

Douglas A. Potts, MAI AI-GRS

Douglas Potts MAI, AI-GRS, recently retired as Chief Appraiser for Commerce Bank, a regional super-community bank with nearly \$26 billion in assets, 360 branches, and operations in 11 states. He actively managed appraisal review and environmental due diligence, representing over \$3 billion in annual loans.

Potts is the 2018-2021 Chair of the Appraisal Institute's National Government Relations Committee. Former service includes the AI 2017 National Nominating Committee and 2011-2016 as the AI Region 2 member of the Government Relations Committee. He continues as a member of the AI Client Advisory Board. Potts attended the 2006 and 2007 Leadership Development Advisory Councils and received the 2006 Anglyn Award. He has also assisted in a variety of AI work groups, including the Body of Knowledge team for the AI-GRS designation program, and the AI President's Diversity Panel.

Potts is also an active Appraisal Institute instructor for both license-qualifying and designation-qualifying courses and presented on several AI Webinars and at AI National Meetings from 2010 through 2019.

Potts served on the Missouri Real Estate Appraisers Commission, with the Missouri Risk Based Corrective Action Workgroup, and with the Missouri Petroleum Storage Tank Insurance Fund Advisory Council. Prior experience includes the St. Louis Development Corporation, the Missouri Tax Commission; and fee appraiser with Ernest M. Potts, MAI.