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KASICH APPOINTS MEMBERS TO JOBSOHIO BOARD

COLUMBUS – Gov. John R. Kasich today appointed eight prominent business and education executives to the board of directors of JobsOhio, the state's new private, nonprofit corporation that will lead Ohio's job creation and economic development activities.

Named to the JobsOhio board were:

- James C. Boland, Retired Vice Chairman, Ernst & Young, and former President, CEO & Vice Chairman, Cavaliers Operating Company, Cuyahoga County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2015;
- Steven A. Davis, Chairman of the Board and CEO, Bob Evans Farms, Inc., Franklin County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2015;
- E. Gordon Gee, President, The Ohio State University, Franklin County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2012;
- C. Martin Harris, M.D., Chief Information Officer and Chairman, Information Technology Division, Cleveland Clinic, Geauga County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2015;
- Gary R. Heminger, President and CEO, Marathon Petroleum Corporation, Hancock County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2015;
- Mark D. Kvamme, Special Limited Partner, Sequoia Capital, Franklin County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2013;
- Bob McDonald, Chairman of the Board, President and CEO, Procter & Gamble, Hamilton County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2012;
- Pamela Springer, President and CEO, Manta Media, Inc., Franklin County, to serve for a term beginning July 11, 2011 and ending July 5, 2013.

A ninth board member remains to be appointed.

Board members serve without financial compensation. The terms will run from one to four years and will be staggered.

The official articles of incorporation for JobsOhio were filed July 5 with the Secretary of State's office. With the filling of the board positions, JobsOhio will begin the task of hiring a professional staff. JobsOhio will streamline operations by working in close cooperation with six existing regional economic development organizations that have been asked to submit proposals for coordinating regional economic development strategies and activities. The six groups are: Cincinnati USA Partnership, Columbus 2020!, Dayton Development Coalition, Ohio Appalachian Business Council, Regional Growth Partnership and Team NEO.

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