Jim Briggs Assistant City Manager/Utility Operations

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Promoted to the position of ACM/Utility Operations in 2000, Jim had been the City's Director of Community Owned Utilities for the previous 18 years. Prior to that, he served at the Public Works Staff Engineer for three years. Responsible for the strategic planning for the utility, Jim has guided the utility through years of high growth as well as times of economic recession; each economic period with its own complexities and challenges.

Over the last 18 years Jim has served as a representative to state and regional utility planning boards as well as chairman of the Central Texas water planning efforts for the Trans-Texas Water Plan in 1997.

Jim is a graduate of Texas A&M University, with a Bachelors Degree from the College of Agricultural Engineering in Mechanized Systems. Working for the City of Bryan Engineering Department while attending Texas A&M University, Jim acquired a solid background in issues related to the municipal field. After graduation, Jim spent time in the commercial construction industry in Houston before coming to Central Texas. Jim has earned his certification as a Certified Water Operator and Public Power Executive from the American Public Power Association. Jim serves currently as a board member of the Texas Public Power Association and as President of the Association of Wholesale Customers of the Lower Colorado River Authority.

Spending time on volunteer efforts, Jim serves as an announcer for Georgetown High School sporting events. He has also served on the Board of Directors of the Georgetown Noon Lions Club, Past President of the Georgetown Little Dribblers' Incorporated and former Trustee for the First Presbyterian Church Georgetown.