

**The Honorable Gordon E. Wood, Sr.**

Mayor

Town of Ocean View

Ocean View, DE

**The Honorable Gordon Wood, Sr.** is the sitting Mayor for the Town of Ocean View, DE. Prior to becoming Mayor, he served on the Town's Zoning Board; was the Organizer and Director for the Delaware National Bank, and was a member of the Virginia State Bar. He also was the Assistant Minority Counsel, on the Committee on Public Works and Transportation and the Minority Counsel for the Water Resources Subcommittee at the U.S. House of Representatives. While there, he was the Lead Minority staff member on the 1972 Clean Water Act, Superfund and Water Resources.

Throughout his career, Mayor Wood engaged in small town politics. He served as President of Fairfax City Charter Commission, Va.; Commissioner of Bethany Beach, Del., and Chairman of the Board for the Nabb Center for Lower Delmarva History and Culture at Salisbury University. He also became a Court Appointed Special Advocate for children and a member and Chairman of the Center for Inland Bays Implementation Committee and later a Member of the Board of Directors.

Mayor Wood holds a BA in English from the University of Delaware, and both a MA in English and a JD from George Washington University.