



**MEETING MINUTES
NORTH CENTRAL COUNCIL
NORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT
2/16/2023
1:00 PM EDT**

Location: Alachua County Senior Recreation Center, 5701 NW 34 Blvd, Gainesville, FL 32653

COUNCIL MEMBERS			
Betsy Coleman	Present <input type="checkbox"/>	JoAnna Emerson	Present <input type="checkbox"/>
Kris Gibbons	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Kathy Glazer	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Robert Hood	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sharon Lauter	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Barbara Mascari	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Gail Robinson	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
OTHER OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM REPRESENTATIVES			
NAME		TITLE	
Lori Berndt		Deputy State Ombudsman & ROM/DOM	
Cindy Johnston		Quality Control Analyst	
Jean Marie Rusca		Quality Control Analyst	
GUEST NAME		ORGANIZATION	
NONE			

OPEN SESSION

- Called to order at 1:05 p.m. Quorum Established: Yes No
- Open Session Statement Minutes Approved: Yes No 11/17/2022

UPDATES/REPORTS

- Council Chair Bob Hood
 - Attendance via roll call
- Quality Control Analyst Cindy Johnston
 - Discussed quarterly visits
 - Distributed Council Ombudsman of the Year Nomination forms to be completed and returned
 - Thanked Ombudsmen for remaining with the program
- State Council Rep Sharon Lauter
 - State Council virtual meeting on February 24, 2023

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Gail Robinson/Alachua County is now a certified Ombudsman
- One additional prospect to be interviewed/approved for training (Putnam County)

NEW BUSINESS

- None

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- None

ADJOURNMENT

- Open Session adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

CLOSED SESSION

This portion of the meeting is confidential and closed to the public. *See § 400.0077(2), F.S.*

- Called to order at 2:20 p.m.
- Closed Session Statement
- Adjourned at 2:55 p.m.