

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you today to wholeheartedly endorse Kevin Braby for City Council, Place 4 of The Colony. I have known Kevin since around 2005 and have had the pleasure of collaborating with him on community projects, most notably the founding of "The Colony Christmas Spectacular." Through this experience and many others, I have seen firsthand Kevin's unwavering dedication to our community and his adeptness in leadership roles.

Kevin's 15-year tenure on The Colony Economic Development Corporation board is a testament to his commitment and effectiveness in helping the city grow. He has been instrumental in securing anchor businesses that not only fuel our economy but also make The Colony a more vibrant and desirable place to live. The EDC board's work under his guidance has played a vital role in reducing the burden on residential property taxes, enabling a more balanced and robust financial landscape for our city.

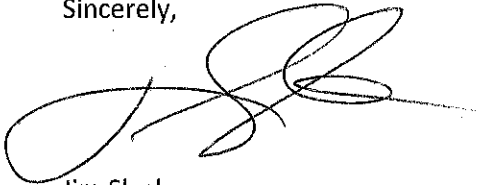
Not only has Kevin demonstrated financial prudence in his roles, but he also cares deeply about making The Colony family-friendly. His push to increase the EDC Business Improvement Grant, to support local businesses in making exterior improvements, exemplifies his commitment to helping both large and small businesses flourish in our community.

Kevin's deep understanding of responsible finance has led to him advocating for lower property tax rates and the introduction of a homestead tax exemption, initiatives that directly benefit The Colony residents. His wide range of experience from budget review to liaising with key city business partners makes him not just a candidate, but the candidate most qualified to take our city from great to exceptional.

In short, Kevin Braby stands for professionalism, dedication, and compassion—all qualities that resonate deeply with those of us who serve the public every day. With his rich experience and conscientious approach to governance, I firmly believe that Kevin will serve The Colony City Council with the same level of commitment and excellence that he has shown in every endeavor.

Please join me in supporting Kevin Braby for City Council, Place 4 of The Colony, so that we can continue to see our great city grow even more exceptional.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim Slack", with a stylized, cursive script.

Jim Slack

Lt. Pct. 4 Constable, Montgomery County, TX

(past – Sgt. The Colony Police)