#### CenterState CEO

# Greater Syracuse Chamber of Commerce, Inc. Metropolitan Development Association of Syracuse and Central New York, Inc. Greater Oswego-Fulton Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

#### Annual Elections to the Board of Directors - April 11, 2024

#### **PROXY**

This proxy is solicited on behalf of the board of directors for the 2024 Annual Meeting of members to be held Thursday, April 11, 2024. To be considered, proxies must be received via fax, email, web, U.S. mail or in person by 5:00 p.m. Monday, April 8, 2024.

Robert Simpson and David Schneckenburger, or either of them, as the agents and proxies of the undersigned, with full power of substitution, are hereby authorized to represent and to vote as designated below at the annual meeting of members on Thursday, April 11, 2024, or at any adjournment or postponement thereof. Any and all proxies previously given are hereby revoked.

# UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, THIS PROXY WILL BE VOTED TO ACCEPT THE SLATE(S) AS PRESENTED. THE BOARD RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF ALL NOMINATIONS.

### **VOTE ONLINE NOW**

#### 1. Board of Directors Term Renewals

The Board of Directors is comprised of up to 100 members who serve three-year terms. In accordance with the bylaws, the Chairman appointed a Nominating Committee whose recommendations have been accepted by the Executive Committee and must be confirmed by the Members.

## The following Directors have been nominated to serve an additional term that will expire in 2027.

Tony Baird Tony Baird Electronics, Inc.

Stephanie Crockett Mower

Nathan Andrews Morse Manufacturing Co., Inc.
Thomas Wu Knowles Precision Devices

Jonathan Gibralter Wells College

Timothy Murphy Hancock Estabrook, LLP

Catherine Keib Johnson COR Development Company, LLC

Robert Simpson CenterState CEO Michael Brunner Bank of America

Brian Butler Bond, Schoeneck & King, PLLC

Joanie Mahoney SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry

Darin Price Right Price Companies, Inc.

Gwen Weber-McLeod Gwen, Inc.

Meredith Price St. Joseph's Health

Kristen Nelson Novelis Inc.

Michael Backus Oswego Health
Stephen Gorczynski M&T Bank
Rich Barlette Constellation
Chandra Marshall Lockheed Martin

Mantosh Dewan SUNY Upstate Medical University

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AmeriCU Credit Union

### 2. New Directors

Ronald Belle

Signature:

The following Members have been nominated for election to a first term that will expire in 2027.

Cathie Gridley
Dimitar Karaivanov
Community Bank, N.A.
Ryan McIntyre
Empower Federal Credit Union
The Syracuse Orchestra
Meg Tidd
VIP Companies

The undersigned hereby warrants that he or she is authorized to execute this proxy. At their discretion, the named agents are authorized to vote upon any other proposal that may properly come before the meeting.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2024

Name of Member Organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_
Print Name & Title of Signatory: \_\_\_\_\_\_

TO BE CONSIDERED, PROXIES MUST BE RECEIVED VIA FAX, EMAIL ATTACHMENT, US MAIL OR IN PERSON BY 5:00 p.m. April 8, 2024.

TO BE CONSIDERED, PROXIES MUST BE RECEIVED VIA ONLINE VOTING; BY FAX OR EMAIL STATING "I APPROVE;" BY U.S. MAIL OR IN PERSON BY 5:00 P.M., MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2024.

Online: Proxy Online Survey

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