# **VOTERS** GUIDE MAY 2012

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May 12, 2012 **Hays CISD School Board Election** and Kyle Local Option Election

and the

May 29, 2012 **Democratic and Republican Primaries** 

# Liquor law on the ballot

yle voters are set to go to the polls May 12 to decide whether the city should fully permit the sale of alcohol, including mixed drinks. The change would allow for the

operation of wine bars, cocktail lounges and roadhouses in the city that has been dry or "damp" for many

Supporters say approval of the referendum would also change local laws so restaurants could qualify for beer-and-wine permits from the state, instead of a more costly permit for full liquor sales. Voters first gave restaurants the OK to sell alcohol in 2007, so long as more than 51 percent of their profits came from food.

The measure will be on the Buda ballot in November.

Under current law, Kyle and Buda allow alcohol sales at restaurants, gas stations and grocery stores, and Kyle allows liquor stores while Buda does not.

But restaurants in Kyle and Buda are not eligible for a \$903 beer-and-wine retailer's permit from the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, according to TABC spokeswoman Carolyn Beck. Instead, Kyle-Buda restauranteurs must purchase a mixed beverage permit for \$6,602 in addition to a food-and-beverage certificate for \$776.

The political action committee Better Business for Hays funded a petition drive and marketing campaign in support of the relaxed liquor laws.

### What people are saying:

Kyle has grown so much that it does not take much to drive to Austin or San Marcos to go get a drink to a ber Kyle should nat miss out on those dollars, just make sure RPD has excellent tranning in IWH to pull over those that decided to drink and drive.

- Gabriel Casas

I'm sure we're losing tons of money to San I'm stre we're losing tons of money to san Marcas and Mustin. I spend most of my money in Austin. I wouldn't mind keeping that it Kyle! I have follawed, on several occasions, drunk drivers who were driving into Kyle from Austin. I believe it may help in reducing this problem as well.

— James Pavla

Well let the accidents be your guide! So do you want it on your conscience that you sold your city and neighbors our for just a few tax dollars! Himm, hope you're ready to live with that! Anything for the almighty dollar, huh?!

Eve been waiting for this day! Can't wait to cast my

- Kari Backus Wroblewski

People drink alcohol whether its in celebration or sorrow. Why should we send all of our tax revenue somewhere else when its an inevitable revenue.

- Michelle Anderson Matthews

Relaxing the liquor laws in Kyle will have nothing to do with DWI arrists. People who drink and drive will do so regardless of where they get their alcohol.

- Sarah Pennington Lyle

I have no aversion to folks drinking alcohol and having a good time. I just don't want the drunks driving down my street where kids still play, and they will. I don't want violent crimes to rise in our area because drunks will fight at the drop of a hat. You can't convince me that they won't. I lised in Austin for years and it moved awey for many reasons, and one was the concurrent rise in drunk' alcohol related arrest, violent crime, or accedents and murden. All so that the city could make a little move money and people could be fine to drink have they wanted. I say no!

- New Aquire.

- Rone Aguirre

Source: (acebook.com/hays/respress

### On the **Democratic Ballot:**

Barack Obama John Wolfe Bob Ely Darcy G. Richards

U.S. SENATOR Addie Deinell Alle Grady Yarthrough Paul Sadier Sean Hubbard U.S. PEPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 21

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 25
Elaine M. Handerson

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RANDIAD COMMISSIONER Dale Henry

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 6 Michele Petry

MEMBER, STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT 5 Heddaca Bell-Meteredu STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 21 Judith Zafferini

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 25 STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 45

> JUSTICE, 3RD COURT OF APPEALS DISTRICT, PLACE 2 J. Androw Hathoook JUSTICE, 3RB COURT OF APPEALS DISTRICT, PLACE 3 Diane Henson

JUSTICE, 3RD COURT OF APPEALS DISTRICT, PLACES Karen L. Wattens

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PCT. 1,

CONSTABLE, PCT. 1 Hodrigo Arnaya David Peterson CONSTABLE, PCT. 2 James H. Kohler

### On the **Republican Ballot:**

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 21

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER Roland Sledge

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 2
Don Walent

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 4

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 6

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STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 21
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STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 25
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COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR Lustine Caraway COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PCT. 1 Mary E. Gorizales

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CONSTABLE, PCT. 3

CONSTABLE, PCT. 4 Ron E. Hood CONSTABLE, PCT. 5 Mort Mancillas, III

John Pacheco Shawn K, Blaisley

### **Candidates for Hays School Board**

Eric John is also a candidate for the Hays School Board At Large position, but did not return a questionnaire

### Doug Ragsdale

Office sought: Hays CISD Board of Trustees – At Large position

Why are you the most qualified candidate for

Why are you take mes, specific this position? My 48 years as an educator in the public school system affords me a unique perspective from system affords me a unique perspective from you may be unique to the the LGSD, a view from the student/teacher relationship. When deciding to run, it past made sense to me that a school board could benefit from an educator.

What is the No. 1 issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address if? If #8 is issue of education is developing a process that delivers the best possible product, which, for a school board should be the achievement levels of the students within the district. I believe



First vehicle:
I first owned a 1958 Chevrolet Apache Pickup that
my dad and I bought for \$200, repainted candy
apple red, fixed the gearshift with a baseball bat,
covered the seats with naugahide and drove off to
college for four years. What a truck!!

Current job and prior public service: Teacher/Coach at Hays High School – will retire june 1.

Education: BA from Western New Mexico University, MA in guidance and counseling, 40 credit hours toward Administrative Certificate.

Family members: Wife of 40 years, Cheryl, R.N.; son, Rick, 87; son, Ray 36; and Gaughter, Rene, 32, all graduates of Hays High School. Eight wonderful grandchildren, ages 4 to 11.

Years living in Hays County:

### **Holly Raymond**

Office sought: Hays CISD Board of Trustees -- At Large position.

Why are you the most qualified candidate for this position? Our board needs specific expertise to protect the limited protect of the protect

What is the No. I issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address HT Growth. Were experiencing exciting growth in our district, but are doing district, but are doing so in a period of cuts from the capitol and competing priorities that makes maintaining our high standards ever more challenging. I'll work to put scalable solutions in place that protect our standing and build for the future.

readf "The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Families," by Stephen Covey

First vehicle:

As my parents emphasized "Made in the USA," my first car was a 1988 Rlack Chevy Bizzer I nicknamed 'The Blaze. 'Ij was a stick shift because my dad thought that everyone should learn how to "really drive.' He was certainly happy for Coach Green to handle my driver's education however.

Current job and prior public service: I currently serve as Vice President of Finance & Operations fo Big Brothers Big Sixten of Central Texas. I also presently serv us treasurer for the Hays CISD Education Foundation, HYBA Baskethall Coach, T-ball Team Mom, Girl Scout Cookie Mom, PTA member and classroom volunteer.

Education: Lbegan kindergarten at Buda Elementary with Ms. Beck and gadduted from Jack C. Hays in 1996, I went directly to the University of Texas at Austin and earned a bachelor's degree in business and a master's degree in accounting after completing their #1 nationally-ranked Program in Professional Accounting

Family members: My busband, Jeff, and I live in Plum Creek with our three chile Madalyn (12) is a 6th-grader at Barton Middle School, Beck (8 a 2nd-grader at Negley; and Bristol (6) is in Kinder at Negley; 1) parents, L.C. and Arlene Smith, still live in Niederwald.

Years living in Hays County: More than 30 years.

### Bert Bronaugh

Office sought: I am running for the Hays CISD Board of Trustees, District 3 seat.

My qualifications:
I am running for my second term in this
position. I have attended every training
session and conference available. I have
four children, all of whom have been
through ffays CISD, so I have a long
bitarry with the district, dating back to
1993. I have lived the Suda/Kyle area
since 1991.

weathered some severe changes lately, and we need to make sure that we, as a community, give them the support they for their future.

need to confince preparing our children

The last book I read: Hove to read, although it's usually unabridged audio books lately, so that's an easy one, although it would probably be either "Anna Karenina," by Leo Tolstoy, or "Lost Empire," by Clive Custler.

Wig first vehicle:

I worked on my grandparent's farm since I was 8 years old, and the year that I worked on my grandparent's farm since I was 8 years old, and the year that I muned 16, 10 sed 16 of my \$1,200 earning to pay my grandfather \$1,000 for a rebuilt 1971 International 1110 pickup. That truck took me to Texas A&M after I graduated high school. Wonderful question!

Education: I graduated high school in Burnet, Texas, then attended Texas A&M and Bee County College. I attended North Lake College, where I carried an associate's degree in diesel technology. I carried the Senior Master Technician certification from Ford Motor Co. in 1999, and have retained it through 2012.

Family members:
My father is a Prestylerian minister in Schulenburg, where he and my mother now live. My family and I live in the Shadow Creck subcivision in Kyle. I have been married to my levely wife, Wonds, for 27 years. We have four children, the dolet two of which are attending Texas A6M. College Station, and are, or were, both in the Fighting Texas A8gde Band. Bert III is 23, and will graduate on May 12. Rarandro, 21, is about to be a senior john, it only the a senior at Hays High School, and Lois, 14, is at Barton Middle School, and will be attending Hays High School that fall as a freshoran.

Years in Hays: My family moved into Buds in 1991, and managed a cheuch camp while working at Tanck City We then moved to the Neiderwald area, still in Hays school district, and lived there until a few years ago. We ended up in Shadow Creek about three years ag

### KEEP OUR TAX \$ AT HOME



**Kyle Local Option Proposition** 

'I am often asked by local residents why Kyle doesn't have more restaurant choices and entertainment venues. As Mayor, I am always striving to bring new commercial development to our city and I believe changing this law is the key to our future success. We live in a growing community, and our residents deserve to have a variety of local dining and entertainment options without having to drive to Austin or San Marcos. I'll be voting "FOR" on May 12th".

- Lucy Johnson, Mayor of Kyle

#### BALANCING THE PLAYING FIELD

"We are excited about this effort. Having served as a volunteer serving both Buda and Kyle, I have seen firsthand the limitations the current laws have placed on our ability to increase economic development initiatives. We believe Buda and Kyle's concerted effort is also important to compete with San Marcos and Austin for businesses. By voting "FOR" the Kyle Local Option Proposition, voters can increase economic development and additional businesses create more tax revenue, jobs and visitors to our area."

> - Laurie Cromwell, Former Hays CISD Board President Spokesman, Better Business for Hays Committee

#### **MORE RESTAURANT CHOICES**

"Kyle residents want more entertainment choices. With Seton Medical Center Hays (SMCH) and the new businesses coming to our area, we can attract more restaurants and venues for our citizens-and better compete with other cities on the I-35 corridor.'

Ray Hernandez, Executive Director, Kyle Area Chamber of Commerce

### City of Kyle Residents... Why We Need to Support Local Kyle Restaurants & Retail.



Members of the Better Business for Hay Committee along with Kyle Mayor. Lusy Islamon, present petitions bearing the name of ever 1800 Kyle registered waters calling for the election. Accepting the State required petitions on behalf of the City of Kyle i Gig Sections, Memila Sanches.

Pietured: L.R. Laurie Cromwell, Mayor Lucy Johnson, Cyndy Slovak Barton, Ray Hernandez, Amelia Sanchez, Herb Dyer and Vince Collier.

### **Early Voting Locations & Times:** HCISD Central Office 21003 IH 35 Kyle, TX 78640

Monday, April 30 Tuesday, May 1 – Friday, May 4 Saturday, May 5

Election Day • Saturday, May 12th

**Performing Arts Center** 979 Kohlers Crossing, Kyle

Kyle City Hall 100 W. Center St., Kyle

3311 Dacy Lane, Kyle

ON MAY 12th - VOTE "FOR" KYLE!

### **Hays School Board continued**

#### Robert Limon

Office sought: Hays CISD School Board Trustee, District 3

Why are you the most qualified candidate for this position? I feel that my 30 years of work experience, my education, and volunteer experience in the district give me a strong skill-set and perspective that will help our school board plan for the future. I come into this election with no other purpose than to serve the community to the best of my abilities.

What is the No. 1 issue affecting our community and what will you do to address if? The budget will continue to be our biggest challenge. Our current hoard and

administration have done a good job of minimizing the impact of the current funding cuts by the state. We'll need to continue to scrutinize every dollar we spend without sacrificing the quality of education. Decisions should always be data-driven and include input from all stukeholders in the community.

What is the last book you read? I read "the Great Gatsby," again. It was assigned to my son Bobby in Ms. Espinozal English class. I read it again so I could help him understand the book and prepare for his exam. Thirty years later, it was still a

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? Reliable

First vehicle:
It was a used 1976 primer-colored Chevy
Morza that I bought from my Unde Jesse.
It only had half a back seat, one door that
wouldn't open, and bad times but had a stereo
installed that was probably worth more than
the car. I leved that ear.

Current job and prior public service: I'm currently a small business owner with 30 years of prior experience in the public and private sectors including the last 16 years in accounting, budget, and financial work for Austin Community College and the state of Iceas. Duting that time, I also served as president of the Torn Green and Barton PTAs.

Austin Community College, 1999; bachelor's of business administration, St. Edward's University, 2001, major: Business Management

Family members: I'm married to Norma Limon, an employee for the State of Teesas. I also have a daughter, Alyssa (20), a sophomore at the University of Teesa at Austin and 2010 graduate of Hays High School, and a son, Bebby (17), a junior at Hays High School.

Years living in Hays County:
My family and I have lived in the Hays school
district for I 7 years, with 14 years in District 3,
the district I'm running for in the election. My
mother is part of the original Mendez family
from Kyle, so we have deep roots in Hays
County.



## Candidates for Hays County Sheriff

### **Gary Cutler**

Office sought: Hays County Sheriff (incumbent)

Why are you the most qualified candidate?

Thave 3.7 years law enforcement experience, 31 as a county
employee holding ranks of paids, deputy, investigator, Sgt, Lt,
Capt, and an elected sheriff along with my team management
style, education and proven ability to
conservatively manage multimation
dollar budgets during our recent times of
economic ratios.

What is the number one issue affecting our community and what will you do to address it?
Growth is the problem we face. Three out of 10 service calls are for traffic related issues. Through recent rootganization I have without cost to the tarpayers, I will find more ways to address this burgeoning problem within the agency or through Commissioner's Court.

What is the last book you read? "Warlord," by Bario Pantano

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? INTEGRITY

First vehicle: I was almost eighteen in 1969 when I purchased my first car, I was a senior et Wilmer Hutchins H.S. just south of Dallas. The car was a gold 1965 2-door Chevrolet Maibu SS 327 with a four speed stick.

Current Job and prior public service:
I have been tice elected Republican Sherilf of Hayo County for the
past 17 months. Prior public service includes 6 years service as a
Special Investigator at the Texas Alcoholic Eeverage Commission,
3 years service at the Williamson Gounty
Sherilf 3 Office as Sgt. and Lz, 26.5 years at the
Travis County Sherilf 3 Office as a sjailer, deputy,
investigator and captain.

Education: I graduated from Sam Houston State University with a R.S. in criminal lustice. I hold a Taxas Commission of Law Enforcement Master Peace Officer's License and Instructor's License. I have attended several tiousand hours of accredited in-service training through various state and local police cardemies.

Family members: I have been married to my wife Carol, a dental hygienist, for almost 38 years. We have two adult sons, Travis and Trevor.

Years living in Hays County? My wife and I have lived in Hays County for over 24 years.

### Tommy Ratliff

Office sought: Sheriff, Hays County

Why are you the most qualified candidate for this position? I have 35 years in law enforcement: 21 years as a Texas Ranger; 12 years as a State Trooper; and 2 years as Sheriff of Hays County.

Saterin of mays counts:
What is the No. I issue affecting our
community, and what will you do to
address it? I will have officers focus on
finding drug dealers and investigating
burglaries. I will also put a stop to fitvolous
opending of taxpayer deilarn.

What is the last book you read? "Lone Star Justice," by Robert Utley.

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? Integrity.

Pirst vehicle: 1966 Chevrolet Impala 2-door

Current Job and prior public service: Retired Texas Ranger / Mr. Mom

Education: Bachelor of Science from Texas State University, Master Peace Officer License , and Special Texas Ranger Commission

mily members: Wife Carolina, daughter Victoria, and son Will Ratliff. Years living in Hays County: 16 years

Candidates for Hays County Commissioner, Pct. 1

### **Debbie Gonzales Ingalsbe**

Office sought: Hays County Commissioner Pct. 1 (incumbent)

Why are you the most qualified candidate for this position?

position?
My years of experience on the Commissioners Court
and a proven commitment and willingness to work well
with others to retain and bring quality picks, improve
our transportation infrastructure, diversity and protect
our voter resource and provide thes
services a last growing county experts
while maintaining a low cax tale.

What is the No. 1 issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address it? Trying to name one issue is difficult

to address let.
Typing to name one issue is difficult since many issues it es of closely together. Water is at the top of the list, I will continue to work with our cities, water providers, groundwater district, legislators and others to ensure we work toward securing water resources needed today and the future.

What is the last book you read? "Same Kind of Different as Me"

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? Trustworthy

Current job and prior public service:
Hays County Commissioner Pct. 1. Working as a
deputy constable for three years was a very rewarding
public service opportunity. It
helped me gain experience and a
knowledge of county government
and law enforcement which
provided a gnod service of guidance
for the people? I currently serve.

Education: Attended classes at SWTSU, now Texas State. Received my Peace Officer's Certification from the Travis County Sheriff's Academy, and have over 780 hours of continuing education for county commissioner.

Family members: Husband, Garry, and two children, Peggy and Robbie Rodriguez

Years living in Hays County: 51 years

Office sought: Hays County Commissioner, Precinct 1

Why are you the most qualified candidat this position?

I have worked a majority of mylife in the private sector. I have worked for mine copporations, four of which I worked in managing positions in retail, and three we the manufacturing industry. A major portion of the revenue the government spends comes from the private sector.

the private sector. What is the No. I issue affecting our community and what will consider the private private

What is the last book you read? Lenjoy reading several different books on my Kindle Fire. I read everything from the Bible to "The Right Highs Back," by Mike Allen and Evan Thomas. I arm currently reading The Conscience of a Conservative," by Barry Goldwate

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? A close friend once told me that I am a passionate person. Once I find something I love, I use every aspect of my life to express that

Mary Gonzales love. I have a great passion for politics and also for helping people.

Pirst vehicle: 1972 Cudass Supreme, with 350 HP

Current Job and prior public service: I am currently a manager of a reliable 100-year-old company. My prior public services were from 1989-94, I worked for an early childhood intervention state program as a clerk.



Education: Attended Texas State for 2 years; compater accounting at Career Centers of Texas and have hundreds of hours of business management

training Family members:
Ihave been married 29
years to my husband,
Mike. We have two some,
Lorenzo and Judiarr and a
daughter in-law Crystal.
We also have two dogs
named Star and Doggie
named Star and Doggie
sanet I am goound to say
that I have my mother,
Nasaria Gonzales (who is
9' years young), as well
as ny three Drothers,
Robert, Joe and Mario
Gornoles.

Years living in Hays County: I was born and raised in Hays County. I have volunteered hundreds of hours throughout my adult life supporting candidates which I have felt best represented the people of this community.

# **GOP County Chair Candidates**

### John Pacheco

Office soughts Chairman of the Hays County
Republican Pury. The chairman is a voluntoer position,
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are running, and what I'll do if
elected.

Why are you the most qualified candidate for this postford? Have a long history of public service, a starting with enalisted and then commissioned officer service in the Army. I also have had a long successful career in asles which is very relevant; there's nothing quite like calling total strangers and acking them for money to prepare you for politica.

What is the No. 1 ive What is the No. 1 issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address it? This office does not address issues directly. My job would be to grow the Republican party: attract voters/volunteers,

party: attract vietes/volunteers, recruit candidates, raise money for campaigns. In other words, get people engaged in the political process. Most people drastically underestimate the influence that we ordinary citizens have on our community and country.

What is the bast book you read? Can you please ask me what the second to last book I've read is? Because that was "God According to God," by Gerald Schroeder, which sounds so much more substantive than the last book I read, which is the "The Partner," by John Grisham.

What adjective would a close friend use to describy you? I emailed my closest buddy Mark and asked. His response were. I was going to say, my hero, or near God-like, or perhaps, effortlessly cod, but of course nene of those is just one word. (There is a very slight possibility he was being arcasted.) Mark eventually actited on Tocased.

First vehicle: A 1972 Ford Mustang Mach 1 Fastback, 351 Cleveland engine with dual headers. White with a blue stripe down the middle. Cornered like a hog on roller skates but did 0 to 60 in no time flat - YEAH BABY)

Current job and prior public service:
My wife and I own a compliance
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precinct chair to Travis Country),
volunteer in the Adult and Family
Ministry in our church, volunteer with
the North Hays Republican Group,
member of the American Legion, VFW,
and Knights of Columbus.

Education: BEA from ITI/El Paso. Also, a few years ago my wife and I decided to pursue our MBA together to shake the colvewbs out a bit; we are about half way through.

Family members: My wife Suzanne and I have been married 21 years. My morn lives in El Paso, my dad passed away two years ago. I also have sunts, uncles and cousins in San Fernando, CA.

Years living in Hays County: Sixteen, I grow up in El Puso, and by chance was assigned there for the last part of my Anny career. We moved to Austin right after I got out in 1993, and moved out to Dripping in 96.



**VOTE Holly Smith RAYMOND** 

# Candidates for Pct. 2 **Hays County Constable**

#### **Ron Hall**

Office sought: Havs County Constable Precinct 2

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What is the No. 1 issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address it?

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This growth brings about a change in the dynamics of the community. My similar experiences in williamson County have tanglet me to of the community and be available to all members of the community and be available to all members so that we can form a partnership and be involved in our community's

What is the last book you read?
"Constructing Effective Criticism," by Randy Garner,
Ph.D.

First vehicle: A 1977 Datsun B210 with 176,000 miles, drove it for

Current job and prior public service: Currently serve as the Chief of Police for the city of Bertram, I Police for the city of Bettram, former Sergeant Investigator with the Office of the Attorney General's Cyber Crime Unit and as a Sergeant with the Williamson County Sheriff's Office, supervising various units.

Education: Master Peace Officer License, FBI. National Academy Graduate, LEMIT - New Chief's Development Course and Texas Police Chief's Leadership Series, over Z-400 hours of training recorded with T.C.L.E.O.S. and nownerous hours of training in law enforcement administration.

Family members:
Married to Deborah Hall, adult
san Cody serving in the U.S. Army,
daughter, Cassidy and sons. Corey and Thomas
attend Lehman High School, daughters, Alyssa and
Jenavi attend Wallace Widdle School, sons, Casey
and Jonachan attend Tobias Elementary School
with daughter, Laci, All of the children are involved
in extra curricular activities.

Years living in Hays County: 5 years



### James Kohler

Office sought Hays County Constable Precinct 2 (incumbent) Why are you the most qualified candidate for this position? 34 years as constable, elected nine times.

What is the No. 1 issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address it? More people, (addressed by) getting another office. What is the last book you read? I don't read.

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? I don't know — I guess wonderful and loving.

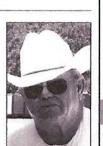
First vehicle: '40 Ford

Current job and prior public service: Constable 34 years and three years in the Arroy.

Education: I don't remember back that far.

Family members: Everybody in Hays County

Years living in Hays County: Since 1962.



#### **Guy Irwin**

Office sought: Hays County Constable Precinct 2

Why are you the most qualified cut

What is the No. I have affecting; what will you do to address left The No. I Sous is the potential for criminal enterprises. I The No. I can the potential for criminal enterprises. I would require the deputies, and royself, to toke field intaining in my last Call Process training. The time to be trained and proficient is now, not offer an event takes place. Action beats re-action and being presentive and vinglant though the hallmanks of unity in worknown of unity in

What is the last book you rear "Criminal Investigation" (10th edition) by Swanson, Chameli Territo and Taylor

First vehicle: 1957 Willy's Jeep pickup. It sounded like a sewing machine when we turned it over in subzero weather and it was capable of going nearly supwhere. It installed an overliving gean trypelf so we could more easily traverse highways. It was a work of art and a Joy to drive.

Education:

hieation:
officional vocational degrees and
offergraduate degrees. I secured a bachelor's of
enere degree in criminal justice administration
in 2010 for the ragness purpose
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Family members: One daughter. She is a legislative director at the Texas Capitol. I have five sisters and my mother resides in South Austin. My beby brother was killed in an accident in 1932, he was a Deputy Constable in South Austin.

# Re-Elect

# **Bert Bronaugh**



Hays CISD School Board **District 3** 

For our children and their future!

Pol. Adv. Paid by BERT BRONAUGH CAMPAIGN

### RE-ELECT

### SHERIFF CUTLER the RIGHT CHOICE



### Endorsed by:

All Hays County Law Enforcement Associations Don Montague, Hays County Sheriff, Retired Terry Keel, Former Travis County Sheriff & State Rep. Earl R. Pearson, Former Chief of the Texas Rangers Charlie Brune, Retired Captain of the Texas Rangers The Family of Sheriff Allen Bridges

Read more about Sheriff Cutler at www.CutlerForSheriff.com

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Cutler for Sheriff Campaign

### ... SU NIOL ... SU NIOL ... SU NIOL

Thursday, May 17th . 6-9 pm Texas Old Town • Kyle, Texas

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A sampling of appetizers served with domestic and local wines & spirits.

Individual

For more information or tickets go to www.HaysWins.com or Call 512.295.9817

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\* Dickies BBO

\* Key Chinese and Sush

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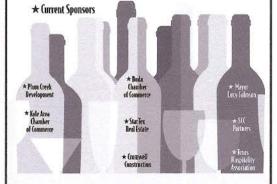
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  \* Waterloo Gig
- \* Buda Grocery & Grill



Taste & Toast of Hays

# **Candidates for** 22nd Judicial District Judge

### **Ronnie Dickens**

Office sought: 22nd Judicial District Judge, covering Hays, Comal and Caldwell

Why are you the most qualified candidate for this position? I am the only candidate practicing in Tesas District Courts for 30 years – also other states and Texas federal courts. states and Texas federal courts. Have tried numerous jury trials in family law (with child custody at issue), criminal defense law (including murder), civil trial lawsuits frecovering more than \$1 million). I have never been an "assistant" attorney.

Mhat is the No. I issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address if? No doubt, it is the drug problem, which buts people and causes more crimes to occur. A qualified and experienced judge is also merded to heat family, civil and serious criminal cases. After 50 years trying cases, in all areas of district curat they I am the mora qualified to serve immediately.

What is the last book you read? "The Confession." by John Grisham.

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? Dependable

First vehicle: 1961 Chevrolet Bel Air, with 6 cylinder, replaced by a custom-built Chevrolet 348 Big Block 250 horse power V6 engine.

Current job and prior public service:
Attorney and owner, The Dickens Law Firm, general trial practice
for ill years; First United Methodsit Church, Optimist Club member,
Bosary Calb member, board member of Froster's Horne for Children
member of Stephenville Aliquot Board, Fogs For Toos, recent Vices,
member of Stephenville Aliquot Board, Fogs For Toos, recent Vices,
for Children Committee.

Of Texas Jury Question Revision Committee.

Education: Grainated from Tesgue High School, Tesgue, Texas; B.A. from Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos and South Texas College of Law, in Houston.

Family ratembers: Wife, Pan Dickens, head pharmacist for the large HEB in San Marces, Daughter, Amanda, Manager of Global Sales for Sofilayer. Com in Dallar. Daughter, Emily, new law school graduate in Fort Worth. Son-in-law, Chris, banker for Regions Bank. Son-in-law, Bill, basketball football couch at Butleson Figh School.

Years living in Hays County:
Moved to Sam Marcos in 1970 for college, got married in 1972. We
have lived in Sam Marcos served times over the years — we came
back home eight years ago. We relocated some because of work, but
we have had strong connections to Hays County and the Teas Hell
Country for 42 years. Pam and I, and our too daughters and their
hashands, all gadaated from Southwest Teas State University/
Texas State University in Sam Marcos/Hays County.

### Bruce Boyer

Office sought: 22nd Judicial District Judge, Hays, Comal and Caldwell

Why are you the most qualified candidate? 
How been a practicing attorney in Comal and surrounding counties for \$2 years. I am 22+ year prosecutor. As a small businessman, volunteer and community leader, and a sex year mayor of New Braunies. I have done the state of the common trained the common series of the programment of the state of the common series of the common series of the state of the common series one creasary to be a good judge.

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Satety of our citizens and their property is most important; particularly that of our children who are the victims of abuse and are the most affected by divorce. Foil always put justice for victims first. In divorce and custody cases I will always put the children's interests:

What is the last book you read? "Team of Rivals: The Political Genius of Abraham Lincoln"

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you?

First vehicle: A 1972 Mercury Montego previously owned by a firefighter

Current Job and prior public service: Attorney and business owner. Prior public office: mayor of New Brauntels, 2005-2011. 35 years of community service with many organizations and my church.

University of Nebraska, B.A., 1973; Southern Methodist University, J.D., 1977; master's of public administration, 1977

Family: Wife: Toya Ohlrich Boyer, Daughters: Casey Cox, Shelley Minus, Rachel Roser, Surandchildren

Years living in Comal County: I have lived in Comal County for 35 years

### Exercise your right

Every citizen of this country should be guaranteed that their vote matters, that their vote is counted, and that in the voting booth, their vote has a much weight as that of any CEO, any member of Congress, or any President.

-Barbara Boyer form

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FOR 22ND DISTRICT COURT

### David Glickler

Office sought: 22nd Judicial District Judge, covering Hays,

rooms daily. Over 80

Why are you the most qualified candidate for this position?

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required in the field of criminal law.

What is the No. 1 issue affecting our community, and what will you do to address it? As for district courts, it is excess to the countroom. I will make sure, by working with lawyers and prosecutions, that all cases can be heard. I will be completely accessible to all citizens who need the courts for their civil, family or criminal cases to proceed.

What is the last book you read?
"Riography of Benjamin Franklin," and working on "John Adams," by David McCullough.

What adjective would a close friend use to describe you? Intense

First vehicle: A 1978 Toyota Celica. Paid almost as much to fix it up as I did to get it, and sadly, I crashed it on an ice-slicked road less than 2 months after I got it on the road!

Current Job and prior public service.
Currently Deputy Dixision Chief and Assistant
Altoney General under Geep Abbott, supervising
the White Collar Crime and Public Integrity
Section of the Criminal Prosecutions Division.
Previously, I was an assistant county attorney
in Williamson County under the late Engene DiTaylor. Before that, I was a briefing attorney at the
Team Court of Criminal Appeals.

Education: B.A. in political science from Rutgers University in New Brunswick, N.J. Juris Doctor from SMU School of Law in Dullas, TX.

Family members: Wife, Holly, a native Austinite and UT grad. Daughter, Morgan, son, Austin.

Years living in Hays County: 104

### David L. Nigh

Why are you the most qualified candidate (or this position? I am the most experienced and best qualified candidate. My education in business at

business at Texas A&M, and 29-year

carrect in civil and criminal litigation exhibit these qualifications. I moved to New Brauntick in 1992. Cases include family law, divarce, custody, adoption, juveniles, CPS, criminal defense, estate and real estate.

What is the No. I two affecting our community, and what will you do it address it? The number one issue affecting our communities is the dealing and use of illegal drugs, including alcohol abuse. Plabitud Convient of these most testion of our touds. Because drugs cost mores; criminals commibungaries, these, trobberies and other crimes I pledge to punish all violent criminals severely.

What is the last book you read? "Making Marriage Work," by Joyce Meyer.

What adjective would a close friend use to

describe you? She would say that I'm a "man's man," and that I enjoy baskethall, golf, hunting and fishing. She would say I am honest, conservative, a gun collector, loyal, generous and kind.

First vehicle: It was a 1962 Ford Falcon my dad purchased in 1970. I promptly installed an 8-track player in the glove box, and speakers in the trank.

Current job and prior public services. My current job in New Braunfels is the practice of criminal hew and family law, including divorce, adoption and child custody. I constantly deal with Fouth, Fifth, and Sixth Aumenfament issues. I spend an average of eight out of 22 working days a month in the countroes.

Education: Texas A&M University (cum/haude) 1975, and South Texas College of Lawin Houston, J.D. 1980.

Family members: Mother, Lois Nigh in Houston; brother, Dan Nigh in Harper, Texas; and brother, John Nigh in Fredericksburg, Texas. We all became Texans in 1863.

Years living in Hays County: Lam running in Hays, Counal, and Caldwell (District 22) counties. I have lived in New Braunfels since



VOTE **Holly Smith** RAYMOND for Hays **School Board** May 12th

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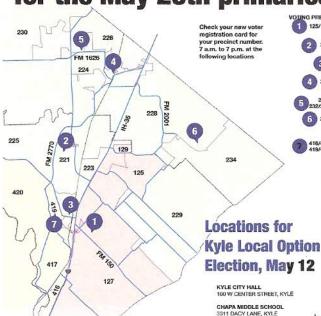
### **Vote for DAVID GLICKLER** for District Judge Zind Judicial District, representing Cardwell, Coma) and Haya Counties

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David and his family, Holly, Morgan and Austin, have lived in Hays County for over 10 years. Many of David's cases have received extensive modis coverage and links to these stores a swill as all of the reddisceneric can be found at his website. For more information, a mail David at david@glickterforjudge.com

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## Where to vote in Buda and Kyle for the May 29th primaries



125/127/129 TOBIAS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 3995 EAST FM 150, KYLE

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KYLE CITY HALL 100 W CENTER ST, KYLE

4 224/228

BUDA CITY HALL. 121 N MAIN ST, BUDA

HAYS HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH 1401 N FM 1626, BUDA GOFORTH WATER SUPPLY 8900 NIEDERWALD STRAUSSE, NIEDERWALD

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### **Locations for School Board Election, May 12**

KYLE CITY HALL 100 W CENTER STREET, KYLE

TOBIAS ELEMENTARY 1005 EAST FM 150, KYLE

CHAPA MIDDLE SCHOOL 3311 DACY LANE, KYLE

HAYS HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH 1401 NORTH FM 1626, BUDA

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May 12, 2012 Hays CISD School Board Election

and Kyle Local Option Election May 29, 2012 Democratic and Republican **Primaries** 

### **Hays County Early Voting Schedules**

Local Online and **School Board election** Location, dates and hours of early voting polling places in Kyle and Buda

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 7 A.M.-7 P.M. KYLE CITY HALL

100 W. CENTER STREET TUESDAY, MAY 1 - FRIDAY, MAY 4.

KYLE CITY HAL 100 W. CENTER STREET

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 10 A.M.-3 P.M.

KYLE CITY HALL 100 W. CENTER STREET

MONDAY, MAY 7, 7 A.M.-7 P.M. KYLE CITY HALL 100 W. CENTER STREET

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 8 A.M.-5 P.M. HAYS CISD ADMIN. OFFICE 21003 IH- 35, KYLE

#### Democratic and Republican **Primary election**

MONDAY, MAY 14, 11 A.M.-7 P.M. KYLE CITY HALL 100 W. CENTER STREET

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 11 A.M.-7 P.M.

BUDA CITY HALL 121 N. MAIN STREET

### SATURDAY, MAY 19, 10 A.M.-4 P.M.

KYLE CITY HALL 100 W. CENTER STREET BUDA CITY HALL 121 N. MAIN STREET

MONDAY, MAY 21, 11 A.M.-7 P.M. KYLE CITY HALL 100 W. CENTER STREET

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 11 A.M.-7 P.M. BUDA CITY HALL 121 N. MAIN STREET

### League of Women Voters hosts candidates forum May 7

The San Marcos Area League of Women Voters is hosting a primary debate from 7-9 p.m. Monday, May 7 at the San Marcos Activity Center. According to the League's Voter Services Chair Grace Melcher-

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Neal, a forum format will be used for the highly contested Republican primary races in Congressional Districts 21, 25 and 35 and State Senate District 25, as well as the contested Democratic races

for State Representative Districts 21 and 35, due to the number of candidates who filed for those positions. Candidates for contested local Hays County races will be invited to debate.

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### **Propositions on the Democratic** and Republican Primary ballots

#### Democratic **Propositions**

IN-STATE TUTTION: Any graduate of a Texas-high school, who has lived in the state for all least three years and lived here continu-ously for the lest year, should be eigible for in-state tuttion at state supported colleges and universities and given the opportunity to earn legal status through a higher education or military service.

FUND TEXAS COLLEGES: "Because a col ousse intespres and become the entrepreneurs who create the jobs that our economy relies on, we call on the Texas Legislature to fund colleges and universities such that tuition and fees can be affordable to all Texans."

CASINO GAMBLING: Should the Texas Legislature allow the people of Texas to vo to legalize casino gambing with all funds generated being used only for education?

#### **Republican Propositions**

SCHOOL CHOICE: The state should fund education by allowing dollars to follow the child instead of the bureau-cracy, through a program which allows parents the free-dom to choose their child's school, public or private, while also saving significant taxpayer dollars.

REPEALING OBAMACARE Congress should immediately repeal the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (otherwise known as Obamacare) and reject the retioning of healthcare by government on the Intrusion by government into the doctor ~ patient relationship.

PUBLIC PRAYER: Government should be prohibited from restricting the content of public prayer.

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BALANCED BUDGET / CONTROLLING GOVERNMENT
GROWTH: Out of control spending should be stopped at
al levels of federal and state, government through consti-tutional amendments limiting any increase in government
spending to the combined increase of population and
initiation, requiring voter approval.

Redistricting The Texas Legislature should redraw the court-imposed lines for Congress and State legislative dis-tricts in its upcoming session in order to remedy inequities

Re-Elect

Serving, supporting and focusing on community for over 50 years.



### HAYS COUNTY CONSTABLE, PCT. 2

#### Duties Include:

- ★ Patroling all Pct. 2 bus stops
- Working school zone truffle during peak hours
- \* Serving paperwork for the Justice of the Peace
- ★ Performing bailiff duties as required by law for the Justice of the Peace

#### I give back to taxpayers in that I:

one more time on May 29

Please give me vour

vote of confidence

-Constable James Kohler

- ★ Collected more than \$411,000 in the past two years and four months
- ★ Collected over \$681,900 in outstanding warra ★ Collected over \$200,000 in delinquent taxes
- Was responsible for the arrest of three arsonists that caused injury to a Kyle police officer. Was responsible for the recovery of more than \$250,000 worth of stolen tracks, trailers and backhoes

#### Volunteer Services:

- Provides voluntary security for schools, churches, and all non-pr
- ★ Voluntarily escorts funerals and unlocks hundreds of cars each year at no charge.
   ★ Escorts bands, cheerleaders and drill teams to all games at no charge.
- ★ Helping to build a sports complex for the youth of Hays County east of Interstate 35
  ★ Has been announcing the football pames for the past 27 years at Shelton Stadium for the junior high, freshman and JV teams for free
- Supporting Project Graduation
- ★ Have sponsored two little league teams every year in the Hays County area
- ★ Have been delivering Brown Santa gifts for years
  ★ Helps back up Hays County Sheriff's Department, DPS and Kyle Police Department

#### I am a member of:

★ North Havs County Optimist Club ★ National Rifle Association ★ Citizens for Responsible ★ Norm rays county optimists Cuto ★ National Billie Association ★ Cutzers for Responsive Education ★ Hays County Livestock Show, Inc., (have collected over \$450,000 for the yearth of Hays County during 34 years of participation) ★ S.C.O.P.E. (School in Community's Offering Positive Experiences ★ Member of Tejano Democratic Caucus

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tireless volunteer in our community. He has been the School Board, and his experience is invaluable to the future success of not only the board, but the district as well. Plea join me in supporting Bert in his bid for re-election to District 3.

"I know Bert to be an

-Patti Wood

For our children and their future!

Re-Elect Bert Bronaugh Hays CISD School Board, District 3

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