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Children's Network of SWFL Elects New Chairman for Board of Directors

(Ft Myers)-On Saturday, January 28th, the Children's Network of SWFL (CNSWL), elected a new Chairman of the Board, Ms. Betty Busbee. Also elected was Paul Morrissette as Vice Chairman and Victor Arias, a local attorney, as Treasurer. These changes come after term limits for the previous officers had expired.

Betty Busbee has been a member of the Board of Directors for the Children's Network of Southwest Florida for the past five years. Ms. Busbee has been a lifelong advocate in child welfare in various arenas and holds child protection close to her heart. "I am excited to continue working with our very dedicated Board and staff to further the mission of Children's Network of SWFL, protecting children and preserving families", says Busbee, newly elected Chairwoman.

Children's Network of SWFL is the private, nonprofit lead agency that administers the child welfare system in Lee, Collier, Charlotte, Hendry and Glades Counties. Its mission is to work with the community to protect children and preserve families. Children's Network is responsible for approximately 1,400 children and their caregivers, and delivers a comprehensive local system of care through subcontracts with more than 50 social service agencies. Since its founding in 2003, the organization has worked so that Southwest Florida's abused children are safer, have more access to resources and are able to achieve permanency quickly. For more information about Children's Network and its services, visit www.childnetswfl.org or call us at 239-226-1524.

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The Children's Network of Southwest Florida is committed to working with the community to protect children and preserve families.