

## Nick Cox

Nicholas Cox was appointed regional administrator for the SunCoast Region effective March 26, 2007.

Mr. Cox began his service with Children's Legal Services under the leadership of Attorney General Butterworth. Nick also served as the Tampa Economic Crimes Bureau Chief for the Attorney General's Office from 1997 to 2003, and was acting regional deputy for Central Florida. While in that position, he was appointed to serve as legal advisor to the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission, made up of law enforcement officers, wardens, sheriffs and chiefs-of-police. Under former Attorney General Charlie Crist, Mr. Cox continued civil prosecution of corporations and individuals for deceptive and unfair trade practices and racketeering. He also worked on cases in the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit.

Nick has worked with Seniors vs. Crime, Incorporated, a non-profit organization made up of volunteer senior citizens, where he educated seniors about elder abuse, neglect and exploitation. He also provided instruction to senior care providers for the West Central Florida Area Agency on Aging on how to spot elder exploitation and how elders can recover from it if they become victims.

Cox is a member of the American Trial Lawyers Association and the Kansas Trial Lawyers Association. He is currently an adjunct professor of law at Stetson University College of Law. He earned his law degree at Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas.



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