

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 11, 2024
TO: Mayor Lankford and City Council
FROM: Mercy Rushing, City Manager - (Parks Staff Director)
SUBJECT: Parks & Open Spaces Advisory Board New Appointment
City Council Agenda Item for September 16, 2024

Background Information:

We have one new opening for the Parks & Open Spaces Advisory Board and the new appointment will last for 2 years ending September 30, 2026.

The City of Mineola City Secretary Office has confirmed that Mr. David Householder does live within the Mineola School District and is eligible to be on the Parks Advisory Board. This is the second time Mr. Householder's name been brought up to the City Council for consideration and is the only one that we are recommending.

1. David Householder – Lives in the Mineola ISD at 370 CR 2632 Mineola TX. Experience: Spent thirty-five years in Agriculture. Forty plus years in photography, outdoor fishing, camping, and hiking. Served 5 years in Boy Scouts of America as assistant scout master. He owns his own woodshop and can build and make a variety of things such as birdhouses, picnic tables, raised garden beds etc. We received Mr. Householder's application May 19, 2024. Mr. David Householder has never served on any city board.

Recommendation:

It is my recommendation as the Parks Advisory Board staff director that the City Council consider Mr. David Householder for this new opening on the board.