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From: David Faulkenberry, Chairman
Florida Sterling Council

To: Florida Sterling Council Supporters

As you read in John's email this morning, after 26 years leading the Florida Sterling Council he will be retiring at the end of this month. It would be an understatement to try to convey in words what John has meant to the Council. Twenty six years ago, John was asked by then Governor Lawton Chiles to start an organization whose mission was to help organizations become more efficient and effective. During that time, many organizations have saved millions of dollars because of the organizational principals that Sterling promoted.

Through it all, John led the Council to the success we all enjoy today, and even though it comes short of what seems to be appropriate, I want to say **thank you** on behalf of all Sterling supports. Thank you for your leadership, friendship, dedication, and unwavering commitment to the Florida Sterling Council.

Job well done!

As we position the Council for its next 26 years, it will be important to create an organization that can address the challenges inherent in operating a small not-for-profit organization. Having the benefit of your experiences will be critical, and I know you will continue to be a big part of our great organization. I look forward to getting your counsel and advice during this period.

Sincerely,

David Faulkenberry, Chairman
Florida Sterling Council