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Business Voice Political Committee Announces Endorsement of Micah Loyd for Canaveral Port Authority, District 2

<u>Melbourne, FL:</u> Business Voice Political Committee Board of Directors voted this month to support Micah Loyd in his bid to serve as District 2 representative on the Canaveral Port Authority, District 2.

"Port Canaveral is the economic engine that drives much of our local economy," states the organization's Chairman, Larry McIntyre. "Micah's experience in the private sector will make him a strong advocate for the many local businesses who work at and with the Port. His acumen in construction management will be an asset to the Commission, to ensure smart development and a strong fiscal position going forward."

Port Authority Commissioners manage the over \$75 Million dollar budget, set policy and work closely with the Port CEO, who is charged with handling operations. Port Canaveral provides about \$1.1 billion in revenue for businesses providing services at the Port, in addition to providing thousands of jobs and serving as the hub for our thriving tourism industry.

"In many ways, the Port is a service organization, welcoming businesses and tourists to the Space Coast" states McIntyre. "The business community feels it is imperative to elect commissioners who understand that relationship. Micah's experience makes him the right choice to represent District 2."

Micah Loyd grew up in Brevard County and graduated from Titusville High School. After earning a Bachelors of Technology in Building Construction Management from the University of North Florida, Micah returned home to Titusville. Micah is the owner of Loyd Contracting, has served as the Chairman of the Board for the Titusville Area Chamber of Commerce as well as on the on the North Brevard Economic Development Zone Board. You can learn more about Micah at <u>www.micahloyd.com</u>

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