

RANDY SOKOL

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CURRENTLY

Co-owner: Tee Jaye's Country Place Restaurants

Real Estate Agent: Smith Realty Partners

Owner: Sokol & Associates

Affiliations: Ohio Business Brokers Association, Ohio Restaurant Association & Central Ohio

Restaurant Association

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

National Restaurant Association Public Affairs Conferences: 1997-2006

• Election Advisory Committee: Tiberi for Congress

NFIB representative to President Bush White House: Small Business Leaders 2000

Personally contribute: ORA PAC Fund

Personally contribute: NRA SAFE Fund

• Co-Chair: National Restaurant Association Ohio's SAFE Fund Golf Outing 2001

• Phone calls to Senators and Congressman relating to small business issues

• National Restaurant Association winner: National Grassroots Award 2001

STATE INVOLVEMENT

- Steering Committee: Ohio Hospitality Coalition (the legislative arm for ORA)1990-2001
- Chairman: Ohio Hospitality Coalition 1997-1998
- MC: Legislative Day Event while hosting Congressman Pat Tiberi 1999
- Developed OHC PAC fundraisers throughout Ohio
- Developed grassroots "Adopt a Candidate" program for elections 2000
- Chairman: Ohio Restaurant Association 1999-2000
- Board Member: Ohio Restaurant Association 1991-2008
- Developed state-wide PAC for ORA locally
- Appointed by Taft & Voinovich to serve on Governors Food Service
- Advisory Committee to adopt new food code standards for Ohio 2002
- Advisory Board: Ohio State University Food Management 2002

LOCAL CONTRIBUTION

- Chairman: Central Ohio Restaurant Association 2007
- Executive Committee: Central Ohio Restaurant Association 2000-Present
- President: Children's Hospital Development Board 2000
- Board Member: Children's Hospital Development Board 1995-Present
- Chairman: Children's Hospital Woody Hayes Golf Outing 2000
- Chairman: NFIB Columbus Action Committee
- Board Member: NFIB
- Merchant of the Year: Parson Avenue 1996
- Coach: Special Olympics Track & Basketball 1995-2000
- Founder: Jewish Business Forum 1999
- Chairman: Columbus Jewish Federation Annual Dinner 2003
- Member: Columbus Jewish Foundation 2000-Present
- Board Member: Ohio State University Hillel 2000-2005
- Board Member: Retail Food Safety Advisory 1999
- Committee member: JDRF Auction 2010-Present
- Founding member of board: Food & Wine Affair & Chair of Auction 2003
- Board Chair: Central Ohio Restaurant Association PAC 2005-2006

EDUCATION

The Ohio State University

- Bachelor's Degree: Restaurant Management
- Member: President's Club
- Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity: Vice-President 1980

DALE CARNEGIE INSTITUTE

- Public Speaking
- Meeting Facilitation
- Award winner: Public Speaking

CAPITAL UNIVERSITY

• Professional Development: Management courses

FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY

• Professional Development: Communication classes

HONDROS COLLEGE

• Real Estate License