



COMMUNITY  
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## FLORIDA CHAMBER FOUNDATION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL

**As we continue developing partnerships around the state to prepare for 2030, we seek Florida's top business leaders and futurists to unite Florida's business community. Collective action with philanthropic alignment will guide the Foundation's Florida 2030 Blueprint initiative to secure Florida's future.**

While it might be hard to imagine returning Florida to the pre-COVID-19 crisis, we are convinced we will. Remember, Florida was creating 1 in every 10 new U.S. jobs and was the 17th largest economy in the world just before this pandemic forced us to throttle down our U.S. economy to protect Americans from this deadly virus. **With the leadership and advisement of our Community Development Partnership (CDP) Council, we will relaunch Florida's business community into recovery together.**

Our goal is not only to recover to a pre-COVID-19 economy, but also to **grow to be the 10th largest economy in the world by 2030**, while at the same time ensuring that **every Floridian has a pathway to prosperity** and we ensure vibrancy and resiliency for every Florida community. **We need Florida's top businesses to join us in leading a unified effort to secure Florida's Future.**

Florida's leaders—such as those serving on the CDP Council—have the unique opportunity to **position Florida as the national example of free enterprise, job creation, and proven results.** As a Community Development Partner, you will meet with other thought leaders and futurists from across the state to help steer Florida toward long-term solutions, leveraging the network of offices, employees and relationships CDP companies bring to bear.

The Florida Chamber Foundation is a statewide, business-led, non-partisan research and future-oriented think tank working in partnership with regional and state leaders to secure Florida's future. Founded in 1968, the Foundation is an essential voice for improving Florida's pro-business climate to enable Florida to grow and prosper.

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Since its inception, the Florida Chamber Foundation has brought together the best and brightest minds from the business community to position our state for success.

We will continue to provide solutions and direction for Florida and it is essential that we have the right people and organizations engaged in a long-term view on how to make Florida more globally competitive.

**Members of the Community Development Partnership Council agree to:**

1) Provide direction, ideas, and oversight to the Florida Chamber Foundation. The CDP Council and Board of Trustees meet three times per year, generally in conjunction with the Florida Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meetings;

2) Participate as a thought leader in one of the Six Pillars of your choosing and in one or more of the state-wide Six Pillars Caucuses;

3) Participate in the implementation of Florida's long-term strategic plan: Florida 2030 Blueprint. The three-year research project was completed and key targets and strategies were released in September at the 2018 Future of Florida Forum. This is a roadmap to secure Florida's future and guide us through COVID-19 economic recovery.

4) Contribute at least \$50,000 annually, normally committing to three years, as a Community Development Partner. This investment provides the operating support for the Foundation to:

- Champion solutions and continue to evaluate Florida's economic potential.
- Fund a full-time Chief Economist to manage metrics tracking, lead our foundation research team, and make over 200 presentations annually to inform business leaders across Florida.
- Provide the base support to maintain [www.TheFloridaScorecard.org](http://www.TheFloridaScorecard.org), our dynamic online tool that identifies and tracks key metrics important to Florida's economy. The scorecard also tracks the metrics for Florida's 39 goals and targets identified in the Florida 2030 Blueprint.
- Support our annual Future of Florida Forum and Six-Pillar Summits on workforce education, innovation, infrastructure, equality of opportunity and prosperity and economic diversification (with recognition at all summits).
- Plan caucus and community level activity throughout the year.

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**Following is just some of the value/benefit your organization will receive as a Community Development Partner and council member:**

- Seat on the Florida Chamber Foundation Board of Trustees
- Recognition at all 6 major Foundation events throughout the year with audiences of state, regional and local leaders
- Access to Foundation Chief Economist to speak to your board or leadership team
- E-mail recognition in all promotions and follow up of above stated events (thousands of impressions)
- Lead roles in planning and executing summits in area of interest
- Your investment will be philanthropically aligned and working toward one unified goal
- Your employees will enjoy improved quality of life as communities become more vibrant and resilient
- The Florida Chamber Foundation's commitment to championing the good works of your organization
- Providing guidance and advice alongside other executive leaders making decisions for lasting change in Florida
- Opportunity for complimentary Foundation Summit/Event registrations to invite key strategic network contacts
- Receive previews and first glance updates to [www.TheFloridaScorecard.com](http://www.TheFloridaScorecard.com)
- Your business will be staged to thrive as you lead Florida toward a new and sustainable economy
- Leading Florida to stay ahead of change and provide paths to prosperity for all Floridians

The Florida Chamber of Commerce Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Contributions to the Florida Chamber of Commerce Foundation, including CDP Council dues, are deductible as charitable gifts for federal income tax.

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