



## **News Release**

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## Runyan Named to OhanaLink Technologies<sup>™</sup> Board of Directors

**Columbus, OH, September 2, 2021:** GBQ is pleased to announce that <u>Scott</u> <u>Runyan, CPA</u>, Director, Assurance & Business Advisory Services, has been named to the OhanaLink Technologies<sup>™</sup> Board of Directors.

OhanaLink Technologies<sup>™</sup>, a growing technology development company, launched in 2017, debuted beta products in 2019, and is now delivering market-leading applications as a woman-owned business. The Board of Directors is composed of individuals representing shareholders and leaders in their respective industries. Together, they will serve as advisors to the executive team as the company expands its offerings using its proprietary mobile technology platform that connects and supports users. Kara Wasser, Founder and CEO of OhanaLink Technologies<sup>™</sup>, shared, "We are gratified to have the level of expertise represented on our Board. We will look to the members of our Board to utilize their business expertise to provide counsel on our overall strategic vision as our company is poised to experience rapid growth across the country."

Scott joins the Board with nearly 30 years of experience in public accounting, serving numerous private and public companies in various industries. In 1994, he joined GBQ to oversee technical accounting and financial reporting matters, including consulting with clients on business acquisitions and extensive technical research on high-level accounting matters. Over the past ten years and continuing today, Scott leads GBQ's Financial Institutions Services practice. Recognized as a leading provider of services to credit unions and ranked in the top 20 nationally, his team specializes in providing financial institutions with several services, including audits, outsourcing internal audits, compliance, and merger consulting. Scott is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and The Ohio Society of Certified Public Accountants.

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