



BIOGRAPHY

About Brad Schiffer, Candidate for Collier County Commission District 2

Brad Schiffer was born in Meriden, Connecticut, grew up in Allentown, Pennsylvania, and graduated from The Ohio State University. He has practiced architecture and planning with his firm, Brad Schiffer/TAXIS Inc., in Florida since 1976.

Brad serves on the **State of Florida Building Commission**, a position he was appointed to by the Governor in 2012. His public service record also includes:

- **Florida Fire Code Advisory Council**, Chairman, 2004–2008
- **Collier County Planning Commission**, 2003–2012
- **Development Services Advisory Committee**, 2016–2018
- **Building Board of Adjustments and Appeals**, Chairman, 2001–2008, 2013–2018
- **Affordable Housing Advisory Committee**, 2008–2012
- **Local Mitigation Strategy Working Group**, 2005–2012
- **Fire Review Task Force**, 2007/2008, Co-Chairman
- **Architectural Standards Review Committee**

Brad is a member of the American Institute of Architects, and he has been honored with the National Citizen Architect designation. He received the organization's Presidential Citation Award 2017, served as the Southwest Florida Chapter President in 2013, and was awarded both the Frizzell Medal of Honor in 2012 and an Individual Award in 2010. Additionally, he serves as member and leader in the following organizations:

- Member: **International Code Council Means of Egress Committee**, 2005–2011
- Member: **National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)**, 1985–Present
- Member: **Technical Committee of Building Construction**
- Past Chairman: **Technical Committee of Fire Safety and Emergency Symbols**
- Board of Directors: **Foundation for Modern Architecture, Inc.**
- Board of Directors: **Concept House, Inc.**, a residential substance abuse facility, 1992–Present
- Member: **Concept House Inc.**, 1978–2000
- President: **Concept House Inc.**, 1996–2000