CARL A. CASCIO Candidate for REC Chairman



Carl Cascio will provide **FIRM** and **FAIR** leadership and drain the REC swamp. Carl will work hard to make the REC a serious MAGA/America First and effective Republican Executive Committee. As Chairman, Carl will continue to be a vital part and provide the leadership needed to continue the success of the election operations/integrity and fundraising areas of the REC. He believes these two areas will be key to the future success of the REC as it has been over this past year.

Endorsed by: Geoffrey Pugh, Mayor of Ocean Ridge

Carl was born and raised a Floridian and importantly, a Republican. Carl's family moved from Miami to Palm Beach County in 1988. After finishing law school Carl moved back to Palm Beach County and soon thereafter became a member of the Republican Executive Committee in 1993. In 1994 Carl ran for State Representative in a very heavily Democratic area in western Delray Beach and Boynton Beach as the Republican Candidate. Although Carl was not successful in winning the seat, he was able to run a very strong and respectable campaign and people in the local and state party took notice of that.

Carl has also helped several candidates in Local, State and Federal races and raised a family before re-joining the REC in 2019. Carl has been a critical part of the team that has led the current REC leadership which achieved its record setting fund raising, significant improvements in the 2024 municipal elections and the successes in this past General Elections. Despite significant change in REC leadership, our local party has made significant strides in some very important areas, but still much more needs to be done moving forward.

In the past year, while acting as REC General Counsel, Carl has had to effectively call balls and strikes to make sure that the executive committee was running properly, according to our local rules, states rules and county model constitution. Unfortunately, there have been too many turbulent and disrupting events within the REC, rather than focusing on our mission, which is to defeat many of the leftist socialist who are holding seats in our county and local governments. **That must change**.

No longer will people be allowed to put personal agendas ahead of those of the committee as a whole. Our mission statement clearly sets for what each committee man and woman is expected to do once they join the REC. Those who do not adhere to this are not helping achieve our goal and are certainly not abiding by our mission statement. In the future, if any member decides to put their own agenda ahead of the goals of our party, in a way which is detrimental to the REC achieving its objectives, Carl will let the entire REC executive committee deal with these matters in a fair but firm manner.

If elected as Chairman, Carl will surround himself with able-bodied and likeminded people who the membership can trust to carry out the goals of the REC. Carl will listen to the input and constructive criticism of the members. This will allow the Board to make any necessary corrections and move forward in a timely and decisive manner and decide what the best course of action for the party. Carl will be fair and firm, and will put an end to divisive conduct by any members that violate our governing documents.

Our committee can no longer afford to be divided into different camps or cliques. We have to be unified. Carl will take ideas from all sides and listen, but in the end, Carl will direct and lead in a direction that will make us stronger and more effective.

As a member of the current leadership, the REC provided record financial support to Republican candidates in this past election. This was due to the success in the REC's fundraising over this past year. As Chairman, Carl will build on these events and improve on the number of events and their success.

EDUCATION

Legal University of Mississippi, School of Law

Oxford, MS, J.D. May 1991

Undergraduate **Purdue University**

West Lafayette, IN, B.S. Business Management 1986

Four Year Starter Men's Varsity Tennis Team

BAR MEMBERSHIPS

Member of Florida Bar: Admitted to United States District Court Southern District of Florida: Admitted to United States District Court Middle District of Florida; Member of Palm Beach County Bar Association; Past Member of the CLE Real Estate Committee; member of Florida Bar's Real Property, Probate and Trust Law Section; member of Palm Beach County Real Estate Committee; and past associate member of the Palm Beach County Realtors' Association.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sole Practitioner and Founder of Carl A. Cascio, P.A. 11/94 to Present

2001 to Present Owner and President of Dolphin Title of the Palm Beaches, Inc.

Real estate title company.

Cases of Interest: Successfully defended Delray Beach Police Department police officers in civil rights action; handling of multiple litigation duties in prosecution of legal malpractice/commercial litigation actions; successfully prevented Palm Shores at Gables End Association, Inc. (222 homeowners) from being annexed by the City of Boynton Beach; successfully prevented Centex Homes from developing mobile Meadowbrook Homes Mobile Home Park in West Palm Beach and from evicting its 550 + homeowners.

POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

6/86 - 7/86 **Congressional Intern** for Congressman William Lehman, Washington, D.C.

> Responsible for extracting and researching financial and economic data for congressional issues focused on Tax Reform Act of 1986. Liaison with constituents regarding financial and

economic issues including impact of Tax Reform Act of 1986.

1993-1995 **REC Committeeman**

1994 Republican Candidate for State Representative District 88 in Palm Beach County

2019 to Present REC Committeeman for Palm Beach County Executive Committee

2023 - 2024 Acting General Counsel to the Palm Beach County Executive Committee and Board

Member

Poll Watcher for Republican National Committee and Donald Trump in 2020 presidential election

2022 Authorized Designee Election Attorney for Republican Party of Florida, Governor Ron DeSantis and Senator Marc Rubio

2024 Authorized Designee Election Attorney for Republican Party of Florida, PBC

REC and numerous Republican Nominees in General Election