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Tampa Connection Selects Sean Bevil, Ashley Norus, and Celeste Schettino for 2025 Program

TAMPA, FL—Shumaker is pleased to announce that Tampa Connection has selected Celeste Schettino of Shumaker Advisors and Shumaker Lawyers Sean P. Bevil and Ashley B. Norus for its 2025 program. Tampa Connection is dedicated to strengthening emerging leaders within the local community through a year-long curriculum.

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"I am excited to join the Tampa Connection program and connect with other leaders who are passionate about making the Tampa Bay community a great place to live for generations to come," said Celeste. "This opportunity to collaborate with like-minded individuals and contribute to the community is incredibly exciting."

"Being a difference maker in Tampa Bay is a part of Shumaker's culture, and I am honored to join the ranks of Tampa Connection to further our goal of giving back to our local community," said Sean. "This program embodies the values we uphold, and I look forward to making a meaningful impact."

"Our team at Shumaker has a proud tradition of leadership in the Tampa Bay community, and programs like Tampa Connection are vital to this mission. We are grateful to participate," Ashley added. "I am thrilled to work alongside such passionate individuals and continue our efforts to enhance the community we serve. The opportunity to develop my leadership skills while contributing to meaningful projects aligns perfectly with our firm's commitment to community engagement. I look forward to building strong relationships and helping to create a lasting positive change in Tampa Bay."

The Tampa Connection program exposes its class members to leadership development, social, and community service opportunities while immersing them in the local community. At the core of Tampa Connection's mission and the class experience are three foundational principles: leadership, relationships, and community. Throughout the year, participants will engage in activities that foster these principles, preparing them to be effective leaders and active community members.

As Assistant Director Operations for Shumaker Advisors, Celeste focuses on business development, operations, and strategic planning. She has a passion for volunteering with organizations like No Kid Hungry, Children's Miracle Network, and Sunrise Children's Services. Prior to joining Shumaker, Celeste worked for the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services as an executive assistant to Nikki Fried.

Sean is an associate in Shumaker's Litigation and Disputes Service Line and Community Associations Business Sector, addressing various disputes with a practical and efficient approach honed during his tenure as a prosecutor. Before joining Shumaker, he served at the State Attorney's Office for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, prosecuting thousands of cases, including serious felonies.

Ashley, an associate in the firm's Corporate, Tax, and Transactions Service Line, specializes in corporate law, mergers and acquisitions, and securities law. She has experience with public and private offerings and advises clients on daily corporate needs. With a background in public relations and communication, Ashley prides herself on her client interaction and commitment.

