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Jade Solutions, LLC Principal to serve on American Arbitration Association's Panels of Distinguished Neutrals

Germantown, MD, July 7, 2020– On June 29th the <u>American Arbitration Association</u> (AAA) welcomed Jade Solutions Principal Tina Patterson to serve on its Panels of Distinguished Neutrals. Established in 1926, the American Arbitration Association is a not-for-profit organization in the field of alternative dispute resolution, providing services to individuals and organizations who wish to resolve conflicts out of court, and one of several arbitration organizations that administers arbitration proceedings. American Arbitration Association panels are comprised of accomplished attorneys with exceptional subject-matter expertise; former federal and state judges; and business owners who understand the essence of the dispute.

About Jade Solutions, LLC

Jade Solutions, LLC leverages more than 20 years' experience to provide management consulting services in the areas of Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) and community engagement support, proposal and grants management support, as well as project management and training services.

Jade Solutions' Principal, Ms. Tina Patterson, has been an ADR professional for 19 years. She is in on the panels/rosters of the CPR, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA), and several Dispute Resolution Boards. Her background includes completion of training at Southern Methodist University, Pepperdine University, and the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO). Furthermore, she was a participant in the Association for Conflict Resolution (ACR) Environmental Public Policy (EPP) Diversity Mentoring Pilot Project and has served as a panelist presenter at several American Bar Association Section of Dispute Resolution conferences. She has been featured in several publications including the Association for Conflict Resolution's *ACResolution* magazine, the U.S. Geospatial Foundation's *Trajectory* magazine the George Washington University's Center for Excellence in Public Leadership newsletter, as well as the American Bar Association Section of Dispute Resolution *Just Resolutions* newsletter.

Ms. Patterson is a member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators North America branch where she serves as Vice Chair of Communications. In addition, Ms. Patterson is a member of ArbitalWomen (AW), the International Association of Facilitators (IAF), the Mid-Atlantic Facilitators Network (MAFN), the American Bar Association (ABA), and the United States Geo-spatial Intelligence Foundation (USGIF). She serves on the Leadership Advisory Council of Women Impacting Public Policy (WIPP), is a Commissioner with Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission (MNCPPC) and is Commissioner with the Montgomery County Maryland Remembrance and Reconciliation Commission.

Jade Solutions is woman-owned, MBE/DBE/SBE, SWaM, WOSB and WBE certified.