



**Rep. Rusty Kidd
(I-145)**

Biography

E. Culver “Rusty” Kidd serves as the Georgia state representative for the 145th district, which includes Milledgeville and Baldwin County, as well as portions of Putnam County. He was first elected into the Georgia House of Representatives in 2009, and is the only Independent to have ever been elected in the Georgia legislature representing Baldwin and Putnam counties. Kidd currently serves on the Governmental Affairs, Health & Human Resource, Science & Technology, and State Institutions committees.

In addition to serving as a state representative, Kidd is the president and founder of Kidd Associates. This is a privately held corporation which contracts associations and businesses principally as a consultant for liaison to state and local government entities, state legislators, state departments, and the Georgia Congressional Delegation. Clients of the company range from AMI, AMA, Society CPA, Hemphilia, MCI, Marathon Oil, and RJR, among others.

Kidd also works as the president of Middle Georgia Management Services, Inc., which is a corporation of small finance companies in Middle and South Georgia. He also serves as the president and founder of Quick Loans & Insurance Company, which is a consumer loan office operated under Middle Georgia Management Services, Inc.

Prior to his election to state representative, Kidd worked as a house lobbyist for the Medical Association of Georgia, coordinating all Medical Specialty Society issues through the Medical Association of Georgia for a unified voice. In addition, Kidd was the vice president and founder of EMBECO, “Employee Benefit Insurance Company,” which is a company offering an exclusive worker’s compensation insurance coverage to the public.

In 2005, Governor Sonny Perdue appointed Kidd as Chairman to the Georgia Brain & Spinal Injury Trust Fund. Kidd is a current member of the Milledgeville Country Club Board of Directors, Baylor School Alumni Board of Directors, Georgia Industrial Loan Association Board of Directors, Shepherd Spinal Center Advisory Board, and feature writer for Georgia Healthcare News. Kidd also served as a member of the Georgia Special Olympics Advisory Board, Childkind Board, Habitat for Humanity Board, and an associate lecturer for the Emory School Doctorate Program on Public Health and the Georgia State University School of Political Science.

Kidd was born and raised in Milledgeville, Georgia, where he attended GMC Grammar school. He then attended Baldwin County High School and graduated from Baylor School in

1965. After graduation, Kidd attended the University of Tennessee on a football and basketball scholarship, graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in Finance in 1969.

He has two children, Katherine and Culver. His daughter Katherine Kidd works as a jewelry creator and dealer and resides in Decatur, Georgia. His son Culver Kidd works as an Assistant District Attorney and resides in Charleston, South Carolina.