

# Scott Jeffery Adams

*Place on Ballot: 3*

**Spouse's name:** Kelly Adams

**Children:** Harris Adams age 7 &  
Hollis Jenkins age 14

**Occupation:** I am a Branch Manager for  
a local Bank.

**Subdivision:** Mill Ridge Estates

**Years lived within CFISD:**

Approximately 10 years



*Each candidate was asked to submit responses to the following questions. Their written responses are printed below.*

**Why did you choose to live in CFISD?** We really liked the area and the CyFair school district.

**Community organizations in which you participate:** I participate in the local area chambers.

**Describe your involvement in CFISD (i.e. PTO, district-level committees):** I am on the Bleyl CPOC committee

**Considering your skills and talents, what positive contribution would you make as a member of the Board of Trustees?** As a banker, I have experience in finance and a fiscal perspective that gives me the ability to understand the detailed and complex financial aspects that are challenging the district today. More than ever, the district has to make wise budgetary and financial planning decisions. My back ground and experience in banking will help me add a positive and educated perspective to these important discussions.

**In your opinion, what are the responsibilities of the Board of Trustees?** A board member is a single vote in a team of people that make up the board of trustees. This team acts collectively as a single unit by using the experience and talents of all its parts. Each member adds their talents and direction to produce a single decision. A board member is responsible serving the children of the district by understanding the issues at hand, keeping an open mind to all solutions available and serving the people of the school district by attending all board events. In addition, a board member has a keen responsibility to the tax payers of the district to be a good steward of the public funds provided to the district.

**In your opinion, what critical challenges face the district, and what is necessary to address those issues?** I believe the most pressing issue today is fiscal. There are many budget stresses today that are causing the district to cut or withdraw some services. These are hard decisions, but necessary at this time. I believe it is more important than ever that the board is laser focused on fiscal planning and making the most of every dollar.

**What challenges face the public education system of Texas?** Budget challenges are at the top of the list. Keeping up with the needs of the children while maintaining good stewardship of public funds is one of the most pressing issues of the public education system. It is a balancing act and it will take very creative people to accomplish these tasks of providing the teachers with what they need, compensating teachers adequately and providing the facilities and services necessary for effective learning. Making the most of what we have is paramount.