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## **Dr. Shanna Jackson Named to TMA Board of Directors**

Franklin, TN – The TMA Group (Transportation Management Association) is pleased to welcome Dr. Shanna Jackson, Dean of Extended Services and Williamson Campus for Columbia State Community College and Franklin Tomorrow representative to the TMA Group Board of Directors.

Julian Bibb, TMA Chairman, said: “TMA is so honored to have Dr. Shanna Jackson as a member of The TMA Group Board of Directors. Working with Dr. Jackson in her roles with Franklin Tomorrow and Columbia State Community College will be an enriching partnership as we continue developing efficient multimodal transportation options which are vital keys in attracting and retaining businesses and an educated workforce to our area.”

### **Dr. Shanna Jackson**

*Dean of Extended Services and Williamson Campus for Columbia State Community College and Franklin Tomorrow Representative*



Regarding her appointment to The TMA Board of Directors, Dr. Jackson states: “*As the Dean of the Williamson County Campus for Columbia State, I am committed to providing access to education and training for this region. Transportation is often a barrier that prevents students from successfully reaching their educational goals. By serving on the Board of Franklin Tomorrow, I’ve increased my understanding of the needs and issues regarding transportation in Williamson County. Franklin Tomorrow is a strong voice in keeping the conversation about transportation moving forward. The TMA Group is a part of the solution, providing innovation regional solutions for commuters, employers, employees, and residents. It is essential to our future success that we continue to develop environmentally friendly, multimodal transportation solutions for our community. I am very honored and excited to join the TMA Board of Directors.*”

In her role as Dean of Extended Service and Williamson County Campus for Columbia State Community College, Jackson provides leadership and oversight for facilities, programs, and services for the Clifton, Lawrenceburg, Lewisburg and Williamson County campuses. Additionally, she is responsible for the Office of Economic and Workforce Development, Commercial Entertainment and Film Crew Technology programs. Previously, Jackson served almost 10 years at Volunteer State Community College. Her doctorate in Education

Administration and Supervision was earned from Tennessee State University. She is active in numerous organizations including Women in Higher Education, Leadership Franklin Alumni Association, Williamson Inc.'s Women in Business Steering Committee. She currently serves on the boards of Franklin Tomorrow, Franklin's Charge, and Battle of Franklin Trust.

Additional members of The TMA Group Board of Directors include: Mayor Rogers Anderson, Williamson County; Julian Bibb, Stites & Harbison, PLLC; Ken Browning, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, David Burt, EnergyLogic; Ed Cagle, FirstBank; Kelly Dannenfelser, City of Franklin; Brad Dunn, Williamson Chamber/Pinnacle Bank; Pat Emery, Spectrum Properties | Emery, Inc.; Randy Houston, First Tennessee Bank; Bill Lockwood, Barge Waggoner Sumner & Cannon, Inc.; Mayor Dr. Ken Moore, City of Franklin; Bob Murphy, RPM Transportation Consultants, LLC; Dave Pelton, Energy and Environmental Consultant; Jeremiah Pyron, Williamson Inc. Economic Development; Mark Robbins, The Franklin Chop House; Mort Stein, Trace Realty; Cyril Stewart, Cyril Stewart AIA

Established in 1988, The TMA Group is a regional leader in customizing environmentally-friendly, multimodal transportation solutions for employers and communities.

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