

James W. “Bo” Middleton – Candidate for Fairfield District

Bo Middleton is an accomplished executive with over 26 years experience in the community development non-profit arena. He served as the Executive Director and later President/CEO of the Southside Community Development & Housing Corporation (SCDHC). Utilizing his marketing background, he inspired potential funders, equity partners and families on how the blighted communities in Richmond’s Old South District (Blackwell) could become a community of choice. He orchestrated over \$58 million of transformative neighborhood investment dollars...utilizing LIHTC and 501(c)(3) tax exempt bonds SCDHC built independent senior living apartments and with CDBG and HOME funds developed single-family units, all under the banner of affordable housing! He has served on numerous boards, including the Better Business Bureau of Richmond and the Richmond Federal Reserve Community Development Advisory Council. He is a graduate of Leadership Metro Richmond (LMR) and a discussion group leader for over 20 years with the Bible Study Fellowship (BSF). He has served on the Henrico County Chief of Police Advisory Board since 2019 and is a member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. He and wife Barbara love Henrico, having lived in the Fairfield District for over 38 years. They have four accomplished children and seven amazing grandchildren.