

## **Christopher Lykes**

Private Investor

Director

Bay Cities Bank, Tampa FL

Christopher Lykes is a director of Bay Cities Bank in Tampa, FL and member of the Bank's Executive Loan, Compensation, Asset/Liability and Electronic Settlement Oversight Committees. He is a former Director of Beasley Distributing Co., Inc. (malt beverage distribution) and Lykes Bros. Inc. (vertically integrated food processing and agri-business).

A banker by training, Christopher is the former Vice President and CFO of Vitality Foodservice, Inc. (Lykes Bros. Inc. subsidiary which marketed and sold concentrated fruit juice to the foodservice industry and manufactured dispensing systems). Prior to that, he was the Director of Treasury and Assistant Treasurer for Lykes Bros., Inc.. Approximately, the prior ten years were in commercial banking credit and loan workout.

Christopher began his career with Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company in New York. He is a graduate of Washington and Lee University (1984) and more recently the University of Tampa with a MS in Finance. He is active in leadership positions in several of Tampa's civic, charitable, and social organizations currently, particularly with St. John's Episcopal Church, Tampa.