

Fact Sheet: Florida

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Statewide Elected Constitutional Officers:

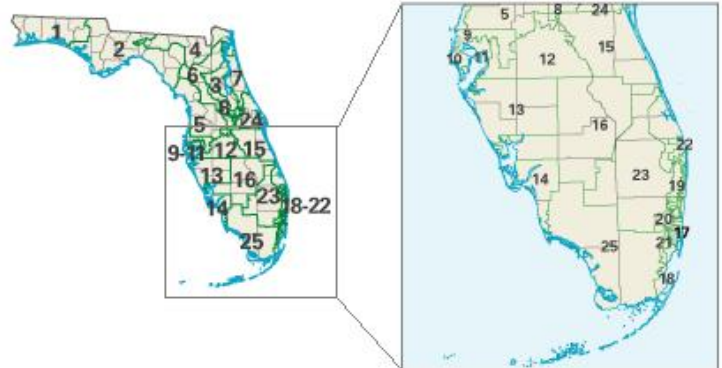
Governor (cabinet)	Charlie Crist (R) 2007-	<i>St Sen 1992-1999; Com Ed 03-07</i>
Lieutenant Governor (ticket)	Jeff Kottkamp (R) 2007-	<i>St Rep 2001-07</i>
Attorney General (cabinet)	Bill McCollum (R) 2007-	<i>US Rep 1981-2001</i>
Chief Financial Officer (cabinet)	Adelaide Sink (D) 2007-	
Agriculture Com (cabinet)	Charles Bronson (R) 2001-	<i>St Sen 1995-2001</i>

State Legislature 2-year terms for House; 4 year terms for Senate (both term limited to 8 yrs):

House: 120 Members	Senate: 40 Members
79 Rep/41 Dem	26 Rep/14 Dem
46 women/74 men	9 women/31 men
16 Af-Am/11 Latinos	7 Af-Am/3 Latino

Congressional Delegation:

Sr. Senator	Bill Nelson (D) 2001-	
Jr. Senator	Mel Martinez (R) 2005-	
1 st Dis Rep	Jeff Miller (R) 2001-	<i>St Rep 1998-01</i>
2 nd Dis Rep	Allen Boyd (D) 1997-	<i>St Rep 1989-97</i>
3 rd Dis Rep	Corrine Brown (D) 1993-	<i>St Rep 1983-93</i>
4 th Dis Rep	Ander Crenshaw (R) 2001-	<i>St Rep 72-78; St Sen 86-94</i>
5 th Dis Rep	Ginny Brown-Waite (R) 2003-	<i>St Sen 1995-2003</i>
6 th Dis Rep	Cliff Stearns (R) 1989-	
7 th Dis Rep	John Mica (R) 1993-	<i>St Rep 1976-80</i>
8 th Dis Rep	Ric Keller (R) 2001-	
9 th Dis Rep	Gus Bilirakis (R) 2007-	
	<i>St Rep 1999-2007</i>	
10 th Dis Rep	Bill Young (R) 1971	
	<i>St Sen 1961-71</i>	
11 th Dis Rep	Kathy Castor (D) 2007-	
	<i>Cty Com 2003-07</i>	
12 th Dis Rep	Adam Putnam (R) 2001-	
	<i>St Rep 1997-2001</i>	
13 th Dis Rep	Vern Buchanan (R) 2001-	
14 th Dis Rep	Connie Mack, IV (R) 2007-	
	<i>St Rep 2000-03</i>	
15 th Dis Rep	Dave Weldon (R) 1995-	
16 th Dis Rep	Tim Mahoney (D) 2007-	
17 th Dis Rep	Kendrick Meek (D) 2003-	
18 th Dis Rep	Ilena Ros-Lehtinen (R) 1989-	
	<i>St Rep 1983-87; St Sen 1987-89</i>	
19 th Dis Rep	Robert Wexler (D) 1997-	
	<i>St Sen 1991-97</i>	
20 th Dis Rep	Debbie Wasserman Schultz (D) 2005-	<i>St Rep 1993-2001; St Sen 2001-05</i>
21 st Dis Rep	Lincoln Diaz-Balart (R) 1993-	<i>St Rep 1987-89; St Sen 1989-93</i>
22 nd Dis Rep	Ron Klein (D) 2007-	<i>St Rep 1993-97; St Sen 1997-2005</i>
23 rd Dis Rep	Alcee Hastings (D) 1993-	<i>US District Court Judge 1979-89</i>
24 th Dis Rep	Tom Feeney (R) 2003-	<i>St Rep 1991-95; St Rep 1997-2003</i>
25 th Dis Rep	Mario Diaz-Balart (R) 2003-	<i>St Rep 89-91; St Sen 91-01; St Rep 2001-03</i>



State Demographics:

Population	18.1 million
	80.41% White
	15.7% Black
	19.5% Latino
	2.1% Asian
	11.97% Poverty
Growth Rate (00-06)	13.2%

Presidential Voting:

1988	Bush	61	Dukakis	39
1992	Bush	41	Clinton	39
1996	Dole	42	Clinton	48
2000	Bush	48.85	Gore	48.84
2004	Bush	52	Kerry	47
Last Voted Democrat in 1996				