Six generations of Northcutt's have been Central Texans, Ward Northcutt chose to reside in Bastrop County in the 90s and has lived in the city of Bastrop since 2000. He wants to be your Mayor and personal representative while providing much needed leadership to Bastrop City Council.

Retired veteran Police Lieutenant, Master Police Officer, Licensed Police Instructor, Certified Crime Prevention Specialist, Investigator, with 32 years of service to the State of Texas. He has been a member of Law Enforcement Organizations such as The Texas Police Officer Association, Texas and The Texas Crime Prevention Officers Association, He has served other political candidates seeking state and local offices.

Mr. Northcutt has served as a leader in his local church in positions of boys Sunday school teacher, youth leader, Awana Commander, yoke fellow, and deacon. He is a member of Bastrop Seniors and is a past eagle scout, scout master, and order of the arrow scout association. He and his wife provide a major annual Christmas lights display for Bastropians. If all politics are actually local then both your and his involvement in our local representative government is essential. Mr. Northcutt's simple family oriented conservative and flexible attitude have led him to become more informed and involved in Bastrop city issues .

The only time Mr. Northcutt has lived away from Bastrop occurred as a result of the wild fire of 2011 when every other family on his block lost their homes and utilities infrastructure was devastated. He says he was blessed that his home survived and was able to be remodeled. Mr. Northcutt is a proud member of Texas Baptist Men who go statewide to serve those suddenly struck with such disasters. As your Mayor Mr. Northcutt says he pledges to always have your back as he knows that it is Truly a blessing to live in this great caring city so he would appreciate the honor of your vote for mayor.

## Top 3 priorities:

1. Mr. Northcutt feels the city needs to move forward in a positive proactive problem resolution-oriented posture. He believes with his leadership what has been a city government focused on taking reactive stances to growth and development might move in a better direction.

2. He wants to focus on city infrastructure improvements.
3. He wants to help to form a government which is more responsive and well-listened to its citizens.
Collaboration with city manager: