

Legislation Text

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TO: Leonard Martin, City Manager

FROM: Bob Scott, Assistant City Manager

Consider A **Resolution Casting A Vote To Appoint Blake Clemens To The Dallas Central Appraisal District Board.**

BACKGROUND:

The Property Tax Code, Section 6.03 requires that an election or appointment of members to the Board of Directors of an appraisal district be conducted in odd number years. The term of office is two years, beginning in even number years.

For the Dallas Central Appraisal District board, pursuant to an agreement made by the entities of Greater Dallas County in 1979 when the Dallas County Appraisal District was first organized, the make-up of the Board is as follows:

- Suburban Cities: One representative elected by the suburban cities
- Suburban Schools: One representative elected by suburban schools
- Dallas County: Appoints one representative
- City of Dallas: Appoints one representative
- Dallas ISD: Appoints one representative

Each of the incorporated cities or towns, except the City of Dallas, shall have the right to vote on one (1) candidate as the suburban cities' member of the Board.

Four candidates were nominated this year as follows.

- Michael Hurtt (current suburban cities' representative): nominated by Cedar Hill, DeSoto, Farmers Branch, Ovilla, Richardson and Sachse
- Loren Byers: nominated by Irving
- Blake Clemens: nominated by Addison and Carrollton
- Steven Gorwood: nominated by Balch Springs

STAFF RECOMMENDATION/ACTION DESIRED:

To pass a resolution cast a vote for the election of Blake Clemens as the suburban cities' member of the Board of Directors of the Dallas Central Appraisal District.