### Gilbert Robinson - Candidate for Commissioner District 1 City of Texas City (May 2022)

#### 1. If elected, what key competencies would you bring to the position?

The key competencies that I would bring to this position are my values of honesty, transparency, and a voice for the concerns of the citizens.

# 2. Briefly outline the top issues you feel will be of significant importance in Texas City over the next three to five years.

The top issues in Texas City over the next three to five years deal with continued Economic Development, Affordable Housing, and reaching the youth through various educational activities, including summer jobs.

# 3.What can you do as an elected official to help small businesses in the community?

I would help small businesses in the community by encouraging them to be active members of the Chamber of Commerce and participate/attend in Commissioner meetings. Also, I would incorporate seminars to educate them on how to grow their business.

### 4. What would you do to help ensure that the local economy continues to have positive growth?

In order for the local economy to continue to have positive growth as a member of the City Commissioners, I would seek to encourage new business to come to our city and promote the existing businesses that are here.

#### 5. Any other comments you would like to make?

I believe that my experience in the private and public sector gives me the edge to come in ready to work and to keep things moving in a positive manner that will enable the city to make further advancements to maintain continued growth within the city.

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