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NAPFA Announces the Appointment of Justin Nichols, CFP®, and Cheryl J. Sherrard, CFP®, MA, to the National Board of Directors, and Michael D. Gibney, CFP®, CAP®, AIF®, as Secretary-Treasurer

CHICAGO, IL – September 1, 2024— The National Association of Personal Financial Advisors (NAPFA) is pleased to announce the appointment of Justin Nichols, CFP®, and Cheryl J. Sherrard, CFP®, MA, to its National Board of Directors, as well as the naming of Michael D. Gibney, CFP®, CAP®, AIF®, as Secretary-Treasurer for the 2024-2025 term.

Michael D. Gibney, CFP®, CAP®, AIF® Appointed Secretary-Treasurer

Michael Gibney, Principal and Wealth Manager at Modera Wealth Management, LLC, has been named as NAPFA's Secretary-Treasurer for the upcoming term. With over 20 years of experience in financial planning, Michael brings extensive knowledge in areas such as retirement, estate, and tax planning. His career is also backed by 15 years of experience on Wall Street, making him a trusted advisor to clients across the country.

Michael has previously served as a member of the Northeast Mid-Atlantic Regional Board and as Chair of NAPFA's Leadership Development Committee. In his new role, Michael will oversee the financial responsibilities of the organization and contribute to strategic decision-making at the national level.

New Appointments to NAPFA National Board

In addition to Michael Gibney's appointment, NAPFA is excited to welcome two new members to its National Board:

- **Justin Nichols, CFP®**, Managing Principal of Operations at CGN Advisors, has joined the National Board. With over 20 years of experience, Justin is passionate about helping clients achieve their financial goals and educating the next generation of financial advisors through his role as an adjunct instructor at Kansas State University.
- **Cheryl J. Sherrard, CFP®, M.A. in Gerontology**, Director of Planning and Senior Financial Advisor at Clearview Wealth Management, has joined the National Board. With a specialized focus on assisting aging clients and women aging alone, Cheryl brings a wealth of expertise in later-life decision-making and is a recognized national speaker on aging topics.

These new board members will help shape NAPFA's regional initiatives and contribute to the continued growth and success of the organization.

About NAPFA

Since 1983, the National Association of Personal Financial Advisors has provided Fee-Only financial advisors across the country with some of the highest standards possible for professional competency, comprehensive financial planning, and Fee-Only compensation. With more than 4,400 members across the country, NAPFA is the leading professional association in the United States dedicated to the advancement of Fee-Only financial planning. Learn more at www.napfa.org.