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## FLORIDA COMMISSION ON OFFENDER REVIEW NAMES DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

TALLAHASSEE, FLA- The Florida Commission on Offender Review named Eric Carr as the agency's director of legislative affairs, effective August 2, 2021. Carr previously held the position of social media manager and political action committee coordinator for the Florida Medical Association (FMA). Prior to joining the FMA, Carr served as an aide to the Office of the Secretary for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) in both legislative affairs and communications.

Carr is a graduate of Florida State University (FSU) where he received a Bachelor of Science in political science and geography. He's currently a candidate in the FSU Master of Science in applied American politics and policy degree program.

"Mr. Carr's background in state government and his education and experience in political science makes him uniquely prepared to serve as legislative director. On behalf of the Commission, I welcome him to this role and to our team. We look forward to working with him," commented Commission Chairman Melinda Coonrod.

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*The Florida Commission on Offender Review (FCOR), is a constitutionally authorized, quasi-judicial, decision-making body which has been serving the citizens of this state since 1941. The Commission holds offenders accountable for their behaviors and ensures public safety through its careful selection of offenders for re-entry into society by administering parole, conditional medical release, control release, conditional release, and addiction recovery release supervision. The Commission also acts as the investigative arm of the Governor and Cabinet, sitting as the Board of Executive Clemency in clemency matters. The Commission's mission is to ensure public safety and provide victim assistance through the post prison release process.*