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2010

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E. J. Ourso College of Business Hall of Distinction

LSU's E. J. Ourso College of Business has long been at the forefront of producing leaders who make significant contributions to the areas of business, academia, government, and the community at-large. Whether alumni or friends, individuals who have a strong association with the college and have distinguished themselves through their personal and civic achievements are considered annually for the Hall of Distinction.

Well before the formal establishment of the E. J. Ourso College in 1928, students attending the University with aspirations in various endeavors were taught the basic principles of entrepreneurship necessary to be successful. Such successes established the foundation later alumni would utilize to achieve their accomplishments. Continuously the college has recognized these ambassadors of LSU. Since 1996, the E. J. Ourso College has honored these individuals through the Hall of Distinction.

Nominees for the Hall of Distinction may be submitted by anyone and are solicited on behalf of the E. J. Ourso College by the Dean's Advisory Council, the College Executive Committee, and past inductees.



Donor Recognition Ceremony

Tonight marks the E. J. Ourso College of Business' Fourth Annual Donor Recognition Ceremony. The Donor Recognition Ceremony acknowledges individuals and organizations that have committed \$250,000 or more cumulatively for the E. J. Ourso College to the LSU Foundation since the launch of the Forever LSU Campaign on July 1, 2001. For reaching a higher giving level during calendar year 2009, the following donors will be honored.

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Thomas J. Adamek



Thomas Adamek is a co-founding member, president, and managing director of Stonehenge Capital Company LLC, where he is responsible for asset management and business development activities. He is also a member of its board of managers. Stonehenge is a national specialty finance company with expertise in structured tax credit finance in a variety of industries. Additionally, Stonehenge provides private debt and equity solutions to growing companies.

A native of Rochester, New York, Mr. Adamek received his bachelor's in finance from LSU in 1982. He began his professional career with Louisiana National Bank, which was the predecessor of Bank One Corporation. From 1983 through 1999,

Mr. Adamek held various positions with Bank One, culminating in a managing director role that focused on venture capital, investment banking, and capital markets activities.

In 1999, Mr. Adamek co-founded Stonehenge, which today has 35 employees in nine states with partner level oversight in Louisiana and Ohio. Seven years after its creation, the Stonehenge team co-founded Aramid Capital Partners, a London-based partnership that sources and refers investment opportunities to The Aramid Entertainment Fund. The latter provides entertainment finance in the form of short- to medium-term liquidity to producers and distributors of film, television, and other media and entertainment content, secured against a variety of assets. Mr. Adamek serves as one of Aramid Capital Partners' directors.

Throughout his career, Mr. Adamek has been a member of the board of directors of several privately held businesses in which Stonehenge and Bank One have invested. Additionally, he served on the board of governors of the National Association of Small Business Investments Companies from 1987 to 1996, including two years as president of the Southwest Regional Association. Mr. Adamek was also the chairman of the Venture Capital Institute in 1994 and 1995.

Away from the world of finance, Mr. Adamek has volunteered his abilities as a member of the board of directors and treasurer of the Louisiana Art and Science Museum, as a member of the development committee of the Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center, as a past-president of the Mid-City Kiwanis Club in Baton Rouge, and as a board member and treasurer for the Louisiana Alliance for Biotechnology.

Mr. Adamek and his wife, Lisa, have been married for 14 years and have seven children between the two of them—Emily, Rachel, Bailey, Alex, Ryan, Sara, and Elizabeth.



Reflections

Attending high school locally, I learned early about LSU. In fact, I took my first LSU class at Baton Rouge High School—philosophy. I guess that's when I learned to think!

In the years preceding my enrollment at LSU, I spent many hours admiring the University—walking and riding my bicycle through the campus where “stately oaks and broad magnolias shade inspiring halls.” I would hitch a ride (and eventually drive myself) to Tiger Stadium on Saturday night. Trite but true, it was magical. I was in awe of the many traditions at the University before I stepped foot on campus as a freshman. Best of all, LSU was a couple hundred bucks a semester—all we could afford. That sealed the deal.

The times at LSU were unforgettable—so much time in the quadrangle my freshman and sophomore years, “reflecting” on the times (the U.S. boycott of the Moscow Olympics, the Iranian hostage crisis, Ronald Reagan's election as president, the tragic death of John Lennon). I had my first computer science class—Fortran (cards and all). Who would have thought how much that would change in the coming years?

The move to CEBA my junior year was quite traumatic—it was brand new and it was quite a trek from the quad, where I still had a couple classes. (I never really understood the combination of engineering and business—I am so pleased to see the business school finally receiving a home of its own that it deserves!)

There are too many other fond memories to recall. Mostly, I appreciate the friendships that have endured.

I balanced my academic and social experiences at LSU fairly well—maybe a little too much emphasis on the latter. Looking back, I wouldn't have done it differently. The Library (to clarify, not the Middleton Library) and the original Louie's, which sat about a dozen people, were great hangout spots. My fraternity (Sigma Nu) and the lacrosse team at LSU were wonderful “diversions” from my studies. Should I have worked harder for good grades? Yes. Did I leave LSU a more learned person? Absolutely. Did I understand how many “right” decisions and “lucky” breaks it would take to lead me here? No way.

I was chomping at the bit to get into the real world. Why? I haven't a clue. I graduated in three-and-a-half-years, smack in the middle of another Louisiana oil bust. Thank goodness for the leaders at Louisiana National Bank who continued to nurture an environment of opportunity for LSU graduates—even in the tough times. I got my first job!

I am proud to be a part of the LSU community. It is an integral economic engine for Baton Rouge and the state and the breeding ground for the next generation of business and civic leaders.

Donald J. Gauci



Donald Gauci is a partner with Ernst & Young whose practice is focused on providing information technology risk management assurance and advisory services to clients in the oil & gas, power & utilities, telecommunications, technology, real estate and life sciences industries. Ernst & Young is a global leader in assurance, tax, transaction, advisory services and strategic growth initiatives.

A native of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Mr. Gauci received his bachelor's in accounting from LSU in 1987. While at LSU, he was a student in the Internal Audit Pilot School, which is now known as the Center for Internal Audit. Upon graduation, Mr. Gauci began his career in public accounting in New Orleans and early on developed a specialization in information technology assurance services. During this time, Mr. Gauci passed the Uniform Certified Public Accounting Examination and became licensed to practice public accounting in Louisiana. Additionally, he obtained a Certified Information Systems Auditor certification from the Information Systems Audit and Control Association and a Certified Internal Auditor certification from the Institute of Internal Auditors.

In 1994, Mr. Gauci joined the New Orleans office of Ernst & Young as a manager. After two years, he began serving clients in Houston, Texas from the New Orleans office. Mr. Gauci and his family relocated to Houston in 1999, and he was promoted to partner in 2000. In that role, he became a technical leader in his firm's Americas Area with responsibility for standards development, tool development, and quality assurance. Since becoming a partner, Mr. Gauci has served several global clients, including many oil & gas companies and a telecommunications company in Madrid, Spain. He is responsible for managing the financial assurance information technology practice of the firm's southwest region, and his efforts have been recognized repeatedly as a three-time finalist for Ernst & Young's Rosemarie Meschi Award.

Throughout his time at Ernst & Young, Mr. Gauci has continued his education through the firm's executive education program at Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University, and a strategic leadership program at Harvard University. Additionally, he has devoted his time and talents to numerous organizations.

A member of the E. J. Ourso College of Business Dean's Advisory Council, Mr. Gauci serves on its executive committee and as the chairman of its finance committee. He also serves on the board of the Holy Name Passionist Retreat Center in Houston, is a member of that board's executive and governance committees, and is the chairman of its finance committee. Previously, he served on the Center for Internal Audit Advisory board and is a frequent presenter in the classroom and to student organizations.

Mr. Gauci and his wife, Kathryn, who is also an LSU graduate, have been married for 20 years. They have three children—Mary Kathryn, Michael, and Jonathan.



Reflections

LSU has been a thread that runs through the entire fabric of my life. My family, friends, and career have all been influenced by this wonderful institution. I am grateful for the opportunities that I have been given as a result of my association with LSU.

As a native of Baton Rouge, many of my earliest memories include LSU. I recall with fondness the many Saturday evenings spent in Tiger Stadium with my father. He was an avid football fan, who inspired in me a love of LSU football at an early age. My mother spent much of her career as an administrative assistant in the College of Agriculture and retired from the University after many years of service. During my younger days when not in school, I would accompany her to work and roam the campus. I discovered the Museum of Natural Science, Mike the Tiger's home, and other fun aspects of the campus. I eventually met my wife, Kathryn, on campus. We dated through much of my time in school and have been married for more than 20 years. We have since shared our love of LSU with our children. My daughter, Mary Kathryn, has attended the LSU summer swim camp; my son, Michael, has attended a game in Tiger Stadium; and my son, Jonathan, wears his LSU gear with pride.

As a student at LSU, I was a member of Phi Kappa Theta Fraternity. There I met several friends with whom I am still in contact today. The Greek experience added a dimension to life at LSU that can only be described as fun. I did, however, learn about friendship, philanthropy, and teamwork through my affiliation with Phi Kappa Theta. As a member of other student organizations, like the Accounting Society and Beta Alpha Psi, I gained access to educational and leadership opportunities that have helped shape my development.

My working career began at LSU as a high school student worker during the summertime. I continued in various jobs at LSU throughout my college career. My most memorable times were spent working with Dr. Dan Satterlee in the Department of Poultry Science. He fostered my interest in computers and data analysis, while providing a guiding hand for my education. He helped me recognize my capabilities and encouraged me to achieve my best. Dr. Glenn Sumners in the accounting department gave me the opportunity to participate in his newly created Internal Audit Pilot School. This opportunity challenged my capabilities and inspired my pursuit of a career in public accounting and auditing. Dr. Sumners has continued to serve as a mentor throughout my career. He has coached me personally and has provided a significant number of career-ready students for my firm to hire. I am convinced that some portion of my firm's success is due in part to the efforts of Dr. Sumners and his students.

I have to admit that I get emotional when I hear the *LSU Alma Mater*. The song truly brings back a lifetime of fond memories that waken in my heart a tender glow. I have gained greatly and have been made better by the University. My continued involvement keeps the LSU spirit alive. I hope and pray to see greater glory for the institution that has so shaped my life. I am truly humbled and grateful for the honor of induction into the Hall of Distinction. Thank you.

David L. Laxton III

David Laxton is executive vice president and chief financial officer of Edgen Murray, a global supplier of specialty steel pipe, fittings, plates, valves, and structurals to the energy industry. Edgen Murray has locations in Asia, Canada, Europe, the Middle East, South America, and the United States. He is also vice chairman of American Gateway Bank and the chairman of its audit committee.

A native of Mobile, Alabama, Mr. Laxton received his bachelor's in history from LSU in 1971, and a master's in accounting from LSU in 1976. He began his professional career with Ernst & Young CPAs in 1976, and worked with the firm and others as a certified public accountant until 1984, before becoming the president of the Spinnaker Group, a management consulting and investment banking group in Houston, Texas. Six years later, Mr. Laxton became vice president and chief financial officer of Moody Price Inc., a Baton Rouge distributor of tube fittings, instrumentation, and filtration products. Subsequently, in 1996 he joined Edgen Murray.

Throughout his professional career, Mr. Laxton has been involved with a variety of industry related activities. A member of the Louisiana Society of CPAs, he is also a former member of the E. J. Ourso College of Business Department of Accounting's Advisory Board, a former president of the Baton Rouge chapter of the National Association of Purchasing Management, a former officer of the National Association of Accountants in Baton Rouge, and a former member of the American Accounting Association. Additionally, Mr. Laxton has co-authored articles for *Management Accounting* and *Financial Executive* and was recently asked to join the newly forming LSU Department of Finance Advisory Board.

As a community-minded individual, Mr. Laxton has donated his time to serve as chairman and 10 years as a member of the board of directors of Episcopal High School. He has been a national officer of Alpha Tau Omega Social Fraternity, the president of several homeowners' associations, led two Little League Baseball Organizations, coached numerous athletic teams, and is a member of the Boy Scouts' Eagle Scout Review Board.

Mr. Laxton and his wife, Betty, have been married for 39 years and have two sons, David and Drew. They are all LSU graduates.



Reflections

My introduction to LSU occurred on Halloween night, 1958, in Mobile, Alabama. While “trick or treating” with several friends, we stopped at the home of a neighbor, who was an LSU graduate and an ardent fan of the “Fighting Tigers.” He invited us into his home where he, his wife, and several friends were listening to a football game. Not just any game but Ole Miss versus LSU! As I listened to that memorable game and saw the excitement in the room, I was hooked. Some years later as a high school senior, I visited the campus for the first time and once again experienced the excitement of that night in 1958. I felt a sense that anything was possible and knew that LSU was the place for me.

My campus memories are a tale of two eras—first, as an undergraduate in the late 1960s and, later, as a married graduate student in the middle 1970s. My years as an undergraduate reflect the restlessness of the campus in the 1960s. Anti-war protests, women’s rights issues, racial integration, Free Speech Alley, and mind-altering substances found a way to coexist with long-established traditions like fraternities, sororities, dorm life, music, and of course, football. I spent a lot of time absorbing and enjoying this eclectic mix, but never fully appreciated what was happening at the administrative levels of the University. What a seemingly impossible task they faced to accommodate overwhelming cultural shifts right on campus, while working to evolve the University’s role in a rapidly changing world.

Those undergraduate years as a part of the LSU community taught me tolerance and the ability to open my mind in ways that I had never dreamed of. As a history major, experiences in and out of the classroom with such distinguished educators and thinkers as T. Harry Williams and Mark Carleton weaved the role of history as a predictor and reflector of social change directly into what was happening in my personal life at that time. What a ride!

Graduate work in accounting at LSU in the 1970s was a stark contrast to campus life in the 1960s. The restlessness was gone, and the student community seemed much more interested in finding subject majors that would lead to a career. The business school was bursting at the seams, and the number of women in business courses and majors had substantially increased. The number of companies recruiting business students was growing each year.

As a graduate assistant to the Department of Accounting Chairman Vincent “Vince” Brenner, my time was centered on assisting him in his academic research and teaching undergraduate accounting courses—occasionally I got to study! Working with Dr. Brenner, I learned how to allocate time, determine priorities, and meet deadlines. Teaching was a humbling experience and certainly trained me how to handle a sometimes hostile crowd. Most importantly, I learned from Vince that a good sense of humor is a valuable asset—those go on the left as I remember.

Finally, my decision to pursue graduate work in accounting was greatly influenced by my long-time friend and mentor, Herman J. “Monday” Lowe. In addition to all of the professional, civic, and spiritual demands on his time, Monday found the time to teach various courses at LSU. In fact, a course in introductory accounting taught by Monday aroused my interest in business and finance and ultimately my career. It gives me great pleasure to join him in the Hall of Distinction. He always said to me, “You only discover what is possible by attempting the impossible.” My experience at LSU reinforced that initial sense that anything was possible and provided the foundation that built my confidence in each attempt.

Jerry E. Shea Jr.

Jerry Shea is the president of The Bayou Companies Inc., the president of Bayou Coating LLC, and the president of Shea Investments Inc. Acquired by Instiuforn Technologies Inc. in February 2009, The Bayou Companies now represents that organization's energy and mining division, along with United Pipeline Systems and Corpro. Bayou Coating, a subsidiary of Stupp Bros. Inc, provides quality pipe coatings on thousands of miles of pipe and hundreds of pipeline projects for customers in the U.S. and around the world.



A native of New Iberia, Louisiana, Mr. Shea received his bachelor's in petroleum engineering from LSU in 1972, and his MBA from LSU in 1974. He began his professional career with The Bayou Companies after receiving his MBA. In addition to the current positions he holds, Mr. Shea has served previously as president of Bayou Management Services Inc., as general manager of Swanee Natural Gas Corporation, sales manager and vice president of sales for Bayou Pipe Coating Company, vice president of Prime Pipe International, vice president of Commercial Coating Services International, and as vice president of C&L Pipeline Equipment.

Over the course of his career, Mr. Shea has dedicated his time to various professional organizations. From 1980-1987, he served as vice president of Associate Members for the Offshore Pipeline Contractors of America. In 1985, and again in 2000, he was the president of the National Association of Pipe Coating Applicators (NAPCA). Additionally, he served for 10 years as a member of NAPCA's Board of Directors and was inducted into its hall of fame in April 2008.

Aside from sitting on the boards of The Bayou Companies Inc. and Stupp Bros. Inc., Mr. Shea has served on the board of trustees for Dauterive Hospital in New Iberia, on the board of directors of The New Iberia Bank, on the advisory board of Regions Bank of Acadiana, and on the board of directors of the New Iberia Chamber of Commerce.

Currently a member of the LSU Board of Supervisors, Mr. Shea served as chairman in 2007 and 2008. He is a member of the LSU Tiger Athletic Foundation, a charter member of the Top 100 Tigers, a member of the LSU Foundation, and an inductee of the LSU Alumni Association's Hall of Distinction. Additionally, Mr. Shea served as chair of the LSU Alumni Association's Board of Directors throughout 1999 and 2000.

Mr. Shea and his wife, Beverly, who is also an LSU graduate, have been married for 36 years and have two sons, Griffin and Patrick.



Reflections

Having attended a small, parochial, all boys school in New Iberia, Louisiana, my first days at LSU in 1968 were quite a change. It was some adaptation having girls in my classes, but there was never any doubt that LSU was where I would attend college. My parents took me to my first LSU football game in 1956, and I had my sights set on Baton Rouge from then on, though mom wanted me to go to Notre Dame. It did not hurt in the decision-making that my dad and uncle, who represented the second generation of our family business, The Bayou Companies, were both petroleum engineering graduates of LSU and that a scholarship was offered in petroleum engineering.

Petroleum engineering was my major, and I had always dreamed of going into the family business but thought testing the waters of working for a major oil company would be wise. For two summers, Union Oil and Texaco gave me good paying jobs, but after working offshore one summer I knew the family business was where I needed to be. Having made that decision, I started taking business courses as electives with the goal of continuing on to get an MBA, which was accomplished in 1974.

Past professors played a big role in my development, and the names Hawkins, Hise, and Kimble in the petroleum engineering department and Scott, Chisholm, and Davidson in business are remembered vividly. These teachers taught a lot more than what was in their respective course. Campus life, including Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, intramural sports, and working part-time at the Petroleum Engineering Blowout School helped form me into the person I am today. Serving as treasurer of the fraternity with an \$85,000 budget and 100 members, collecting and paying bills, and preparing budgets seem today like running a \$10 million business. The experience just can't be duplicated.

One of my sons once asked me, "Dad, where do you go to find a wife?" My answer was of course, "LSU. That is where I found mom!" LSU provided me with the foundation of my family, Beverly, and provided an educational opportunity for one of my two sons. Overkill on LSU probably sent my oldest son out of state to school!

Opportunity is a word I use often. My belief is that we are offered opportunities in life and that we have the freewill to pick and choose those we wish to pursue and those we pass on. LSU gave me many opportunities and helped prepare me for their pursuit. The education, friends, acquaintances, contacts, and experiences gained through LSU during and after my time spent in Baton Rouge have provided the basis for any success achieved to date.

Beverly and I believe in giving back. Education has always been at the top of our list, with LSU being at the very top. There is no way, no amount of money, or time that can repay what we were given in the form of a total educational experience. Our involvement with the LSU Alumni Association, TAF, the LSU Foundation and, more recently, the LSU Board of Supervisors has reaped many more rewards than the time, talent, and treasure given.

It is a tremendous honor to be inducted into the E. J. Ourso College of Business Hall of Distinction. Success in business does not come through one individual but takes a team effort. I thank my grandfather, my dad, and uncle for giving my brother, my cousin, and me the opportunity to take a group of small oilfield service companies and grow them into the businesses they are today and my mother, Beverly, and my sons for putting up with the amount of time spent away from family chasing my dream.

Never look back. Take the best opportunities presented and run with them. "FOREVER LSU."

Christel C. Slaughter, PhD

Christel Slaughter is a principal in SSA Consultants, a Baton Rouge-based, nationally-recognized management consulting and organizational development firm established in 1970 that has provided services to hundreds of organizations across the U.S. and Canada. Its clients include Fortune 200 publicly-traded, privately-held, not-for-profit, and government organizations.

A native of New Orleans, Louisiana, Ms. Slaughter received her doctorate in systems management and organization design from LSU in 1979. She began her professional career as a faculty member at LSU, where she spent seven years prior to joining SSA in 1983. As a student at LSU, Ms. Slaughter was named to the Academy of Management Doctoral Consortium as one of the top 35 doctoral students in the nation. At the time of her graduation, she had already published 20 articles and cases and had presented her dissertation research at the London School of Economics.

Throughout her career with SSA Consultants, Ms. Slaughter has been instrumental in guiding and implementing strategic direction for hundreds of organizations, regionally and worldwide. Some of her work has included the cultural and organizational transformation of a publicly-traded community bank, designing and implementing an award-winning customer service program for a large healthcare institution, developing and conducting a diversity awareness program for a multi-national chemical plant, and designing integration strategies for the state of Louisiana's multi-billion dollar coastal protection and restoration efforts.

In addition to her professional duties, Ms. Slaughter is the chairman of the Federal Reserve Bank New Orleans Branch Board of Directors, a board member of the Baton Rouge Area Foundation, chairman of Advance Baton Rouge, and a board member of the Pennington Medical Foundation.

In addition to teaching in the LSU Flores MBA Program, Ms. Slaughter is a past chair of the Louisiana Business & Technology Center's Advisory Board, is a member of the Forever LSU campaign, a past-president of the Rotary Club of Baton Rouge, and was a torchbearer for the 1996 Summer Olympic Torch Run. Last year, she was awarded the Brotherhood Sisterhood Award of Greater Baton Rouge.

Ms. Slaughter and her husband, E. J. Ourso College Dean's Advisory Council Member and Louisiana Business Building Oversight Committee Co-Chair Bill, have been married for 27 years and have three sons between them—Will, Michael, and David.



Reflections

There are very few awards that can be more meaningful than to be honored by one's alma mater. I was only 17 years old when I arrived on the Louisiana State University campus, and I was smitten with higher education. The college of business was a haven for me, and my undergraduate years seemed to fly by. When my statistics teacher and future major professor suggested that I enter the PhD program, I was hooked. The faculty roster in the Department of Management in the late 70s read like a list of Who's Who in the field of research into human behavior and organizational dynamics. Megginson, Lesikar, Gray, Harris, Oliva, and Peters were just a few of the superstars who served as presidents of the Academy of Management, Society of Decision Sciences, or were noted authors and researchers in their fields.

I was not only quite young, but I was a female in a world dominated by men. Yet with the contacts and mentoring of the faculty in the marketing and management departments, doors were opened to me and opportunities abounded. I was able to meet and learn from the top professors at Columbia, Harvard, and the Kellogg School. I was given great insight into how the academic, research, and consulting fields could combine so that the organization would become the learning lab for students and faculty and that the research that would take place would benefit the company or industrial sector. Although I was given offers from top universities, due to family reasons, I stayed at LSU as a visiting assistant professor. I was privileged to teach all but one course in the management undergraduate curriculum and many on the graduate level.

In the early 80s I was offered a position "across the street" to do consulting and teaching in a relatively new program called the Governmental Services Institute in Continuing Education. It was there that I was introduced to a dashing young professor named Bill Slaughter, and we all know the rest of that story.

Although I left the University to pursue full-time consulting at SSA Consultants in the early 80s, I continued to work in various capacities to help LSU reach its goal to be a top tier university. I have been honored to serve on three dean selection panels, address a college commencement exercise, and am currently chair of the Swine Palace Productions Board, which has been nationally recognized and is one of the few equity acting programs in a major university setting in the country.

Finally, as I reflect on those who have made a difference in my life, I must thank my parents. My father, who frequently told me that "the only thing people cannot take away from you is your education and your reputation;" my mother, who passed on her love of learning; my wonderful husband, who continues to be a role model and who provides incredible support to me; Will and Betsy, Michael and Holly and their beautiful children, and David, who inspire me everyday to be the best person that I possibly can be.

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Dean's Advisory Council

The Dean's Advisory Council exists to promote and improve the E. J. Ourso College of Business. These accomplished professionals donate their time, talents and resources to support the dean's efforts to enhance the college's substance and image.

The Executive Committee of the Dean's Advisory Council is comprised of the chairs of the five component committees of the council, the dean, and other selected individuals to oversee the administrative functions of the council as a whole.

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