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Associated Builders and Contractors Announces Endorsement for Florida Legislature

The Florida Gulf Coast Chapter of the Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC) is pleased to announce the following endorsements for the Florida Legislature.

<p><u>Florida Governor & Cabinet</u> Ron DeSantis – Governor Jimmy Patronis- CFO Ashley Moody – Attorney General Matt Caldwell – Agriculture Commissioner</p> <p><u>US Senate</u> Rick Scott</p> <p><u>US Congress</u> CD3 Ted Yoho CD11 Daniel Webster CD13 Charlie Crist CD12 Gus Bilirakis CD15 Ross Spano CD16 Vern Buchanan CD17 Greg Steube CD19 Francis Rooney</p> <p><u>Florida Senate</u> SD8 – Keith Perry SD10- Wilton Simpson SD12- Dennis Baxley SD16- Ed Hooper SD18- Dana Young SD20- Tom Lee SD22 – Kelli Stargel SD23- Joe Gruters SD24- Jeff Brandes SD26- Ben Albritton SD28- Kathleen Passidomo</p>	<p><u>Florida House</u> HD21- Chuck Clemons HD35 – Blaise Ingoglia HD36- Amber Mariano HD37- Ardian Zika HD38- Danny Burgess HD39-Josie Tomkow HD40- Collen Burton HD56-Melony Bell HD57-Mike Beltran HD58- Lawrence McClure HD59- Joe Wicker HD60- Jackie Toledo HD61-Dianne Hart HD62-Susan L. Valdes HD63-Shawn Harrison HD64- James Grant HD65- Chris Sprowls HD66- Nick DeCeglie HD67-Chris Latvala HD69 - Ray Blackledge HD70- Wengay Newton HD71- Will Robinson HD72- Ray Pilon HD73-Tommy Gregory HD74- James Vernon Buchanan HD76- Ray Rodrigues HD77- Dane Eagle HD78- Heather Fitzenhagen HD79- Spencer Roach HD80- Byron Donalds HD106- Bob Rommel</p>
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ABC is recognized throughout the state as one of the leading organizations representing the construction industry and the business community. ABC believes sound legislation that embraces fair play for employers and employees

is essential to the preservation of our free enterprise system. “These candidates have demonstrated an understanding of how state government impacts the economic well-being of ABC members and the economic competitiveness of our state,” said Scott Hossenlopp, Chairman of the Florida Gulf Coast Chapter of ABC. “We believe it is important Florida continues its upward path of attracting and creating jobs.”

About ABC - Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC) is a national construction industry trade association representing nearly 21,000 chapter members. Founded on the merit shop philosophy, ABC and its 70 chapters help members develop people, win work and deliver that work safely, ethically, profitably and for the betterment of the communities in which ABC and its members work. ABC's membership represents all specialties within the U.S. construction industry and is comprised primarily of firms that perform work in the industrial and commercial sectors.