



# Intent to Run for TASC State Office

<b>School</b>	Hardin-Jefferson High School
<b>Position Sought</b>	Vice-President
<b>Advisor's Name</b> (person who will serve on the Board if elected to office)	Kristi West
<b>School Address</b>	3155 TX- 326
<b>School City, State, Zip</b>	Sour Lake, TX 77625
<b>Advisor's School Email</b>	kristiwest@hjisd.net
<b>Advisor's School Phone</b> (Ensure that cell phone is listed on advisor profile on website.)	(409)981-6430 Ext. 3130
<b>Principal's Name</b>	Patrick Brown
<b>Student Representative</b> (Student who will serve on Board if school is elected to office)	Maggi Gallaspy
<b>Platform:</b> What is your issue, and <u>what are you proposing that TASC as an association or TASC member schools do to address this?</u> (Please see TASC guidelines if there is a cost to this platform.)	Hardin- Jefferson High School wants to inform students and families across the state of Texas, our country and the world about the opioid epidemic. By telling a former HJ student and college football player's story and publishing videos of other drug abuse and overdose cases in schools, we will educate students and start a discussion with the curriculum we will make to send out with the videos per month, for a year.

**Qualifications of school, advisor, and student representative:** Please attach the school resume (see form) to this intent to run. (Do not include personal contact information such as cell phone, home address, etc.)

**Advisor, principal and student must initial each item below.**

Advisor KW  
Principal PB  
Student MG

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC State Steering Committee in June.

Advisor KW  
Principal PB  
Student MG

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC July Board Meeting.

Advisor KW  
Principal PB  
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We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC November Board Meeting.

Advisor KW  
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We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC Annual Conference in April.

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We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be responsible for some expenses related to optional travel (i.e. travel to NASC Conference).

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We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be encouraged to attend the NASC Conference. (TASC will pay registration, pre-trip activities and hotel for student representative.)

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We understand, if elected, our school will be responsible for presenting information at the Advisors Workshop, the Middle Level Annual Conference, and the HS Annual Conference.

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We understand all TASC officer schools (to include the advisor and student representative) are expected to support and attend TASC activities including Summer Leadership Workshop, and Advanced Workshops as well as District events.

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We have read and understand the specific responsibilities of the office in which we are running.

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If elected, we agree to serve the full term of our office.

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\*Please note that the school runs for the office. One student representative and one advisor are named by the school per office to sit on the Board. At the written request of the school, those representatives may be changed at any time. The TASC Board of Directors may remove a student or an advisor for a violation of TASC policy. A school may be removed from office by the TASC Board of Directors for failure to fulfill duties of office.

Principal's Signature *Janich Brown*

Advisor's Signature *Christi West*

Student's Signature *Nassi Galbraith*

\*If student representative has not been selected by the time of initial filing, please resubmit form with student's initials and signature by date of final Officer Candidate Filing. If the student representative changes, resubmit the form as soon as possible.

Date Submitted 11/4/19

\*This form is not complete without a letter of intent to run for office and the school resume.

\*Please submit this form with your letter of intent to run for office and your school resume.

## Candidate School's Resume

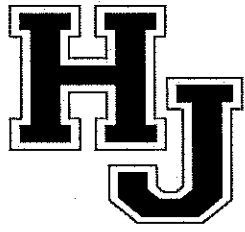
**School Name: Hardin- Jefferson High School**

**Candidate for which office: Vice President**

<b>School's Qualifications</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
1. Did your school earn Sweepstakes	Yes	Yes	Yes
2. Did your school earn Outstanding Student Council	Yes	Yes	Yes
3. Did your school Pride and Patriotism recognition	Yes	Yes	Yes
4. Did your school earn Energy and Environment recognition	Yes	Yes	Yes
5. Did your school earn Community Service recognition	Yes	Yes	Yes
6. Did your school earn Top 10 Projects recognition	Yes	Yes	No
7. Did your school earn Top 10 Video recognition	Yes	Yes	No
Did your school attend Lakeview/Mo Ranch TASC Advanced Leadership Workshop?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did your school attend the TASC HS Annual Conference?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did your school attend a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Has your school held a TASC district office?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Has your school hosted a TASC district conference?	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Year	Year	Year
Has your school ever served as a TASC state officer school? Please list the 3 most recent years served. Yes	2016-2017	2011-2012	2006-2007
Has your school ever served as the TASC HS Annual Conference coordinator school? Yes	2008-2009		
<b>Advisor's Qualifications</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
Did advisor attend the TASC Advisors' Workshop	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did advisor present at the TASC Advisors' Workshop	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did advisor attend Lakeview/Mo Ranch TASC Advanced Leadership Workshop	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did advisor attend the TASC HS Annual Conference	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did advisor addend a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did advisor serve on staff at a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop	Yes	Yes	Yes
Has the school held a TASC district office under this advisor?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Has the school hosted a TASC district conference under this advisor?	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Student Representative's Qualifications</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
Did the student attend Lakeview/Mo Ranch TASC Advanced Workshop	Yes	No	No
Did the student attend the TASC HS Annual Conference	Yes	No	No
Was the student a Table Talk Presenter at the TASC HS Annual Conference	Yes	No	No
Did the student attend a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did the student serve as a JC at a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop?	No	No	No
Has the student held a TASC district office	Yes	No	No
Has the student held an officer position in student council	Yes	Yes	Yes

Additional Comments: List (This can be any additional information you wish to share regarding qualifications, experience, etc.

Hardin- Jefferson High School has held many district and state offices over the years including: District President, TASC State President and Conference Coordinator. Mrs. West has also served as a TASC elected board member for three years and has directed Summer Workshops and Advanced Workshops over the years. Maggi Gallaspy, student body president, is currently serving as District 17 President, has spoken at a TASSP region meeting, attended multiple summer workshops and state convention. Our council as a whole is passionate about the state project we want to run with, and their creativity and responsibility will help us be successful if chosen as state vice president.



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To TASC Director and Vice-President Central High School,

We, Hardin-Jefferson High School, are submitting this letter of intent with passion to run for State Vice-President. Our overwhelming drive to share our platform, *One Pill Can Kill*, with not just students and staff members, but with citizens around the world is what has steered us in this direction of office. We believe that with our past successes in District and State positions that we are well prepared to take on the tasks handled on the board and within our school. We have earned multiple consecutive Sweepstakes and Outstanding Student Council awards under the direction of Mrs. Kristi West, and are currently holding the position of District 17 President. With the experiences of our advisor, Mrs. West, our student representative Maggi Gallaspy and our council as a whole, we feel that together we can put forth the work ethic and desire to succeed in order to have a successful year in the Texas Association of Student Council.

Within the last two years, there's no doubt our community has been struck by tragedy, but nothing hit home quite like the death of former HJ student and Rice Football player, Blain Padgett. That day began like every other Friday. It was the same monotonous schedule we had followed all year filled with: classes, lunch and the excitement that the weekend was coming and that spring break was right around the corner, but by that afternoon, every soul that walked the halls at HJ was changed in some way. What was ruled as an accidental overdose turned into a homicide case. Blain took what he thought was a basic painkiller, when in reality it was laced with carfentanil, a drug so strong it is used as an elephant tranquilizer. It was an awful, unfair death, and we want to start the conversation about drug awareness, not just about knowing what one is taking, but making sure it is prescribed to he/she, so that we can lessen the amount of drug-related deaths and affected loved ones who'd have to grieve the way Blain's family, friends and our community did.

***One Pill Can Kill, But It Doesn't Have To.***

Sincerely,

Maggi Gallaspy  
Student Representative

Kristi West  
Student Council Advisor

Patrick Brown  
Principal