

**Lee County - Top Candidates****August 17, 2009**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Current/Most Recent Position</b>	<b>Comments</b>
1	Ballantyne, Duncan R.	County Administrator, Martin County Board of County Commissioners, Martin County, FL, 10/05 - 04/09.	County Administrator seasoning. Prior 28 yrs local governing in city management, assistant city management & budget analyst positions.
2	Crawford, Shane B.	Deputy County Administrator, Walworth County, WI, 2004 -Present.	Deputy County Administrator (pop102,000,\$160M Budget), rising in position. Prior County Administrator, rising in position, Buffalo County, WI & City Council Member.
3	Dougherty, Francis X.	Deputy Chief Business Officer Operations, School District of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA, 2008 -Present.	Deputy Chief Business Officer for school district experience. Prior Allentown Managing Director & Deputy Mayor & Philadelphia Asst. Managing Director/Special Asst. tenures.
4	Looney, Bill J.	Assistant City Manager, City of Ocala, Ocala, FL, 07/99 -01/09.	Asst. City Manager seasoning. Prior State University Executive Director & Business Manager.
5	Mair, Andrew A.	County Administrator, County of Mercer, NJ, 2004 -Present.	County Administrator seasoning. Prior Township Administrator, City Business Administrator & trial lawyer experience.
6	McEwan, Amy J. P.	Senior Assistant County Administrator, Lake County, Waukegan, IL, 2006 - Present.	Senior Asst. County Administrator experience. Prior Asst. Township Manager, Senior Planner & Planner tenures.

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7	Merriam, Lee "Chip" F.	Deputy Executive Director, Water Resources, South Florida Water Management District, 2001 -Present.	Deputy Executive Director seasoning. Prior Service Center Director & Intergovernmental Program Representative.
8	Padgett, Ernie	Retired - 2007 -Present.	Retired. Prior County Administrator, Executive Director & County Commissioner good tenures.
9	Schmitt, Joseph K.	Administrator, Community Development & Environmental Services Division, Collier County, FL, 01/02 - Present.	County Community Development & Environmental Services Administrator seasoning. Good tenure. Prior US Army Corps of Engineers.
10	Sigman, Christian M.	Assistant County Administrator, Hamilton County, OH, 2007 -Present.	Asst. County Administrator, rising in position. Prior City Budget Director, & Director of Strategic Budgeting.
11	Stewart, Terrance "Terry"	City Manager, Cape Coral, FL, 2002 - Present.	City Manager seasoning. Prior Asst. City Manager, rising in position from Asst. Fire Chief. Fire Chief, City of Lauderdale Lakes progressing tenures.
12	Willi, Thomas J.	Partner in starter regional firm, Development Consulting Firm, New Ventures Group, 01/2008 -Present.	Prior 4 year Monroe County Administrator, and 4 years experience city manager for the Town of Davie, FL.