



**Rep. Patty Marie Stinson
District 150**

Biography

State Representative Patty Marie Stinson is a proud native and lifelong resident of Butler, Georgia, the county seat of Taylor County in rural Southwest Georgia. Rep. Stinson is one of four children born to the late Anna Mae Jefferson Carson, a God-fearing woman, entrepreneur and community pillar whose example shaped Patty Marie's lifelong commitment to service, compassion, leadership and civic engagement.

After graduating from Taylor County Schools and attending the Georgia Institute of Technology, Rep. Stinson began building a career defined by purpose and public service. Her service started in 1996 with the Taylor County Board of Elections, followed by eight years on the Taylor County Board of Commissioners.

In 2013, Rep. Stinson was sworn in as the state representative for House District 139 in the Georgia House of Representatives. Following redistricting, her district expanded to include communities across Dooly, Macon and Taylor counties, as well as the cities of Fort Valley, Americus and Andersonville—now representing more than 59,000 residents in House District 150.

Rep. Stinson gives all glory to her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, for the opportunities and recognition she has received throughout her public service career. She is honored to serve on several key committees, including: the House Agriculture Committee; State Retirement Committee; Intragovernmental Coordination Committee; Higher Education Committee; Ways and Means Committee as vice chair of the Sales Tax Subcommittee; Special Committee on Access to Quality Healthcare; Rural Development Council; Rural Caucus; Women's Caucus; and Working Families Caucus.

Rep. Stinson also proudly serves as the Council for Agriculture, Research, Extension and Teaching (CARET) Representative for the College of Agriculture at Fort Valley State University and is a member of the Fort Valley State University Foundation Board. Rep. Stinson was appointed to the Georgia Children's Cabinet by former Governor Nathan Deal and reappointed by Governor Brian Kemp.

Rep. Stinson believes deeply in the power of information, leadership development and community connectivity. She is a graduate of the Leadership Taylor County Class of 2006 and the Leadership Georgia Class of 2007. She also completed the Georgia Academy for Economic Development in 2006 and the Basic Economic Development Course at Georgia Tech in 2008.

Rep. Stinson's leadership and impact have been recognized statewide. In 2006, Georgia Trend magazine named her one of Georgia's "40 Under 40" Rising Stars.

Beyond her legislative responsibilities, Rep. Stinson is the owner and CEO of Jefferson-Stinson Memorial, where she continues her family's legacy of compassionate service to families across Middle Georgia.

Rep. Stinson is married to her childhood family friend, Bobby Stinson. She is a devoted member of White Hill Baptist Church, Reynolds, Georgia, under the spiritual leadership of Bishop Jamie Johnson.

Known for her energetic, insightful and passionate leadership, Rep. Stinson is beloved by her constituents and respected by colleagues across the state. Yet, she remains humble, attributing every accomplishment to the grace and guidance of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.