Michael S. Alfred Attorney

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BACKGROUND:

Lived in Tarrant County since 2003, residing in Fort Worth and Arlington for over 10 years, and then living in Colleyville since 2016. Born in Borger, Texas and is a Fifth Generation Texan. Scholarship baseball player at Blinn Junior College in Brenham, Texas from 1990-91. Graduated from University of Texas at Austin in 1995.



PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE & QUALIFICATIONS:

Graduated cum laude from Southern Methodist University School of Law in 2000. Law clerk from 2000-2001 for the Honorable John H. McBryde, United States District Court, Northern District of Texas, Fort Worth Division.

From 2001 to 2004, was an associate attorney in Dallas office for Thompson & Knight, LLP. From 2004 to 2019, was an associate and then partner for Hallett & Perrin, PC, specializing in large, complex business cases. In January 2023, started his own law firm, VerisLaw, PLLC, which has offices in Colleyville and Austin, Texas.

Texas Super Lawer Since 2020. In 2011, was a Texas Super Lawyers – Rising Star. Designated by Martindale-Hubbel as BV Distinguished and Peer Review Rated for having the highest ethical standards.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

Tarrant Appraisal District Board Member – 2024-2025

Board Member for Tarrant County Bar Association, Construction Division 2025 Attends both Legacy Church of Christ in North Richland Hills and The Hills Church in Keller, Texas. Actively involved with youth sports in Colleyville since 2017. Was a candidate in the May 2024 election for Place 2 on the Board of Trustees for the Grapevine Colleyville Independent School District.

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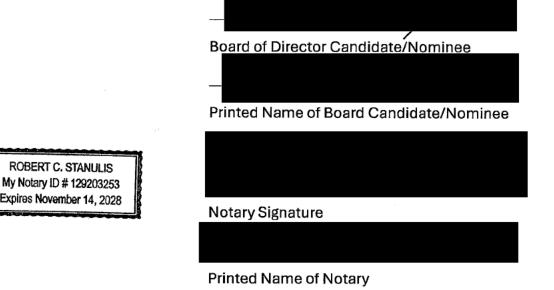
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Wendy Burgess - Executive Bio

Wendy Burgess is a transformational executive leader with over 25 years of progressive experience spanning public service, private enterprise, and information technology. She is currently serving as a consultant for an Executive Services Company, performing an audit for an appraisal district in the region. She most recently served as the elected Tax Assessor-Collector for Tarrant County, Texas, overseeing \$6.5 billion in annual collections and leading a staff of 215 across eight offices. Wendy has also built and sold successful businesses, including a multi-location auto repair enterprise and an IT and government services company with \$15M in revenue. With deep expertise in fiscal management, public trust leadership, and strategic innovation, Wendy brings a unique blend of operational excellence and

visionary thinking. She is almost complete with her Master's in Organizational Leadership and is actively pursuing executive roles in government, civic tech, and mission-driven enterprises.

Career Highlights

Board Member

Term: 1/1/19- 12/31/25

- 7-year member of Tarrant Appraisal District Board of Directors, 6 years as ex officio member as Tarrant Tax Assessor-Collector. In 2024, I was proudly nominated and elected to the Board by the taxing entities for a term that runs until December 31, 2025. I hope to serve the municipalities, school districts, hospital districts, special districts, and water districts as the subject matter expert in this field.
- Elected Tax Assessor-Collector, Tarrant County, TX Oversaw \$6.5B in collections on behalf of 86 entities, led 215 staff, implemented technology reforms to benefit the entities, and managed \$19M budget.
- Co-Owner & Managing Partner, Innovative Services & Solutions Scaled IT firm to \$15 M+ revenue, held Top Secret Clearance, led all operations.
- City Council Member, Mansfield, TX Two-term public servant, achieved AAA bond rating, and chaired strategic planning committees.
- Entrepreneur Founded, built, and sold a successful auto repair business focused on customer service and community leadership.

Core Competencies

- Strategic Leadership & Vision
- Government Relations & Public Finance
- Organizational Transformation

- Civic Engagement & Legislative Affairs
- Revenue Optimization & Risk Oversight
- Technology Integration & Innovation
- Entrepreneurship & Business Operations
- Team Building & Talent Development

Education

- Master of Organizational Leadership (Expected Completion Fall 2025), University of Maine at Presque Isle
- Bachelor of Liberal Studies (B.L.S.), Summa Cum Laude

Triple Minor: Management, Business Administration, Project Management, University of Maine at Presque Isle

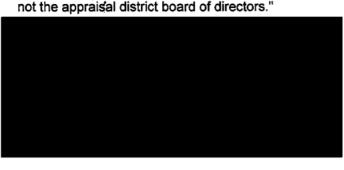
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EXPERIENCE

DRIVER ENGINEER-PARAMEDIC, DALLAS FIRE RESCUE, CITY OF DALLAS 2007-PRESENT

Provide the citizens of Dallas with emergency medicine and emergency response for calls placed to 911. Fast acting and decisive decision making in emergency situations. Adaptable to changing conditions as they arise. Teamwork required to troubleshoot and resolve issues.

SUPERVISOR, BROWARD COUNTY SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT DIVISION. 2005-2007

Responsible for supervision of staff of 5. Four case analysts and administrative assistant responsible for overseeing a caseload of approx. 500 child support cases from inception to court ordered enforcement. Development of policies to achieve stated collection goals. Communication amongst various departments to ensure success. Responsible for development of department wide communications to external stakeholders to continue operational success.

ADMINISTRATOR III, MIAMI-DADE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE. 2002-2005

Employment began as entry level Case Analyst progressively gaining responsibility and promoting to mid-level management of the Child Support Enforcement Division. Responsibilities included personnel evaluation of 5-unit supervisors overseeing a staff of approximately 80 employees. Subject matter expert of the division at state level meetings for software development of statewide system for intake and enforcement activities. Development of in office payment system to meet collection goals.

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF ARTS, UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH-GREENSBURG

Major: Administration of Justice. Graduation April 2000

EMERGENCY MEDICINE, EL CENTRO-DALLAS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Course work: Emergency Medicine leading to Paramedic License in the State of Texas. 2008

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

THE PARKS AT WILLOW RIDGE HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION.

2022-2024, 2025-PRESENT

Board member served in role of Treasurer and President. Re-elected after a year away to focus on family

FORT WORTH CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION DISTRICT-EMERGING PARTNERS.

2023-PRESENT

Appointed position to advisory board to Fort Worth City Council. Evaluate effective crime reduction strategies from strategic partners and award city dollars from a limited pool of available funds.

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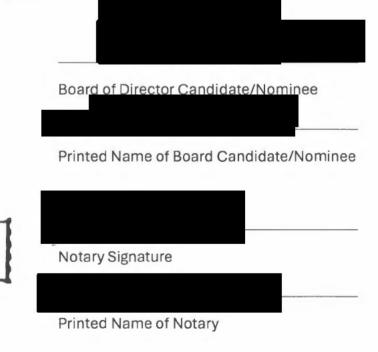
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Experience:

• Tarrant County Appraisal Review Board (TARB), Member (January 2019 – March 2021). Served as a full board member, conduct protest hearing between Tarrant Appraisal District (TAD) and property owners including residential, commercial and business personal property and Mineral accounts.

• Flood Control Engineer, Trinity Watershed Management, City of Dallas.

• Executive Engineer, Progressive Manufacturing Department, Hino Motors Limited, Pakistan.

Program Engineer, Army vehicle project for United Nations.

• Lecturer, Visiting Faculty Member, Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering Department, N.E.D. UET.

Education:

• **ME, Mechanical Engineering** (Specialization in Manufacturing Engineering); (2005) N.E.D. University of Engineering & Technology.

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Residence:

- Colleyville, TX 2013 ~ Present
- Fort Worth, TX 2009 ~ 2013
- Bedford, TX 2007 ~ 2009

Professional Association:

- Member, American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), West Texas Division, since 2012.
- Member, Society of American Engineers (SAE) International, Since 2012.

Colleyville Community Volunteer Experience:

Planning & Zoning Commission / Capital Improvement Advisory Committee (Sept 2019 ~ Present).

Metroport Teen Court Advisory Board (Nov 2017 ~ Present).

- Architectural Review Commission (Feb 2018 ~ Nov 2020, Commission dissolved by Colleyville City Council)
- Zoning Board of Adjustment / Sign Board of Appeals (Oct 2018 ~ Oct 2019).

Personal Information:

Born in Pakistan, migrated to United States in 2007 and proudly became US Citizen in 2011. My husband of 18 years, New York native Dr. Adnan Syed, who is a Clinical Pharmacist, he moved to Texas in 2005. Our two children, 11 years old Son Senan Syed and 9 years old daughter Safa Syed are enrolled in Grapevine Colleyville ISD.

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