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Joseph Gibbons

Joseph A. "Joe" Gibbons is a former Democratic member of the Florida House of Representatives, representing District 100 from 2006 to 2014. He did not seek re-election in 2014. He served as the Minority Leader Pro Tempore.

Joseph Gibbons

Democratic Party

Prior offices
Florida House of Representatives District 100

Education	
Bachelor's	Calvin College
Graduate	John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Personal	
Religion	African Methodist Episcopal
Profession	Business

Biography

Gibbons' professional experience includes working as President of the Gibbons Consulting Group, in sales and marketing for the International Business Machines Corporation, and as Vice President of Carbotek, President of Magnetic Imaging Supplies and President of NERData Products.[1]

Committee assignments

2013-2014

At the beginning of the 2013 legislative session, Gibbons served on the following committees:

Florida committee assignments, 2013	[hide]
• Appropriations, Democratic Ranking Member	
• Economic Affairs	
• Health & Human Services	
• Legislative Budget Commission	

2011-2012

In the 2011-2012 legislative session, Gibbons served on the following committees:

Florida committee assignments, 2011	[show]

2009-2010

In the 2009-2010 legislative session, Gibbons served on the following committees:

Florida committee assignments, 2009	[show]

Issues

Sponsored legislation

Gibbon's sponsored legislation includes:

- HB 3 - "Athletic Coaches: Requires independent sanctioning authority of youth athletic team to screen background of current & prospective coaches through designated state & federal sex offender registries"
- HB 31 - "Early Voting: Authorizes supervisor of elections to establish early voting hours for each county; provides for daily minimum & daily maximum number of hours during early voting periods."
- HB 1531 - "Compensation for Wrongful Incarceration Requires that petition for compensation include clear & convincing evidence of actual innocence; requires petitioner to submit fingerprints for criminal history checks."

For details and a full listing of sponsored bills, see the House website.

Elections

2012

See also: Florida House of Representatives elections, 2012

Gibbons won election in the 2012 election for Florida House of Representatives District 100. Gibbons defeated Sheldon Jacob Lisbon in the Democratic primary on August 14, 2012. He won the general election on November 6, 2012.[2]

Florida House of Representatives, District 100 Democratic Primary, 2012		[Collapse]
CANDIDATE	VOTE %	VOTES
✓**Joseph Gibbons** *Incumbent*	55.3%	4,694
Sheldon Jacob Lisbon	44.7%	3,797
Total Votes		**8,491**

2010

See also: Florida House of Representatives elections, 2010

Gibbons ran for re-election to the 105th District seat in 2010. He did not have any opposition in the August 24 primary or in the general election, which took place on November 2, 2010.[3]

2008

See also: Florida House of Representatives elections, 2008

In 2008, Gibbons won re-election to the Florida House of Representatives from Florida's 105th District. Gibbons ran unopposed in the election. He raised $40,156 for his campaign.[4]

Campaign donors

The finance data shown here comes from the disclosures required of candidates and parties. Depending on the election or state, this may not represent all the funds spent on their behalf. Satellite spending groups may or may not have expended funds related to the candidate or politician on whose page you are reading this disclaimer, and campaign finance data from elections may be incomplete. For elections to federal offices, complete data can be found at the FEC website. Click here for more on federal campaign finance law and here for more on state campaign finance law.

Joseph Gibbons campaign contribution history			[hide]
Year	Office	Result	Contributions
2012	Florida State House, District 100	✔	$110,450
2010	Florida State House, District 105	✔	$37,028
2008	Florida State House, District 105	✔	$40,156
2006	Florida State House, District 105	✔	$102,073
Grand total raised			$289,707

Source: Followthe Money

2012

Gibbons won re-election to the Florida House of Representatives in 2012. During that election cycle, Gibbons raised a total of **$110,450**.

Florida House of Representatives 2012 election - campaign contributions	[show]

2010

Gibbons won re-election to the Florida House of Representatives in 2010. During that election cycle, Gibbons raised a total of **$37,028**.

Florida House of Representatives 2010 election - Campaign Contributions	[show]

2008

Gibbons won re-election to the Florida House of Representatives in 2008. During that election cycle, Gibbons raised a total of **$40,156**.

Florida House of Representatives 2008 election - Campaign Contributions	[show]

2006

Gibbons won election to the Florida House of Representatives in 2006. During that election cycle, Gibbons raised a total of **$102,073**.

Florida House of Representatives 2006 election - Campaign Contributions	[show]

Scorecards

See also: State legislative scorecards and State legislative scorecards in Florida

A scorecard evaluates a legislator's voting record. Its purpose is to inform voters about the legislator's political positions. Because scorecards have varying purposes and methodologies, each report should be considered on its own merits. For example, an advocacy group's scorecard may assess a legislator's voting record on one issue while a state newspaper's scorecard may evaluate the voting record in its entirety.

Ballotpedia is in the process of developing an encyclopedic list of published scorecards. Some states have a limited number of available scorecards or scorecards produced only by select groups. It is Ballotpedia's goal to incorporate all available scorecards regardless of ideology or number.

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2014

In 2014, the Florida State Legislature was in session from March 3 through May 5.

- Florida Chamber of Commerce
  Legislators are scored on their votes on bills related to business issues.
- Florida Health Care Associations
  Legislators are scored on their stances on issues related to healthcare.
- Florida Sheriff's Association
  Legislators are scored on their votes on bills related to public safety and law enforcement officials.
- Let Florida Decide
  Legislators are scored on their stances on marijuana.
- Liberty First Network
  Legislators are scored on a group of bills that the organization supports or opposes.
- The American Conservative Union
  Legislators are scored on their votes on conservative issues.

2013

To view all the scorecards we found for this legislator in 2013, click [show]. [show]

Personal

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Gibbons has been President of the Hallandale Beach-Aventura Rotary Club, a member of the Henderson Mental Health Board of Directors, Director of the African American Success Foundation and Director of the Future Foundation and the Hallandale Beach Neighborhood Improvement.

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External links

- Profile from Open States
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- Biography from Project Vote Smart
- Campaign Contributions: 2012, 2008

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Footnotes

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Political offices		
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Preceded by -	**Florida House of Representatives District 105** 2006-2012	Succeeded by **Carlos Trujillo (R)**

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