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BOARD/COMMITTEE APPLICATION

Please type or print clearly

Name of Board/Committee Hernando County Economic Development Technical Advisory Com

Check one:  Full Member Position  
 Alternate Member Position

Name David B Ruhl  
(Your name must be listed as it appears on your voter registration card)

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS REQUIRED FOR COUNTY RECORDS AND BECOMES PUBLIC RECORD UPON SUBMITTING THIS APPLICATION. IF YOU BELIEVE THAT YOU QUALIFY FOR AN EXEMPTION TO THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION, PURSUANT TO F.S. 119.07, PLEASE STATE THE BASIS OF YOUR EXEMPTION. YOUR FAILURE TO ANSWER FULLY AND TRUTHFULLY ALL QUESTIONS COULD RESULT IN YOUR APPLICATION BEING DENIED OR YOUR SUBSEQUENT REMOVAL FROM ANY BOARD/COMMITTEE IF APPOINTED.

Address 13223 Siam Drive

City Spring Hill Zip 34609

Telephone 410-490-1940 (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (business)

E-mail address davidruhl.florida@outlook.com

Are you a resident of Hernando County? Yes

Voter Registration Number unknown but I am a registered voter

Education Firefigther, ITIL, Top Secret Clearance, U of M MIFRI  
(Please include any certificates, awards, diplomas, degrees, professional license numbers, etc.)

Employment History Resume attached - 20 year Microsoft alumni  
(Attach a resume if available)

Licenses or Certificates Held \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever previously applied for a position on any County Board/Committee? No

If yes, please state the Board(s)/Committee(s) you applied for, when you applied, and whether you were appointed.

Have you ever been convicted, plead guilty or no contest, or entered into PTI for a felony or 1<sup>st</sup>/ 2<sup>nd</sup> degree misdemeanor? No

Answering yes does not automatically disqualify you for consideration.

If yes, what charges? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently involved as a defendant in a criminal case? No

If yes, what charges? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been named as a defendant in a civil action suit? No

If yes, when and describe action. \_\_\_\_\_

Please state your reasons for applying to this Board/Committee \_\_\_\_\_

In 2017 I moved to Florida from Maryland and very much enjoy it, I want to give back and keep it as I ca. \_\_\_\_\_

Please list three character references of persons NOT related to, NOT an employer, NOT an employee of you or your company, and whom you have known at least one (1) year. Please include addresses and phone numbers.

1. Please see attached \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby request consideration as a committee/board appointee. It is my intention to familiarize myself to the duties and responsibilities of the office to which I may be appointed, and to fulfill the appointment to the best of my ability, exercising good judgement, fairness, impartiality, and faithful attendance. By my signature below, I hereby authorize Hernando County to check my references and my background, including, without limitation, obtaining a criminal history check. I also agree to file a Financial Disclosure form as required by State law, if applicable, and abide by provisions of the State Sunshine Law.

I hereby swear and affirm, under Penalty of Perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Applicant s signature \_\_\_\_\_

(Please direct all inquiries to the County Administrator s Office at 754-4002.)

Completed applications may be submitted to the County Administrator's office, 15470 Flight Path Drive, Brooksville, Florida 34604, or faxed to 352-754-4025 Attention: Jessica Wright.



## Hernando County Background Consent / Release Form

As a volunteer applicant, I understand and acknowledge that an investigative report may be compiled on me. This report may include information regarding any criminal records, and from various public and private sources including law enforcement agencies at the Federal, State or County level, courts record repositories, sexual offender registries and any other source required to verify information that I have voluntarily provided.

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Legal Name: David Brian Ruhl

Date of Birth: 08/25/1961

Other Names Used: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Legal Name) First M.I. Last

Dates Used (from/to): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone #: 410-490-1940

E-mail Address: davidruhl.florida@outlook.com

Are you 18 years of age or older?  Yes  No

### GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Current Address: 13223 Siam Drive

City, State, Zip : Spring Hill FL 34609

Time at this address: 5 Years 2 Month

Previous Address: 948 Cloverfields Drive

City, State, Zip : Stevensville MD 21666

Time at this address 25 Years \_\_\_\_\_ Month

By signing below, you hereby authorize, empower and release from all liability, without reservation, any agency contacted by Hernando County to furnish the above-mentioned information. You further authorize ongoing procurement of the above-mentioned information at any time during your relationship with Hernando County. You agree that a fax or photocopy of this authorization is to be considered and accepted with the same authority as the original.

David B. Ruhl 3/11/24  
 Applicant's Signature Date

# David Ruhl

## Who am I?

Highly Motivated, Successful, Known for Driving Results, Strategic, Active Top Secret, Tampa



### What I Do

Leadership, People, Team, Performance and Development, Delivery and Operations Management

Effective Communicator, Strategic Thinker, Innovative, Highly Visible, Always Present

### Strengths Finder

- Activator
- Achiever
- Developer

### What I Like

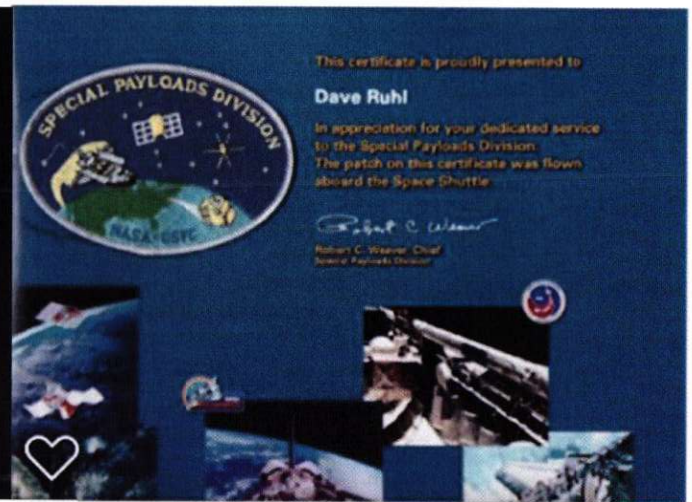
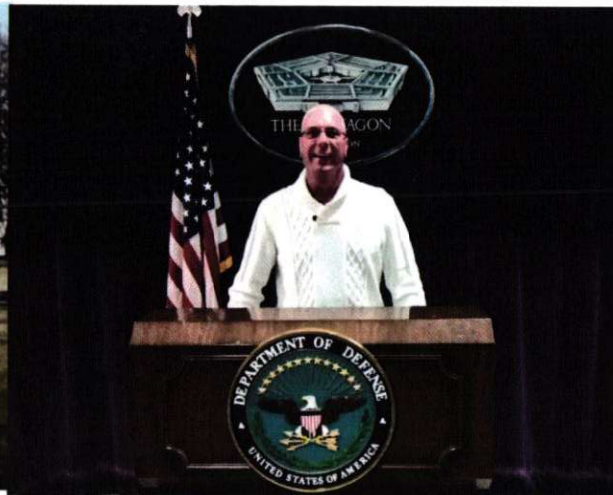
- Boating
- Everything Air & Space
- Standing at the foot of History
- Speed Walking & Biking

I would rather have an intense migraine for a day as opposed to a dull headache for 6 months. I apply leadership, solve problems, and move on.

### To Work With Me You Should Know

- Team and Trust
- Put your name on it FIRST, then do it!
- Lead as the example
- A decision is something you "do" when the facts don't present the answer

# David Ruhl



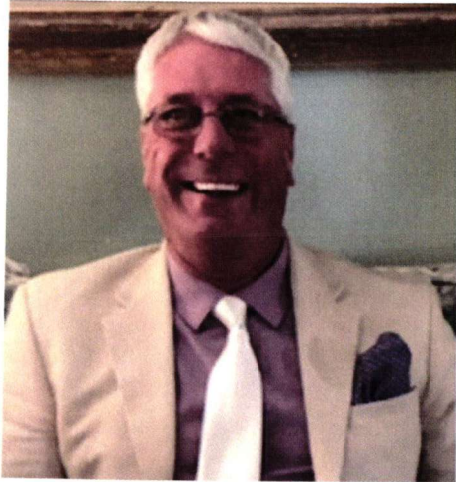
## TRINITY SITE

July 16, 1945



"The effects could well be called unprecedented, magnificent, beautiful, stupendous and terrifying. No man-made phenomenon of such tremendous power had ever occurred before. The lighting effects beggared description. The whole country was lighted by a searing light with the intensity many times that of the midday sun."

— Brig. Gen. Thomas Farrell



David resides in Tampa Florida after having been born and raised in Maryland. David is married to Tesa Lynn Ruhl and has three amazing sons, two in the Air Force Special Operations and the 3<sup>rd</sup> a veterinarian technician.

David has over 25 years of experience in the technology field with 20 of those as Director of Professional Service at Microsoft. He has deep technology experience in the infrastructure, identity, and messaging discipline.

David has a deep passion and an extensive record of driving business metrics. He has led hybrid teams driving results across customer success, virtual delivery management, complex recruiting and staffing, talent acquisition and development, performance management and operational process improvement initiatives. Additionally, he has global program management experience across consulting, operations management, and cultural transformations.

David has led delivery teams across a diverse set of customers such as Macy's, Home Depot, the White House, Pentagon, State Department, and the Red Cross.



**David Ruhl**  
**Consulting Practice Director**