James E. Cofield Jr.

President and CEO of Cofield Properties



James E. Cofield, Jr. is the president and chief executive officer of Cofield Properties, Inc., a real estate development firm formed in 1986. The firm develops residential, commercial, and mixed-use properties and provides project management services related to real estate development and construction supervision.

Prior to this role, Cofield served as president and chief executive officer of Malmart Mortgage Company, Inc. Malmart was a full-service mortgage banking firm which provided permanent and construction financing to both residential and commercial real estate markets throughout New England.

Cofield is a member of the Planning Board in Duck, NC and president of the Bias Foundation. He served as a trustee and chairman of the Audit Committee of WGBH Educational Foundation (Channel 2). Cofield served as a director, vice president, and member of the executive committee of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce; a director of the Greater Boston Real Estate Board; and a director of the Massachusetts Association of Realtors.

He is a past president and a member of the Board of Governors of the Massachusetts Mortgage Bankers Association; he served a five-year term as a gubernatorial appointee to the Board of the Boston Redevelopment Authority; and was a trustee of Charlestown Savings Bank and Neworld Bank. Additionally, Cofield served on the Board of Overseers of Babson College.