

Senator John Crosby

Senate District 13

Senator John "Dick" Crosby was first elected in 2009 to the Georgia State Senate. He is a Republican representing the 13th District, including Crisp, Dodge, Dooly, Lee, Turner, Wilcox, Worth and portions of Sumter and Tift counties.

Senator Crosby serves Chair of the Banking and Financial Institutions Committee and as Vice Chairman of the Ethics and Judiciary committees, and is a member of the Appropriations and Judiciary Non-Civil committees.

Originally from Cook County, Crosby has been an integral part of the Tift County community for the last four decades and is looking forward to using his lifelong experience in law and as a public official to help the Georgia legislature face complicated issues and make difficult decisions to improve the quality of life in his district and the state as a whole.

Prior to his election to the Senate, Crosby practiced law from 1963 until he was elected to the Tift Superior Court bench in 1980. He spent 20 years in that position until his retirement in 2000. He has also served as a Tifton city commissioner and a State Court judge from 1971-1978. Crosby continued to serve as a senior judge in various courtrooms around the state until his election to the Senate.

Senator Crosby and his wife Rose have lived in Tifton for almost 50 years. They have two children and four grandchildren.

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