



Norman Sines

Leadership & Contribution to the Community

Norman Sines first came to the Middle River community at the age of 3. He attended Victory Villa Elementary, Middle River Middle, Kenwood High and Essex Community College. Norman served in the U.S. Army from 1970-1973. He proposed to Vicki Sines in Germany, and they were married in March of 1974. After returning from the military, Norman worked at Bethlehem Steel, until leaving to open his own business in 1984. He owned and operated Sines Excavating, Inc. until, in 1999, he turned the family business over to his sons. Norman then applied his knowledge in the business community to real estate ventures as the owner and operator of multiple investment companies.

Norman served as a board member and became president of the Essex-Middle River-White Marsh Chamber of Commerce in 1998. During his tenure in those roles, he played a key role in computerizing our offices. With help from Vicki and others, it was under his leadership that the Chamber developed a relationship with the Carson Scholars, raising funds through a very successful Harvest Ball event.

Norman has played an integral part in the community, as well as in the Chamber. He served as a board member and president of the Oliver Beach Improvement Association, trustee at Ebenezer Methodist Church and served on the board of Woofound Inc., a start-up business located in Middle River with the mission of connecting people to the places they'll love.

He received the Alberto Pugh Memorial Community Service Award from the Essex Middle River Civic Council, the 1998 President's Award from the Essex-Middle River Chamber of Commerce, and was honored with the Sam Walton Business Leader Award in 1999.

Norman has been blessed with a large and tight-knit family: 3 sons, 3 grandsons and 1 granddaughter. The entire Sines family resides in the Essex- Middle River community and continues to support community and business endeavors.