

# SENATOR BRANDON BEACH

## GEORGIA'S 21ST SENATE DISTRICT

State Senator Brandon Beach, a Republican, was elected to the Georgia State Senate in 2013. He represents District 21, which includes portions of Cherokee and Fulton counties.

Sen. Beach serves as Chairman of the Senate Committee on Economic Development and Tourism and as an Ex-Officio member of the Senate Committees on Higher Education, Reapportionment and Redistricting, and Transportation. He is also a member of the Senate Committees on Appropriations, Finance, Rules, and the Committee on Assignments.

Closer to home, Sen. Beach is the Executive Director and one of the founders of the North Fulton Community Improvement District (NFCID). Under his leadership, the NFCID has invested more than \$28 million, contributing to over \$170 million in new infrastructure for the district over the past 20 years.

In 2001, Governor Sonny Perdue appointed Sen. Beach to the board of the Georgia Regional Transportation Authority (GRTA). In 2008, he was selected to chair one of GRTA's most important committees: the Land Development Committee. In this role, Sen. Beach was responsible for leading reviews of every significant development proposal brought before the 16-county area served by GRTA.

Sen. Beach was elected to the Board of the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) by state legislators from the 6th Congressional District in 2008 and served until 2013. He served as Chairman of the Public-Private Partnership Committee (P3 Committee). Under his leadership, the P3 Committee successfully secured approval for key local transportation projects in Cherokee and North Fulton.

Sen. Beach was a former member of the Fulton County Development Authority, where he served as Chairman. He is currently a member of the Georgia World Congress Center Oversight Board, the Georgia Lottery Corporation Oversight Board, and the Alpharetta Rotary. Additionally, he is a former member of the Board of Trustees at King's Ridge Christian School.

Sen. Beach received his undergraduate degree from Louisiana State University and a Master of Business Administration from Centenary College. He is also a graduate of the Regional Leadership Institute and a former member of the Alpharetta City Council and the Alpharetta Planning and Zoning Commission.

He and his wife, Shuntel, have two children and have lived in Alpharetta for over 30 years.

