Name: Pitts, Claude Grade: Senior Member

Bio: I am currently an Active Sr Member of 18 years and current Treasurer FWCS. I am Past Vice-Chair and Past Chair of FWCS, Past Vice-Chair and Past Chair Florida Council, Past R3 Area 4 Chair, Past R3 Life Member Coordinator. Past Vice-Chair and Past Chair of FWCS joint Chapter PE/IAS. I look forward to the opportunity to continue to serve FWCS as Treasure for 2025.

From Linked In:

Claude V. Pitts, III, PMP

Practice Lead - ADMS, Derms, EMS - Lead Business and Technical Consultant - 40 years of Utility Operational, Application Engineering and Subject Matter Expertise in Power System Protection and Controls I have 40 years of Utility Operational, Application Engineering and Subject Matter Expertise in Power System Protection and Control (P&C), DER/Microgrid, Substation, Field Automation, SCADA Engineering Applications and a Certified Project Management Professional.

I have effective operational experience in the utility industry, with positions in IOU Utilities. I am open to 50-60% travel for remote office positions. Tampa Airport is 30 minutes from my home, and is well served by all major airlines.

I have excellent references available from Industry leaders, as well as an array of work samples to support my credentials.

Position Statement - Treasurer:

I do and will continue to promote fiscal responsibility and promote the individual Chapter/Affinity groups to plan functions and look for alternative sources of funding such as their 'national parent', Region 3 and IEEE in general and in the case of our Student Branch/Chapters any additional opportunities afforded by their University. All can agree these Student Branch/Chapters are the future of IEEE.

It is paramount that Section Leadership engage the members to understand the membership needs. The Section leadership must place member engagement/satisfaction above all else- after all when our members become disenfranchised when leadership promotes themselves and their 'achievements' above the membership we all lose.