

## Biography: 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor Howard Swacker

Lion Howard joined the Thornton Lions in 2000 after helping with some of the club's fundraising events. He became the Club President on year later, serving two terms. Within

District 1A, Lion Howard has held several different positions over the ensuing years – Zone Chair, Region Chair, involvement in the 100 Dollar Cash Raffle, and Sergeant-at-Arms for the District Conventions. He is currently serving as President of the Thornton Lions Club.

Lion Howard is a retired Glazier of 35 years. He and his wife Karen have been married for 41 years and have two children, Howard and Anna. In his spare time, Lion Howard is a Steward with the Forest Preserve District, and Co-Chair of the Thorn Creek Restoration Coalition.