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(Lubbock) Today, James Arnold, Lubbock Independent School District Trustee for District 4, announced his intention to seek re-election to the Board of Trustees in the May 2010 elections. Arnold, currently vice president of the board, brings many facets of experience to his re-election campaign.

As the father of three children, Arnold is invested in the continued excellence of LISD. James and his wife Kim are the parents of three sons, who attend Murfee Elementary, Evans Middle School, and Monterey High. In announcing his re-election bid Arnold said, “Kim and I have a vested interest in the success of LISD. The community has entrusted their children to us and I am committed to providing a safe and challenging learning environment. I am proud of the progress we’ve made in the last year and excited about our future under the leadership of Dr. Garza.”

James brings financial expertise to the Board with his experience in banking and asset management. Currently, he is an executive vice-president at Lubbock National Bank. Prior to his employment with LNB, Arnold was employed by Covenant Health System. He has also served the Texas Tech University System as an assistant vice chancellor to then chancellor, John Montford.

Arnold received his undergraduate degree in business administration from the University of Texas at Austin and his masters from Texas Tech. He is also a graduate from the Stonier Graduate School of Banking at Georgetown University. He has served on numerous community boards such as the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra and the Ronald McDonald House. Arnold coaches youth basketball and is a member of Rotary International and Westminster Presbyterian Church.