

Henry Rodriguez, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, Woodmere Capital Management

Mr. Rodriguez, age 48, is the founder and Chief Executive Officer of Woodmere Capital Management, a real estate investment company, based in Sarasota, Florida, that sponsors and manages private equity partnerships and funds.

Over the past decade, Mr. Rodriguez has been primarily focused on real estate investment and development in Florida for his own account through a variety of private ventures. Mr. Rodriguez's ventures have included development of high-end residential properties and commercial real estate development projects. Since 2001, companies owned by Mr. Rodriguez (including through joint ventures) have entitled and sold over 2,000 residential units and nearly a million square feet of commercial space.

Prior to entering the real estate business, in the early 1990s, Mr. Rodriguez served as President of Sensormatic Del Caribe overseeing an international expansion of that company prior to its sale to its corporate parent, Sensormatic. Mr. Rodriguez also founded LDC Telecommunications in 1995. Under his control, LDC's business grew to over 35,000 small business customers prior to the sale of LDC to LDI International in 1998.

In 2006, then Governor Crist appointed Mr. Rodriguez to serve as Chair of the transition team of the Florida Office of Trade, Tourism, and Economic Development (OTTED). In 2007, then Governor Crist appointed Mr. Rodriguez as the first appointee to the Board of Directors of Enterprise Florida, which replaced the Commerce Department of Florida. In 2010, Mr. Rodriguez was selected by then Governor-Elect Scott for his transition team for Economic Development and Policy. In 2010, Mr. Rodriguez was also appointed Commissioner to the Sarasota-Manatee Airport Authority.

For the last decade, Mr. Rodriguez has served as a board member for the Gulf Coast Community Foundation, the United Way of Sarasota County, and the Casey Key Foundation. Over the years, the Rodriguez family has been a supporter of the Sarasota Chapter for Habitat for Humanity and other charities. Mr. Rodriguez currently resides in Casey Key, Florida with his wife, Susanne, and their two children.