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EXPERIENCE

Deputy County Administrator/Acting Public Safety Director

Manatee County, Bradenton, Florida

Jun 2021 - 2023

- Designed innovative approaches to optimize departmental workflow, streamline procedures, and enhance public satisfaction levels.
- Oversight over the HR Department, Natural Resources, Administration, Public Outreach, Records, Legislative Affairs, Public Safety and Utilities
- Liaison to Commissioners and briefing them on policy issues & agenda items before the Board.

Chief Operations Officer/VP

Florida Association of Community Health Centers, Tallahassee, Florida

Jan 2007 - Jun 2021

- Administered statewide quality and ethics evaluations for maintaining operational integrity.
- Supported CEO's directive efforts by reporting routine statuses and raising larger issues for addressing.
- Collaborated with CEOs of 50 Member organizations throughout Florida to attain a comprehensive view of operational and fiscal statuses.
- Budget preparation for a two-million-dollar budget and maintaining fiscal integrity
- Seeking grants and contracts, personnel, strategic planning, and program oversight and integrity
- Chief legislative officer at state and federal levels

National Director of Government Relations

National Association of Extracorporeal Technology, Tallahassee/Washington DC

Apr 2002 - Jan 2007

- Testified and successfully lobbied issues before 50 state legislatures and Congress on behalf of cardiovascular perfusion professionals.
- Hired and managed teams of contract lobbyists in many states
- Identified strategy and developed policy on clinical issues affecting these healthcare professionals.
- Developed existing team into high productivity, results-oriented unit through creative initiatives.

Director Of Health Policy

Florida Agency for Healthcare Administration, Tallahassee, Florida

Apr 1998 - Apr 2002

- Directed state policy development on Medicaid, health insurance, managed care and fiscal matters which resulted in state legislative initiatives.
- Managed budget, report drafting and analysis, research, strategic planning, and regulatory issues.
- Managed federal and foundation grants and state grants contracted to universities throughout Florida.
- Directed a staff of forty professionals.

Chief Policy Advisor

Jul 1992 - Apr 1998

- As senior staff and policy advisor I was the principal liaison to local officials and the Florida Congressional delegation.
- Responsibility for budget development on healthcare and intergovernmental issues
- Directed 30 staff members on policy issues, legislative initiatives, research and planning.
- Developed and delivered public testimony on legislative initiatives and worked with constituents, representatives of interest groups, board and commission members, and others with interest in matters under consideration.
- Designed and implemented an effective federal funds strategy resulting in a substantial increase in federal formula and program grants.

Director, Governors Washington DC Office

Governor of Texas, Washington, DC

Mar 1989 - Jul 1992

- Senior staff and primary Congressional, federal agency and White House liaison for the Governor
- Directed staff on appropriation and budget matters affecting Texas.
- Testified on the Governors behalf on federal legislation before Congress.
- Worked closely with the university system, state agencies and commissions to secure grant dollars to secure an additional two billion dollars.

Deputy Director

Council of State Governments, Washington, DC

May 1982 - Mar 1989

- Managed a national organization of state officials including serving as **Director of two sister organizations...the Southern Governors Association and the National Association of Secretaries of State**
- Directed a committee on intergovernmental affairs that included representatives of the seven major state and local organizations.
- Represented the interests of the states before Congress and the White House.
- Drove operational performance of the organization through process management and improvements.

Chief Legislative Assistant

Michigan Senate Majority Leader, Lansing, Michigan

Jul 1977 - May 1982

- Responsible for legislative initiatives deemed a priority by the Majority Leader, the ranking official in this full-time legislature.
- Served as Senate floor assistant and chief liaison to House and Senate members on major legislation.
- Expertise as a catalyst on appropriation, finance and economic issues
- Liaison to constituent and interest groups
- Oversight of the Legislative Counsel Bureau which conducted research and drafted legislation.

EDUCATION

Certificate in Management

Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL, US

May 1996

MPA In Public Administration, Summa Cum Laude

Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, US

Jul 1980

Bachelor Of Arts (B.A.) In Economics/Political Science, Magna Cum Laude

Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, MI, US

Aug 1977
