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Virginia PACE Authority Welcomes Two New Board Members for 2023: Sydney Covey, Senior Manager, STRUCTR and Sandi McNinch, Virginia Economic Development Partnership Association

Williamsburg, VA. The Virginia PACE Authority (VPA) is pleased to announce the addition of Sydney Covey and Sandi McNinch to its Board of Directors beginning this year.

"I am pleased to announce these new members to the Virginia PACE Authority Board of Directors and am excited about the contributions of both to build on the success of VPA's mission," said Abby Johnson, Executive Director of VPA. "This year we hope to expand our outreach to encourage more jurisdictions to enable PACE and Ms. Covey and Ms. McNinch can help strengthen that goal with the experience they bring."

Ms. Covey is the Senior Manager of Sustainability Services for STRUCTR where she ensures sustainability goals are achieved for projects. She serves multiple leadership positions on the U.S. Green Building Council.

Ms. McNinch served as General Counsel for the Virginia Economic Development Partnership from 2007 to 2022. In this capacity, she performed all legal functions for VEDP, including the preparation of grant performance agreements with Virginia companies receiving incentives administered by VEDP.

Virginia PACE is an innovator in the PACE marketplace, advising localities on establishing and developing C-PACE programs, opening up new markets for institutional investors, and educating contractors, lenders and property owners on the business case for C-PACE.