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## DAVIS VOTED TO DENY JUSTICE TO **PITTS AND LEE**

In 1963 two African Americans, Freddie Pitts, 54, and Wilbert Lee, 62, were wrongly convicted by all-white juries in Port Joe, Florida for murdering two white gas station attendants.

They "confessed" after being severely beaten by police.

They spent 9 years on death row until a white man, Curtis Adams confessed to the crime.<sup>1</sup>

For years, African American leaders demanded just compensation for Pitts and Lee, in 1998 it was finally brought up for a vote in the legislature.

Jim Davis had a chance to do the right thing.

**Jim Davis VOTED AGAINST IT.**

Jim Davis voted AGAINST the African American community and AGAINST JUSTICE for Pitts and Lee.

<sup>1</sup> St. Petersburg Times, May 15th 1990

**PITTS AND LEE CLEARED  
9 Years on Death Row**



**When It Comes To Issues Important To Our  
Community, Jim Davis Should Be **ASHAMED!****