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## REPRESENTATIVE JIM BOYD (R) HOUSE DISTRICT 71 – BRADENTON

**OCCUPATION:** CEO

**EMPLOYER:** Boyd Insurance Group

**EDUCATION:** B.S., Florida State University  
A.A., Manatee Community College

**TERM LIMITED:** 2018

**BIOGRAPHY:**

- Former Mayor and Vice Mayor, Palmetto City Council
- Board of Directors, First America Bank
- Member, Manatee County Independent Insurance Agents

**LEGISLATION FILED:**

- Sponsored legislation **reducing the business rent tax, increasing the Research and Development Tax Credit and providing for sales tax holidays.** HB 7109 (2017) – **BILL PASSED**

**ISSUES:**

- Reduce the business rent tax
- Bring tax relief to Florida’s families and businesses
- Supports accuracy in damages

**TOP INDUSTRY FUNDERS:**

- Banking and Insurance
- Healthcare Industry
- Beverage Industry

**FLORIDA CHAMBER LEGISLATIVE REPORT CARD GRADE:**

**B** – 83%



*Representative Jim Boyd*

Voters by Party		
DEM	36,648	32%
REP	47,327	42%
NPA	25,842	23%
Other	2,949	3%

Voters by Gender		
Male	49,514	44%
Female	60,217	54%
Other	2,035	2%

Voters by Race & Ethnicity		
White	97,394	87%
Black	3,908	4%
Hispanic	5,682	5%
Other	4,782	4%