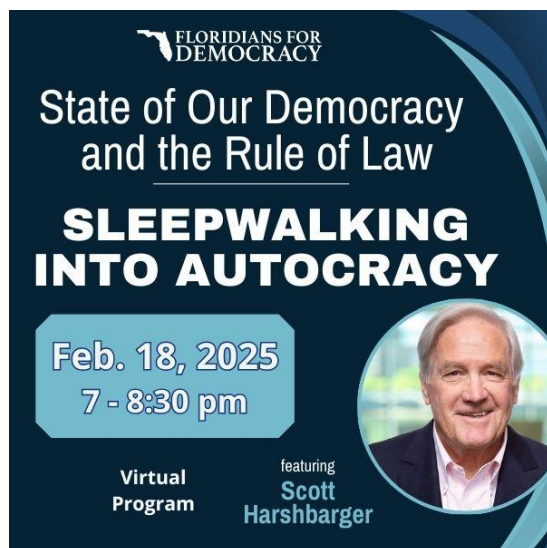


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**Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2025**  
**7 PM – 8:30 PM EST**

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**Scott Harshbarger**, chairman and co-founder of Lawyers Defending American Democracy, will discuss the **strength and fragility of democracy and the rule of law** amid a flurry of executive orders and potentially deconstructive actions with multi-decade domestic and international implications. With majorities in the US House and Senate, a conservative Supreme Court, and the appointment of powerful private sector leaders and donors, will the Center hold? Will traditional norms, values, and principles, heretofore deemed fundamental to our democracy, prevail?

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**Scott Harshbarger** is a former attorney general of Massachusetts and served as president of Common Cause, a national government and corporate watchdog group. He has had an impressive career as a public defender, civil rights attorney and district attorney, and is currently Senior Counsel at Casner & Edwards. Scott has authored numerous articles on corporate and nonprofit governance and routinely appears on television as a commentator and news analyst.

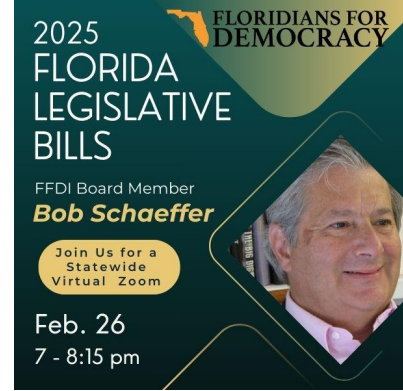
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### Bills the Florida Legislature is Considering

The **2025 Florida Legislative session** begins on March 4. From immigration measures to proposed efforts to limit citizen-led constitutional amendments, democracy is being chipped away in Florida. One of FFD's most-watched programs last year was with **Bob Schaeffer** sharing his perspectives on the most significant legislation impacting our freedoms and democracy. Bob will once again help enlighten us and help identify opportunities to share our perspectives with Florida's

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