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TEXAS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHOOSES OFFICERS FOR 2019



At its December 7, 2018 meeting in Austin, Texas, the Texas Municipal Retirement System (TMRS) Board of Trustees selected Bill Philibert of Deer Park to serve as the 2019 Chair of the six-member Board. Mr. Philibert (pictured) served for the past two years as the Board's Vice Chair. He was originally appointed to the Board of Trustees in 2013. In addition to serving as the Board's Chair in 2019, Mr. Philibert will also chair the Board's Legislative Committee and serve as Vice Chair of the Board's Compensation Committee.

Mr. Philibert is Director of Human Resources and Risk Management for the City of Deer Park. He is a member of the International Public Management Association for Human Resources (National and Texas Chapter), the Texas Municipal Human Resources Management Association, and the Society of Human Resources Management.

Mr. Philibert received his bachelor's degree from Texas A&M University and his MBA from the University of Houston. He has received the Senior Professional Human Resources (SPHR) and Global Professional Human Resources (GPHR) designations from the Society for Human Resource Management. He also currently holds the IPMA-CP, SHRM-SCP and holds a Risk Management for Public Entities certificate.

Also at the December 7 meeting, the Board chose David Landis, City Manager of Perryton, as Vice Chair for 2019. Mr. Landis has served on the Board since 2013. In addition to his position as Board Vice Chair, Mr. Landis will serve as Vice Chair of the Internal Audit Committee and the Advisory Committee on Benefit Design. He 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.

The Board of Trustees is composed of six Governor-appointed members serving staggered six-year terms. Trustees are all employees of TMRS cities who volunteer their time and expertise to guide the Texas Municipal Retirement System, a public retirement system with more than 167,500 employee members in 883 cities. The System pays benefits to over 62,000 retired Texans and their survivors and administers a \$28.9 billion trust fund (as of 12/31/17).

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