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Robin Roberts Krieger Executive Vice President, Economic Development Greater Oklahoma City Chamber

Robin Roberts Krieger is Executive Vice President of Economic Development for the Greater Oklahoma City Chamber, and leads the 10-county region in international and domestic business recruitment, and Oklahoma City in expansion and retention, research and strategy development. She oversees contracts with the City of Oklahoma City and Oklahoma County to provide their economic development services. She recently played a key role in the acquisition of the idled GM facility by the County, which has been leased to the US Air Force and Tinker AFB.

Roberts-Krieger is a native of Oregon, and has over 20 years of public service in the economic development and public policy arena. Prior to assuming the position in Oklahoma City, she served as a Regional Coordinator for the Oregon Governor's Office, focusing on developing cooperation between local, county, state & federal government on economic development projects. Areas of focus included Transportation, Land Use, Housing, and Environmental Issues. She spearheaded an effort to expand Ft. Clatsop National Park during her tenure.

Previously she served as Director of Economic Development for the Portland Development Commission, where she oversaw Economic Development activities as well as two urban renewal areas, including light rail development to the Portland International Airport. Prior, she was Executive Director of Economic Development for Central Oregon, and International and Product Development Manager for the Oregon Tourism Commission, part of the Oregon Economic and Community Development Department. She spent several years in the private sector before entering public service.

Roberts-Krieger holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education from Oregon State University (Go Beavers!) and a Master's of Science in Educational Administration from Portland State University. She has completed OU/EDI, and was a scholarship recipient for the Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government Program for Senior Executives in State and Local Government.

She is Past Chair of The International Economic Development Council, the first woman and first Oklahoman to hold this position. She served on the Board of the Industrial Asset Management Council (IAMC), and is a member of the Governor's Economic Development Marketing Team. Krieger is also a member of the US Air Force Chief of Staff's Civic Leader Program. She recently joined the Advisory Committee for SMART (Single Mothers Academic Resource Team), an effort to help further the educational attainment of single mothers in Oklahoma and The ACM@UCO (Academy for Contemporary Music at the University of Central Oklahoma) Business Development Center Advisory Board, as well as the United Way Campaign Cabinet. She was recently named a finalist for Woman of the Year in Oklahoma by the Journal Record and was named the Economic Developer of the Year by the Oklahoma Professional Economic Development Council.

Roberts-Krieger is the co-author of "Community Wisdom", a humorous look at economic and community development; has written numerous articles and is a frequently requested speaker on economic development topics.

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