



## VOICE FOR BUSINESS

# 2025 POLICY PRIORITIES

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### **Economic Development and Competitiveness**

- ✓ Eliminate Florida's sales tax on commercial rents
- ✓ Prioritize Economic Development programs
- ✓ Support property owners and businesses
- ✓ Improve transportation infrastructure and freight mobility

### **Workforce Development and Housing**

- ✓ Promote the community benefit of attainable workforce housing
- ✓ Assist in the development of attainable workforce housing
- ✓ Support appropriations/grants for the development of curriculum and training programs

### **Infrastructure and Transportation**

- ✓ Increase mobility in St. Johns County
- ✓ Address beach erosion south of the Guana Reserve
- ✓ Complete feasibility study of a transit rail line between the City of Jacksonville and the City of St. Augustine

### **Tourism**

- ✓ Support permanent funding of “**Visit Florida**”
- ✓ Establish The Florida Museum of Black History in St. Johns County
- ✓ Support capital investment in historic preservation
- ✓ Oppose efforts to divert local tourist tax revenues away from localities or to fund non-tourism related purposes

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