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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### Voices for Georgia's Children Announces New Board Members

**ATLANTA** — Voices for Georgia's Children is pleased to announce the election of three new members to its Board of Directors. The newly elected Board members are Dr. Gwendolyn Benson, Dan Fischer, and Dr. Yasmin Tyler-Hill.

"We are excited to welcome our newest members to the board as we celebrate 20 years of advocacy with positive outcomes for Georgia's children. We look forward to applying their unique talents, expertise, and perspectives to our work," said Rita B. Gibson, Board Chair for Voices for Georgia's Children. "These new board members are joining a highly engaged team of professionals that are passionate about our mission and the well-being of kids in our state."

Voices' 2022 Board of Directors:

#### Officers:

- Rita B. Gibson, Chair; *Consultant*
- Cindy Abel, Vice Chair; *CEO and Co-Founder, Liv2BeMe*
- Baylie Evans, Secretary; *Mergers and Acquisition Associate, King & Spalding, LLP*
- Sandy O'Meara, Treasurer, *Chief Finance Officer, Friends of Forman Christian College*
- Calvin Ward, Member-At-Large Executive Committee, *Wealth Advisor, Truist Financial*

#### Directors-at-large:

- Gwendolyn Benson, Ph.D., *Associate Dean, Georgia State University*
- LeRoy Burke, III, *Senior Judge (Retired), Juvenile Court of Georgia*
- Stacey Chavis, *Managing Director, Campaigns Academy*
- Bobbi Cleveland, *Executive Director (Retired), Tull Charitable Foundation*
- Nicola Dawkins-Lyn, Ph.D., *Vice President, ICF*
- Anne DeBeer, Ph.D., *Immediate Past Chair; Chief Information Officer in Residence, TechBridge*
- Dan Fischer, *Chief Financial Officer, CKS Packaging*

- Phil Jacobs, *Founding Partner (Retired)*, Pendleton Group,
- Leslie Kurtz, *Chief Financial Officer*, Jackson Healthcare, LLC
- Joseph Lillyblad, *Director, Education and Workforce Development Manager*, Georgia Power Company
- Jose Perez, *President (Retired)*, Target Market Trends
- Mitch Saunders, *Chief Accounting Officer*, Atlanticus Holdings Corp.
- Yasmin Tyler-Hill, MD *Department Chair and Professor, Dept. of Pediatrics*, Morehouse School of Medicine
- Tameeka Law Walker, MD, *Physician*, Georgia Perinatal Consultants
- Marc Welsh, *Child Advocacy and Chief Diversity Officer*, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta