

BUILDING OFFICIALS & INSPECTORS EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BROWARD COUNTY

CODE OF ETHICS

The protection of life, health, safety and the welfare of the public by creating safe buildings and communities is the solemn responsibility of the Building Officials and Inspectors Educational Association and all who associates and participates in BOIEA activities.

Recognizing this, BOIEA advocates commitment to a standard of professional behavior that exemplifies the highest ideas and principals of ethical conduct.

The governing concepts embodied in this philosophy are characterized herein, for the benefit and guidance of the members and those engaged in the service of the public.

Each member, and any individual participating in BOIEA's activities shall:

- Place the public welfare above all other interests and recognize that his/her chief responsibility is to safeguard and protect the life, health and welfare of the general public and the built environment.
- Demonstrate integrity, honesty, fairness and consistency in all transactions and constantly strive for excellence in all matters of ethical conduct, and maintain loyalty to the purposes of the Association.
- Recognize the continuing need for developing improved safety standards for the protection of life, health and property, and acknowledge a professional obligation to contribute time and expertise in the development of such improvements.
- Maintain professional competence in all areas of employment responsibility and encourage the same in associates at all levels.
- Accept no personal favors for public services rendered and conscientiously avoid all circumstances that could compromise professional integrity.
- Act in accordance with the Bylaws and Policies of the Association, including this Code of Ethics.

The BOIEA Board of Directors may take actions as it deems necessary in order to enforce this Code of Ethics and to preserve the integrity of the Building Officials and Inspectors Educational Association.