



# Terry J. Brown

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## Franklin County Recorder



Terry J. Brown is Franklin County's 29th Recorder. He was elected in November, 2012 to his first 4 year term.

Terry has a strong record of public and community service. He has served in the office of the Franklin County Treasurer, Department of Human Resources under the Franklin County Board of Commissioners, and in the office of the Franklin County Municipal Court Clerk. He has also served on the Joint Columbus and Franklin County Housing Advisory Board, Franklin County Planning Commission, the Franklin County Joint Benefits Committee, the Franklin County Board of Revision, and as Secretary for the Central Ohio Community Improvement

Corporation.

In addition to his public service Terry has also been active in the community. Mr. Brown is a graduate of Capital University where he earned his degree in Communication Studies. While at Capital he taught preschool and Vacation Bible School, and in 1998 he served as the Habitat for Humanity Collegiate Challenge Coordinator. Mr. Brown currently volunteers at Voice Corps Reading Service for the Blind, is a strong advocate for organ donation, and has served as the Treasurer for his church, St. Paul United Church of Christ.

Terry has received several awards for his service to the community. He is a 2008 recipient of The Heart of Ohio Hero Award for the 25th Ohio House District and a 2013 recipient of the Patriotic Employer award from the Secretary of Defense Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve. Terry also received the Past President's Award and the Barbara Sokol Memorial Award from the Stonewall Democrats of Central Ohio. In 2012 he was also named one of the Who's Who in GLBT Columbus. Terry and his partner Joel own a home together in the Westgate Park neighborhood of Columbus.