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GOVERNOR APPOINTS DAVID LANDIS TO TEXAS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES



Governor Rick Perry has appointed David Landis of Perryton to the Texas Municipal Retirement System Board of Trustees for a term ending February 1, 2015. The six-member Board of Trustees oversees the Texas Municipal Retirement System (TMRS), which is responsible for providing retirement benefit plans for Texas cities.

Mr. Landis is a certified public manager and the city manager of Perryton. He is a member of the International City Management Association, board secretary of the Panhandle Water Planning Group, and a member and past president of the Texas and Panhandle City Management associations. He is also a member and past president of Perryton Rotary International and a volunteer for Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Texas Panhandle.

Mr. Landis received his Bachelor of Science degree from New Mexico State University in civil engineering technology and is a graduate of Texas Tech University's Certified Public Manager Program. He joined the city of Perryton in 1983 as director of public works and assumed his current position of city manager in 1986. A long-time city manager, he has been active in the Texas City Managers Association, serving as president in 2011. Mr. Landis replaces the late H. Frank Simpson of College Station.

TMRS is a public retirement system with more than 147,000 employee members in 849 cities. The System pays benefits to over 43,000 retired Texans and their survivors and administers a \$22 billion trust fund.

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