



**FACO**  
Florida Association for  
Constitutional Officers





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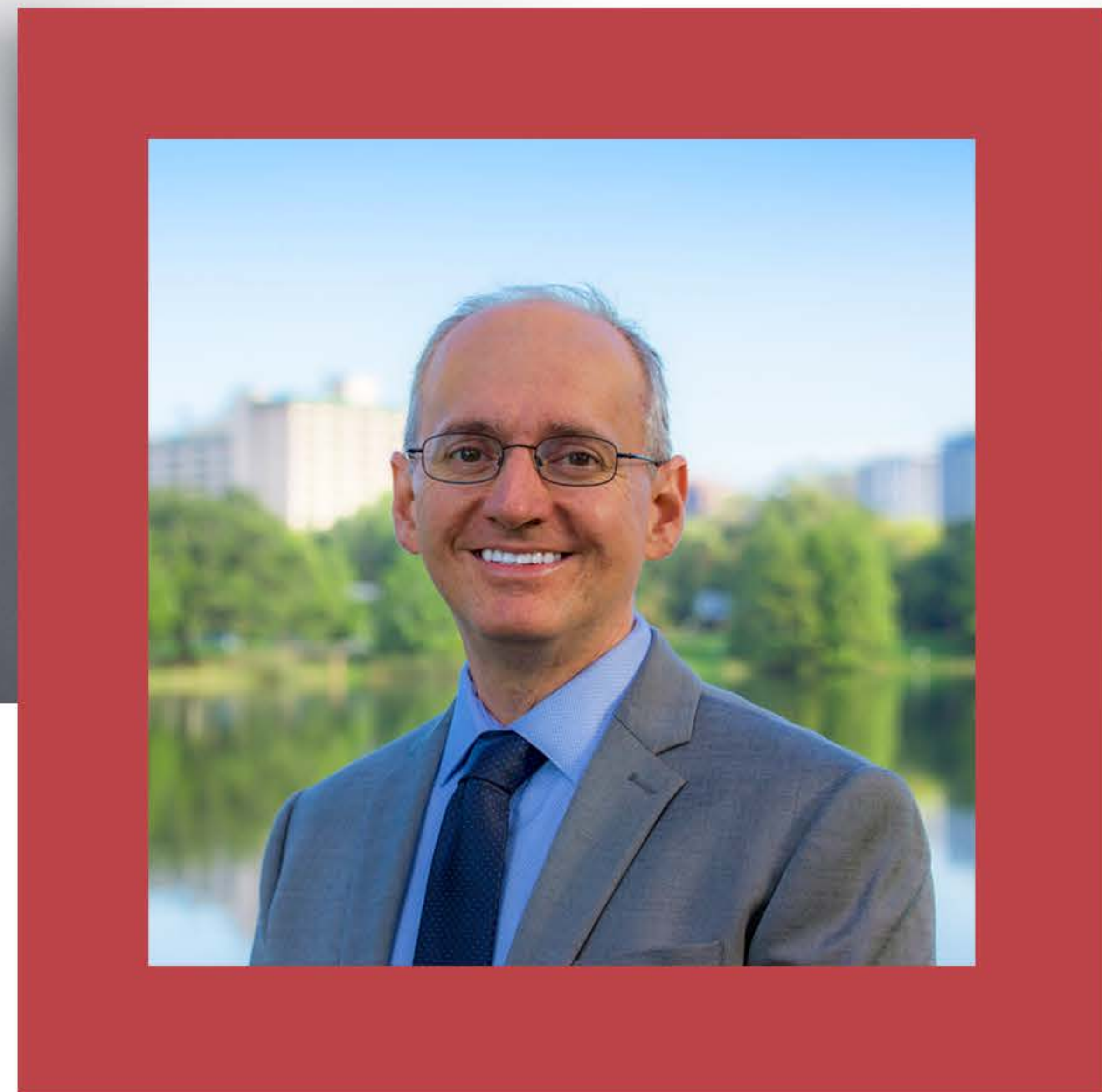
**ABOUT FACO**

The Florida Association for Constitutional Officers (FACO) was created in 2016 to represent the interests and protect the independence of clerks of court, comptrollers, property appraisers, sheriffs, supervisors of elections and tax collectors across Florida through advocacy, education and litigation support.

FACO’s general purpose for which it is organized includes:

- Provide a not-for-profit, public purpose organization to serve as an instrumentality of, and an agent for, elected or appointed county constitutional officers in the State of Florida, as described in Article VIII, Section 1(d) of the Florida Constitution; and
- Provide a non-political, non-partisan organization to aid and assist county constitutional officers in the State of Florida in carrying out their public purpose and functions; and
- Advocate for and protect the independence of county constitutional officers in accordance with the Florida Constitution and Florida Statutes; and
- Work in cooperation with public officials, public organizations, private citizens and private organizations at the national, state and local levels to stimulate and encourage the development of dialog and programs in furtherance of FACO’s mission.





## SERVING FLORIDA'S CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS

We invite you to join the Florida Association for Constitutional Officers ("FACO"). FACO is a Tax-Exempt 501(c)(6) Professional Association that exists to protect the independence and interests of Florida's clerks of court, comptrollers, property appraisers, sheriffs, supervisors of elections, and tax collectors through advocacy, litigation and education.

FACO provides a critical forum for cross-constitutional officer communication to identify and address matters of law and policy that impact all county constitutional officers. We are strongest as county constitutional officers when we band together. A threat to one county constitutional officer can ultimately produce ripple effects felt by all other officers in Florida.

FACO serves to protect and defend its members, including through the initiation of or participation in litigation on its members' behalf where officer independence is threatened. Since its inception, FACO has been committed to quality legal representation of its members impacted by local, state or constitutional threats to officer independence.

We hope you will join with us in this effort to preserve and protect county constitutional officer independence. Included in this brochure are our rates for membership, as well as a membership application.

To join online or for additional information, please visit [www.floridaconstitutionalofficers.com](http://www.floridaconstitutionalofficers.com).

Please don't hesitate to reach out if you have questions or to speak with FACO's executive team. We look forward to hearing from you!

**Hon. Scott Randolph**  
President, Florida Association for Constitutional Officers



# FACO Executive Officers



## **HON SCOTT RANDOLPH, PRESIDENT**

Scott Randolph was elected Orange County Tax Collector in November 2012. Prior to becoming the Orange County Tax Collector, Mr. Randolph served in the Florida Legislature where he served as a senior member on the Finance and Tax Committee. As an attorney, Mr. Randolph brings extensive experience in state and local tax policy to the Orange County Tax Collector's office.

As Tax Collector, he's implemented new technologies to improve customer service, streamlined the office's budget, returned millions of dollars back to taxpayers and fought to protect small businesses, churches and non-profits from unfair tax penalties.



## **HON. AKIN AKINYEMI, TREASURER**

Leon County Property Appraiser, Akin Akinyemi, was elected in November 2016. As Property Appraiser, he oversees the office managing and certifying property values and exemptions for over 108,000 parcels, which total \$28 billion in just value and \$16 billion in taxable value annually. Akin has been an active member of the Leon County community for more than 30 years and comes from the closely related fields of architecture and urban planning.

He also served as Leon County Commissioner (2008-2012), Chairman of the County Commission (2011 to 2012), and Chairman of the Value Adjustment Board, leading on a platform of economic viability, open and accountable government, and environmental sustainability.



## **HON. BOB HENRIQUEZ, SECRETARY**

Bob is a 5th generation Floridian, born and raised in Tampa. After graduating from Princeton, Bob went to work for Hillsborough County to help enhance its 9-1-1 program. In 1998, Bob was elected to the Florida Legislature. After two terms in office, Bob was appointed to lead the Pinellas and Pasco Counties Division of the Department of Children and Families. Bob also served as head football coach at Tampa Catholic from 1990-1999 and 2005-2012.

After winning the election of Hillsborough County Property Appraiser in 2012, Bob made the decision to step down as head coach at TC in order to focus his energies on the constitutional responsibilities of his office. He now leads a new "team" with his same ambitions: to serve the public with fairness, professionalism & humility.



# FACO Members



## OUR MEMBERSHIP

From the Panhandle to Central and South Florida, our diverse members represent every corner of the state and all five constitutional offices - Clerk of Court, Property Appraiser, Sheriff, Supervisor of Elections and Tax Collector.



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*FACO’s experienced legal team helps to ensure positive and consistent results in matters of statewide impact.”*

**Attorney Gigi Rollini**  
FACO’s General Counsel  
and Registered Agent



## WE WIN IN COURT

FACO has secured favorable decisions at every level of Florida’s court system, including the Florida Supreme Court, District Court of Appeal, and Circuit Court, striking a county commission-led ballot measure to abolish constitutional offices and impose a nonpartisan election scheme.

### STANDING UP FOR OUR INDEPENDENCE

Successfully striking in Circuit Court a county charter amendment that threatened to convert elected, independent county constitutional offices into county-controlled offices.

### AMENDMENT 10

Successfully advocating to Florida’s Constitutional Revision Commission and in resulting litigation for the approval, passage and preservation of Amendment 10, which added Florida’s Constitution requirement that county constitutional officers be elected.

### FLORIDA COMMISSION ON ETHICS

Through initiation of a rule challenge, brokering with the Florida Commission on Ethics to define for county constitutional officers what the 2018 amendment to Florida’s Constitution banning receipt of a “disproportionate benefit” means for FACO members.





# JOINING FACO

To join visit [floridaconstitutionalofficers.com](http://floridaconstitutionalofficers.com) or contact:

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## MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES & DUES

Four categories of membership exist to support FACO’s mission: Constitutional Officer, Associational Member, Corporate Sponsor, and Friends of FACO.

### 1. Constitutional Officer

*(Membership levels are based on county population)*

County Population	Annual Dues
Less than 500,000	\$1,000
500,001 - 1,000,000	\$3,000
More than 1,000,000	\$5,000

### 2. Associational Member

Sponsorship Level	Annual Dues
Fla. Officer Association	\$5,000

### 3. Corporate Sponsor

Sponsorship Level	Annual Dues
Gold	\$1,000
Platinum	\$2,500
Diamond	\$5,000

### 4. Friends of FACO

Sponsorship Level	Annual Dues
Individual	\$50
Bronze	\$250
Silver	\$500





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