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Northwest ISD Announces Tim McClure as District Architect Planner

At the October 12 Northwest ISD school board meeting, Tim McClure was named as the district's new architect planner.

"It is my distinct pleasure to recommend Mr. Tim McClure, said Superintendent Karen G. Rue, Ed.D. "He will be quite an addition to our staff having worked with our district in the role of a parent and community member. He's familiar with Northwest ISD and will bring a great deal of talent to the position."

McClure will manage facility planning, development and operations for Northwest ISD. He is responsible for the district's construction and capital improvement program, demographic projects, site selection/acquisition, architectural/engineering coordination and construction activities. He will oversee the departments of maintenance and operations, energy management and environmental compliance.

"I am excited to be able to serve the school district and the community that my family and I call home," said Architect Planner Tim McClure. "I look forward to an exciting future as our community grows and Northwest ISD continues to provide the best in education and facilities."

McClure has more than 20 years of experience in construction and architecture from educational to commercial/retail and industrial to residential. Currently he is a Principal and Director at Huckabee & Associates where he is responsible for staff and client development, bond planning and project planning. He has a background in architecture, construction, long range planning and budgeting for many of the school districts in Region XI. He has assisted in providing architectural and planning services for many North Texas school districts including Eagle Mountain Saginaw, Fort Worth, Grapevine-Colleyville, Keller and Little Elm ISD. McClure is no stranger to NISD having assisted with many projects like the Northwest ISD Stadium Complex, J. Lyndal Hughes Elementary School, Sonny and Allegra Nance Elementary School and Northwest High School. He has successfully led many efforts toward bond planning through his knowledge and understanding of aging facilities, current needs, growth patterns, a school district's vision and ultimately the fiscal burden of the tax payer.

"I am passionate about impacting the learning environment," said McClure. "I know Northwest ISD has a desire to provide premier facilities and support systems that enhance a positive learning environment and foster community and student pride. I share the same goal, and I truly want to make a difference in the learning environment of Northwest ISD by providing our students with spaces and facilities that not only support the curriculum, but that also prepare our graduates for their futures. I am happy to be serving a district and a community that aligns with that belief."

McClure has a bachelor's of science in kinesiology from the University of North Texas and a master's of architecture from the University of Texas at Arlington. In addition to his time with Huckabee & Associates, he has also served in leadership roles for local architectural firms C.M. Architecture, P.A., and SHW Group (now Stantec.) McClure is affiliated with the American Institute of Architects, Texas Society of Architects, National Council of Architectural Registration Boards and the Council of Educational Facility Planners International.

As a resident of Newark, Mr. McClure is active in the Northwest ISD community. His children attend Seven Hills Elementary School and Chisholm Trail Middle School. He serves as a member of the Watch D.O.G.S. and is an industry partner with the Academy of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics students. He has additionally served on the Northwest ISD Communities for Education and the NISD Long Range Planning Committee.

Mr. McClure will begin transitioning into his new position within the next week.

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