

## HUFFINES FRONT LINEMAN

# JC Hughes

**M**r. Hughes is the Senior Project Manager for the Huffines Communities on Highway 380. He is responsible for the continued development and amenity construction in the Providence Village and Savannah neighborhoods. Mr. Hughes brings extensive knowledge and proficiency to his position. Mr. Hughes' goal is to facilitate teamwork with the local cities, the homeowners associations and residents to create and maintain active service in leisure-based communities that everyone is proud to call home.

With an extensive background in city government, Mr. Hughes has served as an Assistant City Manager for the city of Marshall, Texas for 18 years. He was one of the co-founders of the celebrated Marshall Wonder Land of Lights, a seasonal light display that draws tourist from around the state.

A native Texan, JC Hughes was born in Beaumont and raised in Marshall, Texas. He was active in his high school through sports and student council. He married his High School sweetheart, Beverly. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes have one son Jake who is now 23 and a student at UTA. They had originally planned to raise their son in Marshall, where they both grew up but the city of Nacogdoches was in need of a City Manager. Mr. Hughes jokingly stated, "I had to learn to spell Nacogdoches when I got there!" After five and a half years, Mr. Hughes took an early retirement to get out of the political scene. While helping out the city of Little Elm on a temporary basis during a budget season, Mr. Hughes found himself unintendedly back in politics and

City Manager once again. He remained City Manager for three years. During his time in Little Elm, the population grew from 9,000 to 18,000. He contributes that to Little Elm's central location and proximity to Lake Lewisville.

In March 2006, Mr. Hughes came to Savannah and Providence Village with the experience as a City Manager for three cities over the past 25 years. In addition, he has held a real estate license and previously worked in the private sector for 10 years. Other neighborhood developments recognize Savannah and Providence Village as leaders in the industry. Mr. Hughes is excited about his role and he is passionate about working to improve the quality of life in these communities. His easy going style and open mindedness are fundamental to the success in both neighborhoods. When 380Guide asked Mr. Hughes about his vision for Savannah and Providence Village he replied, "Both communities eventually becoming their own entities and controlling their own destinies. It is expected that Savannah and Providence Village will become excellent examples of how Master Planned Communities should evolve."

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