

Trustee Livingston has served as GISD District 7 Trustee since November 2018.

Mr. Livingston is originally from rural Alabama. Married and a proud father of five ranging from ages in twenties to toddlers. He is a Retired Army veteran who served three tours in Iraq with 12 years of active-duty service which enables him to have daily time to serve our community and district in various ways.

He started his advocacy for education prior to retirement when he was previously stationed in Fort Hood, TX area. While stationed there he became actively involved in the surrounding school districts of Killeen ISD and Nolanville ISD. In Killeen ISD, he received the 2011-2012 KISD Parent and Community Involvement for Volunteer Service Award and in Nolanville ISD he is the 2012 awardee of the Certificate of Appreciation for Dedication and Support. After relocating to Greenville, he became emersed in the district and community as a volunteer. While in Greenville ISD he has participated in W.A.T.C.H Dogs for Carver and L.P. Waters, L.P. Waters Policy Council, GISD School Naming Committee, Safety and Health Committee where he currently still serves, a recipient of the 2016 GISD PTA Guardian Angel award, and on numerous PTAs across the district. He currently is one of the district's spokespersons for ALL PRO DADS which is an opportunity to embrace and grow parent involvement on all campuses district wide. He is also known for mentoring students on many campuses in GISD.

Since serving on GISD as a District 7 trustee, Livingston has joined advocacy groups that are statewide with other school board members across the state. These 501c groups help advocate for fair and equal opportunities in education for all students at state and federal levels while raising money for scholarships for children including over \$20,000 yearly back to GISD students thanks to his participation in the groups. He is the first GISD Trustee to bring these opportunities in GISD history. He currently serves as the Vice President of the Texas Caucus of Black School Board Members, as an Advisor for the Texas Latino School Board Association, and a member of the Mexican American School Board Association. Livingston's education background includes an Associate's Degree in Early Childhood Education and Bachelor's Degree in Family Studies both from American Military University. A Masters in Education is his next goal. Livingston is also known for volunteering around the community where he has served on the Hunt County Honor Guard and is the current City of Greenville's Library Advisor Board for Place 7. He also partakes in community events such as Touch-A- Truck at the library with his collection of antique pedal cars that toddlers can ride and many other non-profit events to help raise awareness and money for local projects. He was awarded the Unsung Hero award for Hunt County in Spring 2015 for volunteer involvement and has continued to be involved community wide. Livingston is also the recipient of the 2024 Legacy Awards of Greenville for civic and government for his contributions and impacts to our local community.

Livingston and his family are the founders of the Livingston Legacy Educational Scholarship for Greenville ISD. This scholarship is geared towards students with special needs that are reaching for higher education at the college level.