

Biography
Tommy H Patterson
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Born in Gainesville, GA, 1950

1972 – Graduated from The University of Georgia – BS Forest Resources Management

1974 – Began career as Licensed, Professional Forester with The State of Alabama Forestry Commission (AFC), as a field forester in Tuscaloosa, AL

1976 – Appointed as Colbert/Lauderdale County Forester (AFC) responsible for managing county level forestry programs, forest fire control, personnel supervision and budget management.

1981 – Appointed to AFC State Headquarters in Montgomery, AL as Section Chief for management of statewide forest management programs. Administered state level budgets and personnel supervision. Served on various regional and national boards/committees concerning forest management strategies and scientific techniques.

1999 – Served as AFC Assistant Regional Forester for SE Region, supervising personnel, budgets and forestry programs in 11 Alabama Counties.

2003 – Retired from AFC with almost 30 years of state service.

2003 – Moved to Foley, AL and developed an aerial photography business using full scale and remotely piloted aircraft.

2013 – Appointed as Foley Council District One Representative to the Graham Creek Nature Preserve Advisory Committee and served as Vice Chairman until 2021 when I moved out of my appointed district.

Married to Lillie D Patterson and attend Foley First Baptist Church

Served as President and Board Member of Wolf Bay Pines HOA with multiple interactions with City of Foley leaders and employees concerning city development.