

Jon McKenzie

September 13, 2024

Mayor,

I have two items I want to share with you:

- 1) I am part of a Texas Municipal League (TML) subcommittee discussing legislative priorities for short-term rentals and institutional investors. Our first meeting will be on Thursday, September 19. If you have any input for the discussion of these topics, please call my cell (817) 437-2236 or send your thoughts to Jon.Mckenzie@hursttx.gov.
- 2) The deadline to cast your city's vote for TML Board Director is October 3. I would appreciate your city's support to continue my role as the TML Board Director for Region 8. The vote will need to be an agenda item for a city council meeting, and for most, that will mean there is one council meeting left before the deadline. I have enclosed a copy of the ballot for your convenience.

I have enjoyed serving as the TML board director for our region and feel that I have done a good job representing the interests of our area with TML at meetings across the state. I am happy to answer any questions you might have about this role or casting your vote.

Sincerely yours,



Jon McKenzie

Hurst City Council - Place 6
TML Board Director - Region 8



OFFICIAL BALLOT

Texas Municipal League (TML) Region 8 Director Election

This is the official ballot for the election of the Region 8 director of the TML Board of Directors. You received this ballot because you are the city's primary contact person with TML. Each TML member city is entitled to one vote, which vote must be cast by a majority vote of the city's governing body. Please record your city's choice by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name or writing in the name of an eligible person in the space provided. You can only vote for one candidate.

The officials listed on this ballot have been nominated to serve a two-year term on the TML Board of Directors. A brief biography for each candidate is included after the ballot.

Ballots must reach the TML office by 5:00 p.m. Central Time on October 3, 2024. Ballots received after this date cannot be counted. **The ballot must be properly signed and mailed to: Rachael Pitts, Texas Municipal League, 1821 Rutherford Lane, Suite 400, Austin, TX 78754, or scanned and emailed to rpitts@tml.org. If the ballot is not signed, it will not be counted.**

Region 8 Director (select one)

Troy Dunn, Councilmember, Haltom City

Kim Greaves, Mayor, Westlake

Jon McKenzie, Councilmember, Hurst (Incumbent)

Mary Sarver, Mayor Pro Tem, Grandview

Certificate

I certify that the vote cast above has been cast in accordance with the will of the majority of the governing body of the city named below.

Witness my hand, this _____ day of _____, 2024.

Signature of Authorized Official

Title

Printed Name of Authorized Official

Printed Name of City

Region 8 Director Candidate Biographies (printed on both sides of the page)



Troy Dunn, Councilmember, Haltom City

Troy Dunn and his wife own Troy Dunn Insurance Agency, which is very active in the community. Dunn is a member of the Birdville Education Foundation Board of Directors, served on the 2022 Birdville ISD Bond Committee, and has been offering a Troy Dunn Insurance Scholarship for Haltom High seniors for six years. He is very active in his community and is the Northeast Tarrant Chamber incoming chair and a Haltom City Council councilmember. He previously served on the Haltom City Economic Development Corporation for three years, the Zoning Board of Adjustments for three years, and the Parks Board for five years. Dunn is a community partner with Haltom Senior Center Bingo each month and has been a luncheon sponsor at the Center for the past four years. He is also on the North Richland Lions Club Board of Directors. Dunn is a community partner first and foremost in his personal and business life.



Kim Greaves, Mayor, Westlake

Kim Greaves was a financial services executive with a breadth of success across numerous organizations from start-ups to enhancing mature organizations. As a collaborative leader, he has demonstrated successes by directing cross-functional teams to plan effectively, develop strategically, and execute tactically to exceed business, delivery, and financial expectations. Over the course of his career, Kim managed over 7,000 employees and managed billions in mortgage servicing portfolios. Kim developed a reputation for improving every organization he managed while successfully driving unprecedented growth for companies such as JPMorgan Chase, Citibank, Nationstar Mortgage, and Citizens Bank. Kim retired in 2021 and has dedicated his time to serving his community. After getting involved with Westlake Academy athletics, Kim started attending town council/schoolboard meetings and was frustrated with issues and unanswered questions. He decided to run for the Westlake Town Council/School Board and was elected in 2022. After serving his first term as a councilmember, Kim decided to run for mayor and bring respect and ethics back to the mayor's office. He was elected with 82% of the vote. (Note: The Town of Westlake runs a municipality and a charter school, nationally ranked Westlake Academy. Town councilmembers are also school board members.) Kim attended high school at New Mexico Military Institute, holds a BBA in Finance from the University of North Texas and an MBA from the University of Notre Dame. In addition to town responsibilities, Kim currently serves as the vice chairman of the New Mexico Military Institute Foundation and is active in the Metroport Chamber of Commerce.

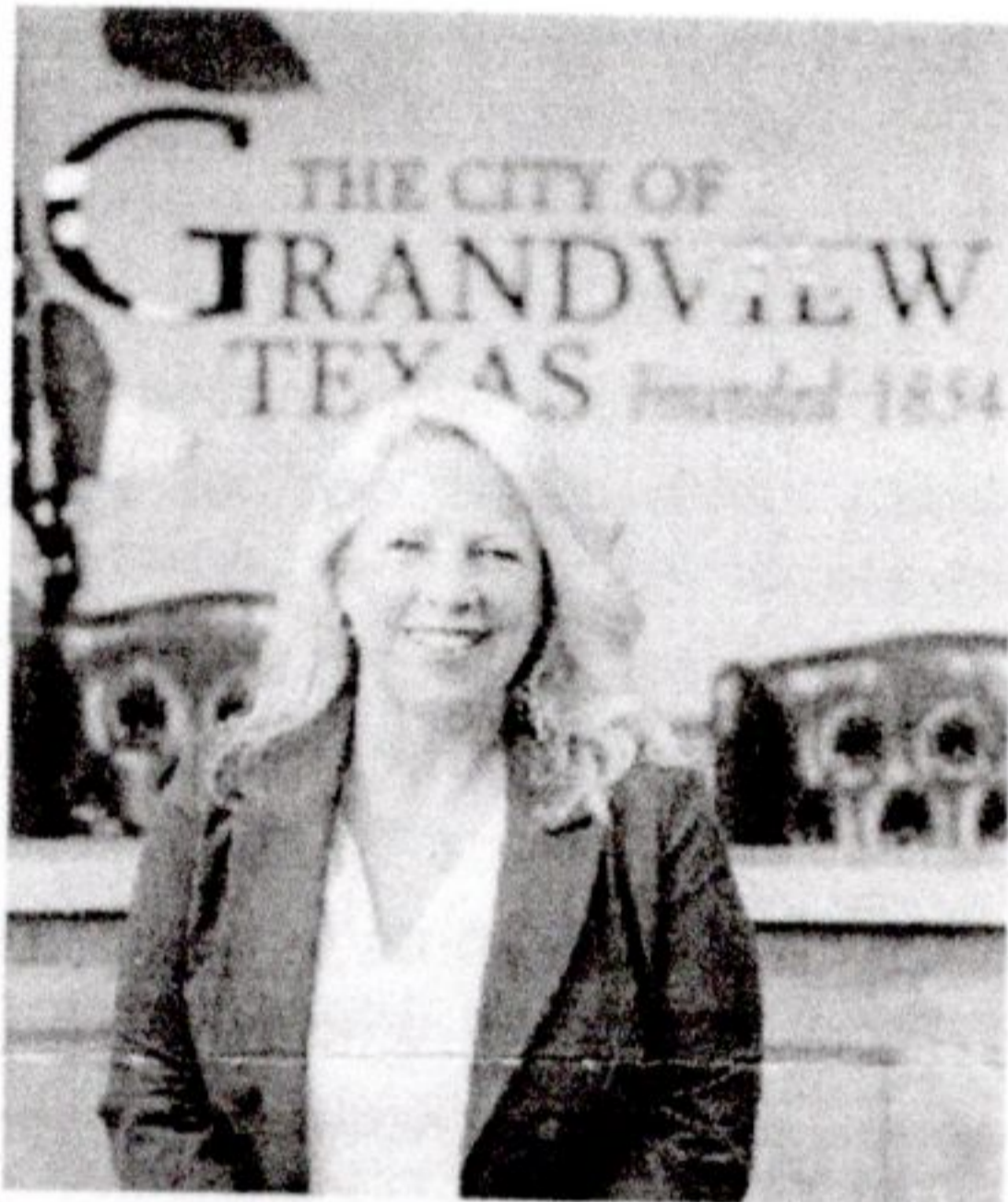
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Jon McKenzie, Councilmember, Hurst (Incumbent)

Jon McKenzie is an engaged community leader and dedicated family man. He and his wife, Brianne, have been childhood sweethearts, and together they raise their two daughters, Avery (16) and Claire (12), in his hometown of Hurst. Jon has a strong record of public service. He has been an elected member of the Hurst City Council since 2018. He also serves on several local boards and committees, including the United Way Northeast Steering Committee (as chair), the United Way of Tarrant County Board of Directors, the NCTCOG Regional Transportation Committee (as alternate), the 6 Stones Advisory Board, and the HEBISD Education Foundation. Professionally, Jon has worked as a minister at Bridgewood Church of Christ since 2003. In this role, his responsibilities include preparing and delivering sermons, teaching classes, creating online content, congregational communication, and community outreach. Before entering ministry, he worked as a Radio

Frequency Technician at Atlantic Western Communication from 2000-2003. He holds a Master of Business Administration with a focus on Strategic Leadership from the University of Dallas. He received a bachelor's degree in communications and business administration from Texas Wesleyan University. Jon currently serves as the TML Region 8 board director. His involvement with the Texas Municipal League has been a great way for him to learn and connect within the region and state, and he would appreciate the opportunity to continue serving as the Region 8 board director. His main priorities would continue to be making beneficial connections and sharing information and resources with cities throughout Region 8.



Mary Sarver, Mayor Pro Tem, Grandview

Mayor Pro Tem Mary Sarver has demonstrated a strong commitment to public service through her tenure on various boards and as a member of the Grandview City Council. She has served on the Grandview City Council since June 2022. She is a member of the Economic Development Type A Board, vice chair of the National League of Cities' Small Cities Board, a member of the National League of Cities Economic Development Federal Advocacy Committee, and a member of the North Central Texas Council of Government Economic Development District Board. Along with her responsibilities with the NLC, Mayor Pro Tem Sarver consistently engages in Texas Municipal League (TML) training and conferences. Her dedication to public service is evident in her efforts to collaborate with neighboring cities and county officials to advance the interests of TML Region 8. She actively participates in meetings with local, state, and

national municipal leaders to further these goals. Since her election, Mayor Pro Tem Sarver has actively engaged in a wide array of trainings and conferences hosted by the Texas Municipal League (TML), demonstrating a strong commitment to her professional development and the advancement of municipal governance. Her participation in these events underscores her dedication to staying informed about best practices, emerging trends, and legislative changes affecting local governments. In addition to her personal involvement, Mayor Pro Tem Sarver takes a proactive approach in promoting the benefits of TML to her colleagues and elected officials in neighboring cities. She encourages her peers to leverage the extensive resources and networking opportunities provided by TML, recognizing the value these resources bring to effective municipal management and collaboration. Her efforts not only enhance her own capabilities but also foster a broader culture of informed and collaborative leadership across the region.