Jefferson County Industrial Development Agency 20__ Confidential Evaluation of Board Performance

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	Criteria	Agree	Agree	Disagree	Disagree
1	Board members have a shared understanding				
	of the mission and purpose of the Authority.				
2	The policies, practices and decisions of the				
	Board are always consistent with this mission.				
3	Board members comprehend their role and				
	fiduciary responsibilities and hold themselves				
	and each other to these principles.				
4	The Board has adopted policies, by-laws, and				
	practices for the effective governance,				
	management and operations of the Authority				
	and reviews these annually.				
5	The Board sets clear and measurable				
	performance goals for the Authority that				
	contribute to accomplishing its mission.				
6	The decisions made by Board members are				
	arrived at through independent judgment and				
	deliberation, free of political influence, pressure				
	or self-interest.				
7	Individual Board members communicate				
	effectively with executive staff so as to be well				
	informed on the status of all important issues.				
8	Board members are knowledgeable about the				
	Authority programs, financial statements,				
	reporting requirements, and other transactions.				
9	The Board meets to review and approve all				
	documents and reports prior to public release				
	and is confident that the information being				
	presented is accurate and complete.				
10	The Board knows the statutory obligations of				
	the Authority and if the Authority is in				
	compliance with state law.				
11	Board and committee meetings facilitate open,				
	deliberate and thorough discussion, and the				
	active participation of members.				
12	Board members have sufficient opportunity to				
	research, discuss, question and prepare before				
4.0	decisions are made and votes taken.				
13	Individual Board members feel empowered to				
	delay votes, defer agenda items, or table				
	actions if they feel additional information or				
4.4	discussion is required.				
14	The Board exercises appropriate oversight of				
	the CEO and other executive staff, including				
	setting performance expectations and				
15	reviewing performance annually.				
15	The Board has identified the areas of most risk				
	to the Authority and works with management to				
	implement risk mitigation strategies before				
10	problems occur.				
16	Board members demonstrate leadership and				
	vision and work respectfully with each other.	L			