

December 21, 2020

Wake County Board of Commissioners PO Box 550 Raleigh, NC 27602

Dear Board of Commissioners:

On February 28, 2021, Mary Henderson's term on the Greater Raleigh Convention and Visitors Bureau board of directors will expire. Mary was appointed by the Wake County Board of Commissioners and her position fell under the category of "at-large member."

To fill this open position, the Greater Raleigh Convention and Visitors Bureau asks for your support in the nomination of the following individual to serve on our board.

Julie B. Smith Assistant Vice Chancellor External Affairs, Partnerships, & Economic Development NC State University Campus Box 7021 Holladay Hall, Suite B Raleigh, NC 27695 jbsmith9@ncsu.edu 919.515.4507

Ms. Smith has completed the required online application to serve on a Wake County Board. We have also attached a copy of her bio for your review. If you require any additional information, please contact me at 919-645-2656 or <u>dedwards@visitraleigh.com</u>. Our GRCVB Board of Directors Executive Committee supports this recommendation.

Sincerely,

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Dennis Edwards President & CEO