Executive Service, the Federal Government's highest award for Senior Executives.

In October 1992, McMillan joined the Los Alamos National Laboratory in New Mexico, where he led the organization's safety, health, and occupational medicine activities. He later assumed the position of Deputy Director of the Laboratory's Environmental, Safety, Health and Quality programs.

He has served as a member of the Boards of Directors for the Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce, the US/Mexico Chamber of Commerce, the Chicago Yacht Club and the Pensacola Yacht Club. He has also served on the Consumers Advisory Council of Underwriters Laboratory, the Board of Advisers to the Center for Business and Public Policy at Georgetown University in Washington, DC, the Advisory Council to the Secretary of Energy for Environment, Safety and Health, and was appointed by the Secretary of Labor to NACOSH (the National Advisory Committee for Occupational Safety and Health).

Since his retirement he has served as President of the Star Lake Homeowners Association, Commodore of the Pensacola Yacht Club, and member of the Board of Directors of WSRE. He chaired the Escambia County Administrator Candidate Review Committee and is a member of the Mass Transit Advisory Committee to the Escambia County Board of Commissioners.

McMillan received his A.A. Degree from Pensacola Junior College in 1963, his B.S. degree from the University of Florida in 1966 and his M.A. degree from the University of West Georgia in 1980. He also completed a Senior Executive Fellowship at Harvard University in 1980.