

Name

Don Peden Brown, Jr., I go by Don Brown.

How long have you lived in or owned property in the District?

My wife Karen and I moved to Louisville in 1994.

What do you consider important needs of the District?

The Louisville Fire Protection District has served our community since 1885. It's roots are woven throughout our history and our people. The District is facing challenges as our entire metropolitan area grows:

- Completing the transition from a volunteer to a professional staff,
- Implementing modern financial, administrative, and other systems,
- Maintaining the tradition of providing excellent fire protection services, and
- Navigating the changing regional landscape of how fire protection districts are organized and managed while ensuring continued focus on Louisville.

I am prepared to use my experience to work with the citizens, district leadership, and fire professionals to address these issues.

What attributes do you have that will make you a good Board Member?

I have served our community since moving to Louisville in 1995. I have served on the Louisville Tree Board, the Board of Adjustments, and the Louisville City Council from 2000 to 2007, acting as Mayor ProTem from 2005 through 2007. I was the Denver Regional Council of Governments representative from Louisville for 5 years.

I have served on the boards for the Imagine! Foundation, Imagine!, YMCA, Via Mobility Services, the After-prom Committee, and the Centaurus Home Run Club.

I am an attorney. I started, managed and sold a mortgage technology business that eventually was sold to a Nasdaq listed company.

What would you like to accomplish as a Board Member?

My goal is to learn the currently operational cadence and capabilities of the District, assess opportunities for improvement and work with my fellow board members to ensure that the District continues to provide the best possible service to our community while maintaining efficient and effective financial and management practices.

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