

SAWYER SMITH

FOR LEE COUNTY COMMISSION

A lifelong resident of Lee County, Sawyer Smith is an accomplished businessman and attorney who is dedicated to protecting and improving the Lee County's quality of life and business climate.

A partner in one of Southwest Florida's preeminent law firms, Sawyer has litigated complex civil and criminal legal matters in the county, state and federal courts, and has earned the respect and praise of many in the legal profession for his level of integrity and commitment to the protection of constitutional rights.

An avid outdoorsman, Sawyer has served on the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's Snook Advisory board. An active partner with the Florida Marine Research Institute, for 15 years Sawyer has led efforts to promote new marine research as part of the effort to ensure recreational and commercial fisheries remain healthy and plentiful for future generations.

A staunch advocate for Lee County's agricultural industry, Sawyer is actively involved with the Florida Watermelon Association and other agricultural organizations. Sawyer was appointed to the 2015 Board of Directors of the Florida Watermelon Association.

A fifth-generation Lee County resident, Sawyer has been deeply involved in numerous other community and local charitable activities throughout his life.

Sawyer is the proud father of the beautiful Meriel Viola Smith (7). His father, Wilbur, is a former Mayor of the City Fort Myers. His mother, Marilyn, is deeply involved in numerous charitable organizations and was the founder of the Imaginarium Science Center.

A graduate of Fort Myers High School, Sawyer earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Florida and his Juris Doctor from the Florida Coastal School of Law.

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