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Collier Mosquito Control District Commissioner Seat **Next Race:** North Collier Fire District Seat 2

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North Collier Fire District Seat 1

Fire District Commissioners are responsible for ensuring that District staff complies with applicable State and Federal mandates, preserving the District’s property and assets, stewarding the District’s finances and affairs, adopting an annual budget and monitoring progress towards reaching established goals.

Term: 4 years Salary: \$5,000 per year

Christopher Crossan (N) 

Anthony Scire (N) 

Biographical Information

What, in your professional and personal experiences, distinguishes you from your opponents and makes you the best candidate for Fire Commissioner?

Christopher Crossan:
Candidate has not yet responded.

Anthony Scire:
I have been a resident in Collier County for 17 years I’ve been president of my homeowners association and also served on a CDD board as a supervisor in district 2 pelican marsh. I’ve had a unique opportunity within the lawn enforcement community of working with individuals and supporting the needs of police officers in New York transit police as a civilian.

What are the top issues and/or unique challenges facing this district? If elected,

what specific actions would you propose to address these issues/challenges?

Christopher Crossan:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Anthony Scire:

This is a difficult question with such a short amount of time to answer however my main concern is affordable housing medical after retirement proper treatment and funding for cancer and PTSD treatments. If elected I propose to review with my fellow fire commissioners opportunities presented through a study available at Miami University which looks at benefits in Dade county versus Collier County.

Extreme weather and sea level rise are increasing the need for disaster response services while at the same time adding to the risks first responders face. How should this be addressed? What, if any, additional funding is needed?

Christopher Crossan:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Anthony Scire:

Let me answer the second part of the question first additional funding is always needed how we Get there is an interesting objective which I am working toward and if elected I plan to present my ideas. Having visited all of our fire houses and meeting with firefighters has given me a better understanding of their needs. it is also preparing me for the challenges that may face us. up-to-date training, state of the art equipment and all overall risk assessment is my primary objective

How will your district maintain high quality service 24/7 within proposed funding levels for 2023 and beyond?

Christopher Crossan:

Candidate has not yet responded.

Anthony Scire:

Once again having visited our fire houses within the district meeting the men and women who serve our community I believe that our men and women are the highest quality and provide the best service 24 x 7 however I would be looking very closely at the next contract and working closely with the wonderful chief this district has been blessed with to better understand what is needed.

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