

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

It has been my privilege to serve for three terms as your Oak Brook Village President. Since I was first elected in 2011, my guiding principles have been financial stability, efficiently delivered services, no new taxes, meaningful commercial expansion, accountability, and open decision making. To continue the Village's progress, we need a capable and committed Village President who shares these values.

Having worked with all three of the candidates, I'm most impressed by Larry Herman, JD, CPA, who is an extraordinary civic leader. Larry has proven to me that he has the skills, experience, and vision to be the next Village President.

#### I am proud to endorse Larry Herman as your next Village President.



Village President Gopal Lalmalani, MD, MBA, and Village Trustee/President Pro Tem Larry Herman, JD, CPA

Larry Herman is a Village Trustee and our President Pro Tem, longtime volunteer, a CPA, tax attorney, and financial professional who grew up in Oak Brook. His family's financial services business has been serving the community for decades. He is highly respected for his professionalism, creativity, and results, all designed to protect the financial welfare of his clients.

As Trustee, Larry has proactively revamped our budgeting and accounting processes, and in the process dramatically improved our financial position. He has initiated technology enhancements that have vastly improved our safety and efficiency.

## Larry Herman has accomplished more for Oak Brook in one year as Trustee than others have done in ten years.

The Village of Oak Brook needs a leader and financial professional like Larry Herman, who will roll up his sleeves and work to ensure our financial stability and closely monitor spending. In the interest of preserving Oak Brook's unique quality of life and giving us the best opportunities to prosper in the future, I encourage you to join me in supporting Larry Herman for Oak Brook Village President on April 4, 2023.

Thank you for your support!

Gopal Lalmalani, MD, MBA Oak Brook Village President



Continue our Progress -Vote for Laurence Herman for Village President

### Larry Herman -- Lifelong Leadership That Began in Oak Brook

If elected on April 4, 2023, I will be the first Village President in Oak Brook's history to have been raised in Oak Brook. Over the 53 years that my family has lived in Oak Brook, I have honed my leadership skills from the early days as an Oak Brook elementary school class leader to aspiring to be your next Village Leader.

#### My desire to serve my classmates started at young age:

- Member of the class council in 4th grade at Butler Elementary
- Appointed Head Student Crossing Guard at Brook Forest School in 5th Grade
- Elected Student Council Member by classmates at Butler Junior High School

#### As an undergraduate at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign I held a number of leadership positions:

- President of 130-member fraternity Awarded 'Best President' and 'Best Chapter' nationally in 1982
- Selected in campus-wide election to University of Illinois student government
- Awarded Prestigious "Senior 100 Honorary", recognizing the 100 most outstanding graduating seniors
- Summer camp counselor leading extended wilderness camping trips

#### At Northwestern University School of Law, I was a member of the student government for the Chicago campus

#### After obtaining my law degree and CPA designation, my professional endeavors included:

- Practiced tax law at one of the largest law firms in the country
- Serve as President of Herman Agency, Inc., a national insurance brokerage firm based in Oak Brook.
- Board member and Government Affairs committee member of national trade organization Finseca
- Board member of national insurance marketing organization, Brokerage Resources of America, LLC
- Board member of the Chicago Estate Planning Council
- President of the Greater Chicago Chapter of the Society of Financial Service Professionals

#### As a life-long Village resident, I take great pride in the work I have done for Oak Brook, including:

- Current Village Trustee, President Pro Tem, and liason to the following:
  - Village's Sports Core Advisory, Finance, Economic Development, and Community Enhancement Committees
  - DuPage Managers and Mayors Conference Regulatory Committee
  - Oak Brook Fire and Police Departments, Zoning Board, Planned Development Commission
  - Oak Brook Historical Society and Chamber of Commerce
- Robin Hood Ranch Homeowners Association HOA President
- Oak Brook Fire Department Paid-on Call Firefighter (1978 1982)
- Long-time supporter of Friends of Oak Brook Library, Oak Brook Historical Society, and Graue Mill Foundation

# Thoughout my life, I have been motivated to try to improve the world around me by working cooperatively with my colleagues to accomplish goals that benefit everyone involved. As Village President, I will continue to work hard for the residents and honorably serve the Village as I have served others.

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