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### Richard Steinberg

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Richard Steinberg is a former Democratic member of the Florida House of Representatives, representing the District 106 from 2008 to February 24, 2012.

## Biography

Steinberg's professional experience includes working as an attorney.

notify us of updates to this biography. He is a member of the Board of Directors of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Miami, Dade County Bar Association, and Miami Beach Bar Association and is on the Board of Governors of the Miami Beach Chamber of Commerce. [2]

Steinberg resigned his seat after admitting he sent anonymous inappropriate text messages

to Assistant U.S. Attorney Marlene Fernandez-Karavetsos over a period of three months. [1]

## Committee assignments

#### In the 2011-2012 legislative session, Steinberg served on these committees:

2011-2012

- Judiciary
- Subcommittee on Civil Justice, Ranking Minority Member Subcommittee on Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations
  - Subcommittee on Transportation and Highway Safety
- 2009-2010

Elder & Family Services Policy Committee

In the 2009-2010 legislative session, Steinberg served on these committees:

- PreK-12 Appropriations Committee
- Roads, Bridges & Ports Policy Committee

### Steinberg did not provide answers to the Florida State Legislative Election 2008 Political Courage Test. The test informs voters

Issues

how a candidate would vote on the issues if elected. [3] **Sponsored legislation** 

#### Steinberg's sponsored legislation included:

HB 357 - "Child Safety Devices: Provides child-restraint requirements for children 4 through 7 years of age; revises

- equipment requirements for vessel safety." HB 1067 - "Domestic Partnerships: Provides requirements for formation of domestic partnership; provides for registration of declaration & issuance of certificate of domestic partnership; provides that persons declaring domestic
- partnership consent to jurisdiction in this state for specified purposes" HB 1257 - "Prescription Drug Donation Program: Renames Cancer Drug Donation Program as Prescription Drug
- Donation Program; expands drugs & supplies that may be donated under program; expands types of facilities & practitioners that may participate in program." For details and a full listing of sponsored bills, see the House site &.

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2012

#### Steinberg did not run for re-election in 2012.[4]

2010

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See also: Florida House of Representatives elections, 2010

Steinberg ran for re-election to the 106th 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. [5]

2008

#### On November 4, 2008, Steinberg won election to the Florida House of Representatives from Florida's 106th District, defeating Luis Macagno (write-in). Steinberg received 35,523 votes in the election while Macagno received 6 votes. [6] Steinberg raised

\$339,923 for his campaign.[7] Florida House of Representatives, District 106

	votes	Percent
✓ Richard Steinberg (D)	35,523	100.0%
Luis Macagno (write-in)	6	0.0%

### 2010

### In 2010, Steinberg raised \$22,350 in contributions.<sup>[8]</sup>

His four largest contributors were: Donor

Florida Police Benevolent Association	\$1,000
Florida Association Of Realtors	\$1,000
Ronald L Book Governmental Consultants Inc	\$1,000
AT&T	\$1,000

Campaign donors

## Below are Steinberg's top five campaign contributors in the 2008 election: [9]

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Richard Steinberg	\$2,228
Dade County Classroom Teachers Assoc	\$2,000
FL Institute of CPAs	\$1,500
FL Power & Light	\$1,000
Lawyers Action	\$1,000

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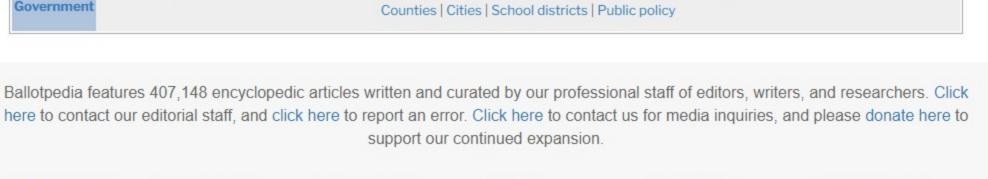
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