

Florida Home Builders Political Action Committee

Primary Election Results

State Representative, District 1

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Mike Hill	REP	10,029 47.52%
✓ Michelle Salzman FHB PAC	REP	11,077 52.48%
Total 21,106		

Notes: In a stunning upset, Home Builders Association of West Florida and FHB PAC supported candidate Michelle Salzman upsets Rep. Mike Hill in HD 1. A huge night for Michelle and quite possibly a bigger night for David Peaden! Michelle was heavily endorsed by our industry as well as former Senate President Don Gaetz and former Rep. Frank White. Michelle is eager to get to work and will bring a fresh voice to Tallahassee.

State Representative, District 2

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
✓ Alex Andrade FHB PAC	REP	11,175 60.84%
Cris Dosev	REP	7,194 39.16%
Total 18,369		

Notes: Incumbent Rep. Andrade easily defeated challenger Cris Dosev in what was a very heated primary. Cris Dosev had built some name idea in the area following unsuccessful bids to unseat Congressman Matt Gaetz. Rep. Andrade had the backing of Governor DeSantis and Congressman Matt Gaetz in the primary. He has been a great advocate for our industry and we are excited to have him back.

State Representative, District 6

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Steven Linne	REP	4,913 24.38%
✓ Jay Trumbull FHB PAC	REP	15,242 75.62%

Total 20,155

Notes: Incumbent/Rep. Trumbull easily defeated his primary challenger. A great friend to the Bay Building Industries Association; it is vital that FHB PAC continue to support allies across the State.

State Representative, District 9

Democrat Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Arnitta Jane Grice-Walker	DEM	6,625 22.31%
✓ Allison Tant FHB PAC	DEM	23,066 77.69%

Total 29,691

Notes: Quite possibly one of our favorite newcomers, Allison Tant will be a breath of fresh air with her pro-business platform. In a district that is heavily democrat, electing pro construction and home building candidates is vital for the future of the Florida Legislature.

State Representative, District 13

Democrat Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
✓ Tracie Davis FHB PAC	DEM	14,952 65.06%
Cynthia Smith	DEM	8,030 34.94%

Total 22,982

Notes: Rep. Davis easily handled her primary opposition in securing her Jacksonville seat for another term. She was supported by FHBA and the Northeast Florida Builders Association (NEFBA). Her victory along with the Primary defeat of Incumbent Kimberly Daniels places her as a frontrunner for a State Senate Seat in 2022.

State Representative, District 29

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Luther "Luke" Dowe	REP	2,451 17.44%
✓ Scott Plakon FHB PAC	REP	11,605 82.56%

Total 14,056

Notes: Incumbent/Rep. Plakon easily handled his primary opposition in a heavily red district. Rep. Plakon is a big proponent of expediting permits and as a Senior Member of the House, maybe primed to pursue meaningful changes.

State Representative, District 53

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received	
Marcelle "Marcie" Adkins	REP	5,840	35.38%
✓ Randy Fine FHB PAC	REP	10,667	64.62%
		Total	16,507

Notes: Rep. Fine cruised past his primary challenger Tuesday, placing him in the driver's seat for a probable reelection in November. A two-term Representative from South Brevard County who is greatly supported by the Home Builders and Contractors Association of Brevard, Rep. Fine will now face Phil Moore (D), a Palm Bay health care professional, in a rematch of the 2018 election. HD 53's voter registration is currently led by Republicans by three percent. In 2018, Fine best Moore by 10 percentage points.

State Representative, District 72

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received	
Donna Barcomb	REP	7,487	41.77%
✓ Fiona McFarland FHB PAC	REP	7,750	43.24%
Jason M. Miller	REP	2,687	14.99%
		Total	17,924

Notes: With Rep. Margaret Good running for Congress this year, Republicans are attempting to recapture Sarasota County's House District 72, which Good won in a 2018 special election. Fiona McFarland, labelled an *outsider*, won the support of the Manatee-Sarasota Building Industry Association and FHB PAC early. With an impressive resume as a Lieutenant Commander in the United States Navy, Fiona went on to receive the endorsement of former Navy SEAL and Congressman Dan Crenshaw as well as local Congressman Greg Steube, the credit for supporting early goes to Jon Mast! Fiona will face Drake Buckman (D) in November's general election.

State Representative, District 77

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received	
Bryan Blackwell	REP	9,664	45.65%
✓ Mike Giallombardo FHB PAC	REP	11,506	54.35%
		Total	21,170

Notes: Mike Giallombardo won the race to replace Majority Leader Dane Eagle. Formally introduced to FHBA by Phil Ford, Carl Barraco Jr., and Bob Himschoot, Mike quickly won the support of the Lee Building Industry Association and FHB PAC. Mike's team is full of heavy hitters who have a great relationship with the FHBA team, including former State Rep. Matt Caldwell and prominent consultant Terry Miller. Following the support, Mike went on to win the endorsement of the Florida Chamber. Mike was endorsed early by Leader Eagle, however, the race itself was considered one of the most uncertain in Southwest Florida. Unquestionably, Mike will take the baton from Dane Eagle as a great advocate for our industry.

State Representative, District 78

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received	
Roger Lolly	REP	5,122	26.34%
Charlie Lynch	REP	2,834	14.57%
✓ Jenna Persons FHB PAC	REP	11,493	59.09%
		Total	19,449

Notes: A longtime friend of the FHBA team, Jenna Persons will make her debut in public office after decisively defeating her primary opponents in a very red district. Jenna Persons has quickly become a staple in the Fort Myers community and had the support of all prominent elected officials in Southwest Florida. A land use attorney by trade, Persons is a proven advocate for both developers and home builders alike – Lee BIA and FHB PAC jumped on board early! Without a doubt, Jenna is a fundraising machine that will surely be positioned for a future leadership role.

State Representative, District 79

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received	
Randy Allen-Scott	REP	3,942	26.74%
✓ Spencer Roach FHB PAC	REP	10,802	73.26%

Total 14,744

Notes: Incumbent/Rep. Roach sailed through his primary Tuesday evening. Supported by Lee BIA and the FHB PAC, Rep. Roach is a great advocate for Southwest Florida and home building.

State Representative, District 84

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
✓ Dana Trabulsy FHB PAC	REP	9,243 76.72%
Eileen Vargas	REP	2,804 23.28%
Total 12,047		

Notes: Incumbent Rep. Delores Hogan Johnson (D) of Fort Pierce will face Republican Dana Trabulsy to represent St. Lucie County. Dana is a member of the Treasure Coast Builders Association and some political pundits believe that Dana is positioned well to upset Rep. Johnson.

State Representative, District 96

Democrat Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Saima Farooqui	DEM	5,087 28.05%
✓ Christine Hunschofsky FHB PAC	DEM	13,049 71.95%
Total 18,136		

Notes: Parkland Mayor Christine Hunschofsky easily handled her first Florida House primary in a heavily blue District 96. Christine came to FHBA highly recommended by members and legislators as an up and coming leader who understands the blockades home builders face at the local level.

State Representative, District 104

Democrat Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
✓ Robin Bartleman FHB PAC	DEM	11,242 70.17%
Morey Wright	DEM	4,780 29.83%
Total 16,022		

Notes: Broward County School Board Member Robin Bartleman secured an easy win Tuesday night in her bid to replace term-limited Rep. Richard Stark (D). Although a blue district, Robin will now face George Navarini in the General Election. The district holds a 15-percentage point advantage over Republicans.

State Representative, District 105

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Pedro Barrios	REP	2,140 21.09%
✓ David Borrero	REP	4,198 41.37%
*Bibiana Potestad FHB PAC	REP	3,810 37.54%
Total		10,148

Notes: In what is the FHB PAC's only "loss" of the night, David Borrero ran a fantastic campaign in his bid to replace Rep. Ana Maria Rodriguez, as she makes a run to replace Senator Anitere Flores in SD 39.

State Representative, District 116

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Gabriel Garcia	REP	6,436 41.24%
✓ Daniel A. Perez FHB PAC	REP	9,172 58.76%
Total		15,608

Notes: Rep. Perez, on pace to become the next Speaker of the Florida House in 2024, ran an excellent campaign to secure his future in representing Miami in the Florida Legislature. In what should have been a quiet primary, outgoing Florida House Speaker Jose Oliva spent hundreds of thousands of dollars in contributions in an attempt to oust Rep. Perez. FHB PAC will continue to support Rep. Perez as he climbs the ranks in the Florida House of Representatives.

State Senator, District 5

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
✓ Jennifer Bradley FHB PAC	REP	47,391 59%
Jason G. Holifield	REP	32,938 41%

Total 80,329

Notes: Jennifer Bradley put together an astounding war chest in her bid to replace former Appropriations Chair, Rob Bradley. Backed by Republican Party leadership early, Jennifer will continue to carry the torch forward in representing North Florida.

State Senator, District 21

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
✓ Jim Boyd FHB PAC	REP	49,477 <div>90.13%</div>
John Manners Houman	REP	5,418 <div>9.87%</div>
Total 54,895		

Notes: Former Representative and Manatee-Sarasota BIA / FHB PAC supported Jim Boyd, ran an excellent campaign to replace term-limited President Bill Galvano. Rep. Boyd has been a great advocate for the industry and FHBA is excited to have him back in the Florida Legislature.

State Senator, District 27

Republican Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received
Heather Fitzenhagen	REP	16,115 <div>25.16%</div>
✓ Ray Rodrigues FHB PAC	REP	47,935 <div>74.84%</div>
Total 64,050		

Notes: State House members Ray Rodrigues and Heather Fitzenhagen were locked in a fierce Republican primary to replace (my former boss) term-limited Senator Lizbeth Benacquisto in the Lee County district. Rodrigues had the backing of Senate Republican leaders, while Fitzenhagen jumped from the Congressional District 19 race into the State Senate race shortly before the end of qualifying. Rep. Rodrigues has been a great voice for our industry in the House. He will face Democrat Rachel Brown in November.

State Senator, District 35

Democrat Primary

Candidate	Party	Votes Received	
Daphne Campbell	DEM	9,899	15.57%
Wilbur Harbin	DEM	1,207	1.9%
Erhabor Ighodaro	DEM	9,412	14.8%
✓ Shevrin Jones FHB PAC	DEM	27,527	43.29%
Cynthia Ann Stafford	DEM	6,089	9.57%
Barbara Watson	DEM	9,459	14.87%
		Total	63,593

Notes: Shev Jones won decisively in his six way race to replace term-limited Senator Oscar Braynon. Shev has been a great partner in the Florida Legislature and a good friend to the Builders Association of South Florida.