

January 21, 2015

Mr. John Whitson
City of Texarkana

Texarkana, TX 75503

Dear Mr. Whitson:

I am writing this letter to express my interest in being appointed to the vacancy for Ward 5 on City Council. I have been an active member of this community for the past 10 years, and I feel my experience will be an asset to our Council.

I have always taken an active role in the community I am a part of. I am currently a member of the Planning & Zoning Commission, and the Housing Finance Committee. In addition to these, I have been a part of the Texarkana Blue Ribbon Committee as well as the most recent City Manager Search Committee. Finally, I have held numerous leadership positions and been a part of many non-profit boards and organizations throughout our community. I have included my resume with this letter for your review.

I plan on attending the next City Council meeting on January 26, 2015. I look forward to visiting with you and the City Council at this time. Should you need any further information prior to this meeting, please feel free to contact me at (903) 748-8371.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Fred Meisenheimer', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Fred Meisenheimer

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Experience:

September 2010 – Present

Lonestar Truck Group

Sales Coordinator – Texarkana, Tyler, & Shreveport Truck Centers

- Review, order, and track all Custom Ordered trucks.
- Assist salesmen with truck specifications and updates.
- Responsible for building and tracking all New & Used truck inventory.
- Assist with Accounts Receivables as needed.
- Assist with F&I as needed.

July 2007 – September 2010

Red River Credit Union

Business Loan Officer

- Further developed complete Business Services Department.
- Increased total Business Loan portfolio from \$2MM to over \$20MM.
- Expanded Business Services Department to include a full array of Business Loans as well as Deposit Services.

August 2002 – July 2007

Guaranty Bond Bank

Commercial Loan Officer

- Supported other Loan Officers with Credit Risk Analysis.
- Made both Commercial and Consumer loans.
- Assisted with Customer Service as needed.
- Performed Construction and Inventory inspections.

Education:

Texas A&M University – Texarkana

- Masters of Business Administration

Baylor University

- Bachelors of Business Administration
- Major in Management

Community Involvement:

City of Texarkana, Texas

- Planning & Zoning Commission
- Housing Finance Corporation
- City Manager Search Committee
- Blue Ribbon Committee

Pleasant Grove ISD – Current Board Member

Wadley Foundation – Current Board Member

William's Memorial UMC – Current Board of Trustee

Junior Achievement – Past President

Leadership Texarkana – Past Board Member

Literacy Council of Miller & Bowie Counties – Past Board Member

Texarkana ISD – Past AVID Mentor