

Adrien LaBombarde for President

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CountryPlace

Adrien and Susan moved to CountryPlace in November 2012. Adrien has served as the Coordinator of the Special Projects Group; as a member of the group, he leads two hurricane preparedness teams and manages the group's holiday decorating and un-decorating activities, and he actively participates in many volunteer projects. He also serves as Treasurer of the CountryPlace Players; as a member, he has acted in several productions. He has also contributed donations to numerous CountryPlace projects and been involved in many other community activities, including participation in the Adopt-a-Hole program, roles in several of Ann Landry's productions, the Singers, the Ragtimers, the Men's Discussion Group and other programs . . . even Line Dancing!

Professional Career

Adrien retires this year from a pension actuary position with the National Office of the IRS after over 40 years of innovative leadership experience including—

- Assistant Vice President, Mutual Benefit Life (Newark, NJ)
- Assistant Vice President, Johnson & Higgins (Wall Street, NYC)
- Manager of Pension Research Group and Partner, Milliman (Washington DC)

A nationally recognized authority in retirement planning, Adrien has managed and personally completed numerous major projects, providing creative solutions to clients worldwide, including—

- Development of key features of pension funding reform.
- Performance of an official actuarial audit of U.S. Social Security system.
- Service as an official arbitrator for two large corporate asset transfers.
- Service as expert witness for three major litigated cases.
- Assistance to World Bank in development of Albanian social security system.

- Assistance in development of numerous pension regulations.
- Advanced consulting advice for development of governmental accounting standards, development of utility regulatory standards, development of funding standards for multiemployer pension plans, and numerous other major projects.

Adrien has led and served on various professional committees, delivered hundreds of speeches to both technical and lay audiences, and published numerous articles. He is the author of the landmark book, *A Guide to Nondiscrimination Requirements for Qualified Pension and Profit-Sharing Plans*.

Education

Adrien graduated magna cum laude from Drexel University (Philadelphia) with a Bachelor of Science degree, double majoring in mathematics and English. He was a member of Pi Mu Epsilon, honoring excellence in mathematics; an editor of the college literary magazine; and a baritone player in the college band.

He graduated high school with honors from Spring-Ford High School (Royersford PA). He was a member of the student council and the head editor of the high school literary magazine; and he participated in the high school band, the stage crew, the chess club and other school activities.

Personal

Adrien was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee. He has been a Houstonian since his marriage with Susan in 1999. Adrien and Susan are proud of her three children — Kelly, Natalie and Jenny —...and look forward to grandchildren!

Adrien enjoys math, chess, reading, writing, singing, helping Susan with her many projects, even acting . . . and volunteering at CountryPlace!