



Name: Steve Higginbotham
District 5 Council Member
Term Expires: 11/2021

Occupation: Retired from Luminant Mining Co. after 35 years of service

Family: Wife Ceil, with three children and five grandchildren

What is your favorite movie? The Magnificent Seven – it's a great story with great actors.

Who is someone you admire, and why? My older brother Denny. He served in the army and was stationed in Vietnam. I have learned a lot of what he went through and experienced, but it took him over 40 years to share some of the experiences. I also learned what steps he took upon his return from Vietnam to try to keep me and my other brother from having the same experiences. He is a great brother!

Hobbies? I've dabbled in coins and sports cards.

Why did you initially run for office, and what do you hope to accomplish as a council member? I was originally appointed to complete Mayor Pat Brack's term eight years ago. Since then, I have run unopposed four times. I've always wanted to make Henderson a safe city to live in and work in. I also want to make sure all our city employees have the tools with which to do their jobs.

What are your hopes and visions for Henderson's future? I hope Henderson grows by 1) enabling HEDCO to expand their scope to both Type A and Type B; 2) annexing property near and including Loop 571; and 3) expanding our partnership with Kilgore Junior College.

