

memorandum

TO: Mayor & City Council

FROM: John Godwin, City Manager

SUBJECT: **LAMAR COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

DATE: September 28, 2017

BACKGROUND: The city's current representative on the Appraisal District Board of Directors is Jim Noble. By all accounts Mr. Noble has served well; however, he has indicated he does not wish to continue to serve on the Board for another term. Based on our current tax levy, the city has 627 votes to cast.

STATUS OF ISSUE: Chief Appraiser Jerry Patton needs the city council to cast its votes prior to October 15, so you will need to do so at the October 9 meeting. Please keep in mind this is not a straight appointment by the council, but an election by the taxing jurisdictions based on their relative tax levies.

BUDGET: NA

RECOMMENDATION: Approve resolution casting the city's votes for its representative(s) to the board.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARIS, TEXAS, NOMINATING A CANDIDATE FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE LAMAR COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT; MAKING OTHER FINDINGS AND PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE SUBJECT; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Paris has been asked to nominate a candidate for membership on the Board of Directors of the Lamar County Appraisal District; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to nominate _____.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARIS, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the findings set out in the preamble to this resolution are hereby in all things approved.

Section 2. That _____, is hereby, nominated to serve as a member of the Board of Directors of the Lamar County Appraisal District.

Section 3. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to timely deliver a copy of this Resolution to the Lamar County Appraisal District.

Section 4. That this resolution shall be effective from and after its date of passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 9th day of October, 2017.

Steven J. Clifford, M.D., Mayor

ATTEST:

Janice Ellis, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Stephanie H. Harris, City Attorney

LAMAR COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Terry Christian, Chairman
Keith Mitchell
Kelly Jeffery
Jim Noble
David Dunmon, Secretary

Chief Appraiser

Director of Appraisal

Director of Collections

Director of Operations

Jerry E. Patton, RPA, RTA

Brenda Damell, RPA

Pat Loven, RTA

Stephanie Lee, RPA

September 19, 2017

To: Taxing Entities

Subject: Current list of Lamar County Appraisal District Board of Directors
and who they represent.

Terry Christian: Paris ISD

David Dunmon: North Lamar ISD

Keith Mitchell: Lamar County

Kelly Jeffery: Chisum ISD, Prairiland ISD & Roxton ISD

Jim Noble: City of Paris **MR. NOBLE HAS DECIDED HE NO LONGER WANTS
SERVE ON THE LCAD BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

Respectfully,

Jerry Patton
Chief appraiser

APPRAISAL COST ALLOCATION: 2018-2019 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

ENTITY	2016 ENTITY LEVY	ALLOCATION	# OF VOTES
City of Blossom	\$234,516.74	3.63	18
City of Deport	\$105,819.63	1.64	8
City of Paris	\$8,115,070.20	125.48	627
City of Reno	\$643,031.74	9.94	50
City of Roxton	\$102,080.55	1.58	8
Chisum ISD	\$11,986,345.46	185.35	927
Honey Grove ISD	\$106,885.76	1.65	8
North Lamar ISD	\$12,773,546.29	197.52	988
Paris ISD	\$10,643,658.30	164.58	823
Prairiland ISD	\$2,472,873.21	38.24	191
Roxton ISD	\$1,471,956.68	22.76	114
Paris Junior College	\$2,967,681.91	45.89	229
Lamar County	<u>\$13,046,316.03</u>	<u>201.74</u>	<u>1009</u>
TOTAL LEVY ALL ENTITIES:	\$64,669,782.50	798.26	5000

FORMULA: entity levy/total levy x 1000 x 5