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## Rick Kriseman Continues Dedication to Strengthening Florida Communities and Addressing Critical Issues; Graduates from Leadership Florida

**ST. PETERSBURG, FL** – Shumaker Advisors is proud to highlight the ongoing efforts of Rick Kriseman, Executive Vice President and Principal U.S. Cities Practice and former Mayor of St. Petersburg, in his mission to strengthen Florida communities and address issues critical to the state as he graduates from the Leadership Florida Cornerstone Class 41.

Throughout his distinguished career, Rick has consistently demonstrated a deep commitment to public service and community development. His recent graduation from Leadership Florida further emphasizes his commitment to deepening his understanding of the state's most pressing issues and connecting with other leaders dedicated to positive change.

"Rick's dedication to public service is truly inspiring," said Ron Christaldi, Shumaker Partner, President/CEO of Shumaker Advisors Florida, and Chair of the Leadership Florida Board of Directors. "His ongoing efforts to strengthen our communities and address critical issues are a testament to his unwavering dedication to making Florida a better place for all."

Rick's tenure as 53<sup>rd</sup> Mayor of St. Petersburg was marked by numerous initiatives aimed at improving the quality of life for residents, enhancing economic opportunities, and fostering a vibrant, inclusive community. His leadership in addressing environmental sustainability, affordable housing, and public safety has left a lasting positive impact on the city and its inhabitants.

At Shumaker Advisors, Rick continues to build on his legacy of service by providing strategic counsel and

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advocacy to clients across Florida. His extensive experience in public policy and community leadership equips him with the insights necessary to tackle the complex challenges facing Florida's diverse communities.

Rick, who has been with Shumaker Advisors since January 2022, said he remains steadfast in his loyalty to public service and community engagement, embodying the values and vision that have guided his career. His work with Shumaker Advisors continues to reflect his passion for improving the lives of Floridians and addressing the critical issues that shape the future of the state.