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## TAMPA CITY COUNCILMAN LUIS VIERA ENDORSES NANCY MILLAN FOR HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR

**Tampa, FL –** Today, Tampa City Councilman Luis Viera endorsed Nancy Millan to be Hillsborough County's next Tax Collector.

Councilman Viera has been a member of Tampa's City Council since 2016, and recently served as the Council's Chairman for the 2019-2020 term. Councilman Viera represents Tampa's 7<sup>th</sup> District that covers New Tampa, Forest Hills, and the USF area.

"I am proud to endorse Nancy Millan for Hillsborough County Tax Collector," said Tampa City Councilman Luis Viera. "Nancy is an experienced professional and thoughtful public servant. She has the experience and work ethic to get the job done. Most critically, Nancy affirms the forward-thinking values that I hold dear.

"She is a compassionate woman; someone who believes in fair play and tolerance; and she will make sure that everyone no matter their race, faith, disability, sexual orientation or gender identity has a place at the table. This hard-working daughter of Ybor will go the distance for us all."

"I am grateful for Councilman Viera's endorsement," said Nancy Millan. "Luis has been a strong and steady champion for our community, and as Tax Collector, I will follow his example of listening and advocating for a local government that is more inclusive and accountable to every resident of our county."

Nancy Millan has also earned the endorsement of several community leaders and organizations including: Current Hillsborough County Tax Collector Doug Belden, U.S. Congresswoman Kathy Castor, State Senator Janet Cruz, Hillsborough County Commission Chairman Les Miller, Tampa City Councilmen Charlie Miranda and Joseph Citro, Hillsborough County Clerk of Court Pat Frank, Hillsborough County Public Defender Julie Holt, former Florida Chief Financial Officer Alex Sink, former Tampa Mayors Pam Iorio and Bob Buckhorn, former State Senator and USF President Betty Castor, former State Senator Arthenia Joyner, former Hillsborough County School Board Member Doretha Edgecomb, West Central Florida Labor Council AFL-CIO, Hillsborough County Firefighters Local #2294 and Tampa Firefighters Local #754.

Nancy Millan has worked at the Hillsborough County Tax Collector's office for 30 years where she started as an accounting clerk, rising to the position of Director of Community Relations. Her experience and understanding of the Tax Collector's office is unmatched. Nancy is a Certified Florida Collector Assistant with certifications in Property Tax Administration, Management of a Florida Collector's Office, Duties and Responsibilities of a Tax Collector and The Collection of Licenses, Taxes, and Fees. She participated in the Certified Executive Leadership Academy sponsored by Florida Tax Collector's Association and Valencia College, and Nancy received the Distinguished Service Award in 2005, 2013, 2014, 2016, and 2017 from the Florida Tax Collector's Association. Nancy also received the Florida Tax Collector Education Forum Service Award in 2018.

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