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Occupation

Attorney Licensed 1972
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Education

Abilene Independent School District-1-12
Graduated Abilene High School May 1965
Texas Tech University- B.B.A. August 1969
Texas Tech University School of Law-J.D. May 1972 (20th in the class)
Law Review and Moot Court

Personal Data

Born in Abilene, Texas on July 3, 1947
Parents George Edward & Marietta Council Chase
Brother Eddie Chase, C.E. & R.P.S. Abilene, Texas
Grandparents Dr. Muton T. Council and Dr. Rilla Hull Council
Early Abilene- Doctors of Chiropractic & Naturopathic Medicine
Married Linda Lea Patterson of Abilene on July 29, 1967

Children

Daughter - Heather Brooke & husband MAJ (P) James Joseph Bailey
Grandchildren: Laurel Nicole Bailey & Leann Elise Bailey
Son - Hunter Bryan & wife Amanda D. (Clements)
Grandchild - Stone Patterson Chase

Hobbies

Quail Hunting, Fishing, Sailing
Baseball

ACTIVITIES, AWARDS & HONORS

Abilene Association of Independent Business Owners -AAIBO
Member/Officer - 2003- present

American Cancer Society-Taylor County Unit

Board of Directors 1974-81
Taylor County Crusade Chairman 1975 (raised record total)
Vice President-1977-78, 1978-79
Executive Board 1975-79
Chairman 1981-First Annual Memorial Golf Tournament

American Cancer Society - Texas division

District Crusade Representative 1976-77

Abilene Emery Chapter of American Institute of Parliamentarians

Charter member 1980-81

Abilene Independent School District

Facility Planning Committee 1994
AHS Alumni Committee -1987

Abilene Preservation League

Board of Directors
Grace Cultural Center-Steering Committee Member- 1992

Abilene Youth Sports Authority

Officer and Board of Directors 2003 to current

American Red Cross

Fund Raising Campaign Board - 1978

Abilene Reporter News

Reader's Choice Award
Best Attorney July 2001 and 2006

Boys Club of Abilene

Candy Sale Award 1974
Board of Directors 1975-83
Secretary 1977
Second VP 1978-79
First VP 1979-80
Executive Board 1977-79

Chamber of Commerce of Abilene

Member since 1976 to present
Legislative Affairs Committee 1980-81
Small Business Council Committee 1980-81
Legislative Committee 1989
Abilene Conventions and Visitors Council
Board of Directors March 1979 to Feb 1982, 1986
Leadership Abilene

Graduate 1981
Steering Committee Member 1982-83
Education Program Director 1982-83

City of Abilene

Long Range Community Needs Planning Committee 11/90-3/91
Appointed by the City Council of Abilene - Gary McCaleb, Mayor
Development Corporation of Abilene - 1989
Co-Chairman Organizational Articles & By Laws committee
(1st City in Texas to approve 2 cent sales tax and organize Development Corp.)
Outstanding Young Abilenian Nominee 1984

City Council of Abilene Place 1

2004-2009

Crime Stoppers - Texas

Appointment by the Governor of the State of Texas
Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council 1987-90
1 of 5 Statewide- appointed to 2 terms by Gov. William P. Clements
Crime Stoppers - Board Member Abilene Chapter 1990-91

Ft. Phantom Lake Association

President - 2002-2005
Board of Directors

Fraternities

Sigma Chi Fraternity (Epsilon Nu Chapter at Texas Tech)
Member since 1966 (Vice President, Pledge Trainer)
Life Loyal Sig # 21,419
Lubbock Alumni Chapter-President & Vice President 1970-72
Director Housing Corporation 1972-76

Delta Theta Phi Law Fraternity of Texas Tech Law School

Inducted 1970

Interact of Abilene

Founder and Charter member 1979-present
Board of Directors & Executive Board 1980-81, 1988-89
President 1990

JAYCEES-

United States Junior Chamber Of Commerce (JAYCEES)

Local Chapter

Joined Abilene Texas Chapter 1972
Abilene Chapter-Abilene Jaycees Distinguished Service Award 1977-78, 1978-79
Abilene Chapter-Director of the Quarter March, April 1978
Abilene Chapter-Director of the Month Award March, April & May 1978; April 1979
Abilene Chapter- Man of the Month Award March 1976
Outstanding Board Member Award 1976-77
Abilene Chapter- Key Man Award - 1975-76

Director for the Governmental Affairs Committee to Promote Americanism
State Award for Best Project 1975

Member 1972 to 1987

Board of Directors Abilene Chapter 1973-79

Chapter won Sweepstakes Award 5 out of 6 years

Honorary Life Member of the Abilene Jaycees 1983

Texas Junior Chamber Of Commerce

State Chapter

Texas Jaycee -Jake Award (Texas JC highest award)for Outstanding Appointed Officer
1979-81

Texas Presidential Award of Honor 1978-79

Texas Jaycees - Award of Appreciation Area 1 1978-79

Texas Jaycees- District Director 1978-79

U.S. Jaycees-National Award of Excellence A50 Member@-
National Convention Atlantic City 1977-78

Texas Legal Counsel 1979-80 & 1980-81

Texas Jaycees Outstanding Recruiter Award (over 50 Members) 1977-78

Jaycees International Senator Award # 32,808 March 1982

Texas Jaycee AJake@ Award for Regional Director 1982-83 &

Nomination for National Dunigan Award

Texas Jaycee Statesman Award 1981-92

Texas Jaycees - 300 Club Member 1981-83

Texas Jaycees - ACT Team & Training Chairman 1981-82

Texas Jaycee-State Officer Recruitment Award as Regional Director 1981-82

Texas Jaycee-Jake Award 1981-82 & Nominee for National Dunigan Award

Texas Jaycees-Regional Director 1981-82, 1982-83

Texas Jaycees - Life Membership - 1984

President of the TEXAS- State Organization 1983-84 (May to May)

U.S. Jaycees - Clayton Frost Memorial Award 1984-Top 5 U.S. Presidents

U.S. Jaycees - Parade of States-First every month 1983-84

U.S. Jaycees - Allen Whitfield Memorial Award 1984

U.S. Jaycee Incentive Award-@What it takes to be #1" By Vince Lombardi-1984

U.S. Jaycee - Outstanding President of the Month for the U.S.

May-June, July, August, October & November 1983, April 1984

U.S. Jaycees - Outstanding OVERALL State President in the U.S. for the Month Award

May-June 1983, August 1983, January and April 1984

U.S. Jaycees President=s Team 1983-84

Texas Jaycees - Chairman of the Board 1984-85

U.S. Jaycees- Hours of Power Speaker 1986 & 1990

U.S. Jaycees- Member Recruiter Hall of Fame #53 June 15, 1987

Numerous other awards, certificates, and plaques from other chapters, cities and states in
appreciation for service in the Jaycees

U.S. Jaycees

Hall of Fame – June 1987

Hall of Leadership - January 2000

Texas Jaycees Foundation

Board of Directors &Board Chairman 1988-89

USJC Foundation
Board of Trustees
Board of Directors 1990-96
Vice Chairman

John Ben Shepperd Public Leadership Forum/Institute
@ University of Texas Permian Basin
Founder - 1984
Governing Board/Advisory Council Chairman 1985-1999
Chairman Emeritus 2000 to present

Kiwanis Club- Big Country Chapter
Charter Member, Director, Vice President & President Elect 1973-75

Outstanding Young Men of America
1975 & 1984

Pastoral Care and Counseling Center
Board of Directors 1984-89
Development Committee 1984

Sports

YMCA Baseball Coach- T-Ball Under 6 Division
Big Country Soccer Association- Coach Under 8 Girls division
BCSA-Assistant Coach Under 14 Girls Division- 1985 (Season #1 & #1-Fall
Tournament) Led team to 2nd Place in North Texas Championships
Assistant Coach-1986
Head Coach -Under 16 division-Spring 1987

Key City Little League Organization
Executive Board 1984-87
Secretary 1984-86
Manager -1987, 1988
All Star Coach 1988

Abilene Junior/Senior League
Board Member
Manager 1989-91
All Star Coach

Texas Tech Alumni Association - State division
District Representative 1975-76, 1978-79
Association member 1979-to present

Texas Tech Alumni Association - Abilene Chapter
Secretary 1974-75
President 1975-76
Vice President 2003

Texas Tech Red Raider Football Team

Head Equipment Manager (Scholarship) for football Team 1965-69
Football Letterman 1967-68, 1968-69

Texas Tech Chancellor's Council

Member 2003-2005, 2008

United Way

Campaign Volunteer 1973-78
Chairman Lawyers Division 1980-81 (raised record high)

Who's Who Historical Society

Who's Who in Texas 1985-86

YMCA

Team Captain for Membership Drive 1978-79
Tribe Scroll Keeper & Chief for the Indian Princess Program 1978-80

Professional Organizations

Abilene Young Lawyers Association

Board of Directors 1973-74
Liaison to Volunteer Services for Abilene State School
President 1978-79
Award of Achievement 1978-79 from Texas & the American Bar
Association for outstanding activities & accomplishments
Outstanding Young Lawyer of Abilene Award 1984

Abilene Bar Association

Member 1972-present
Board of Directors 1980-81
Committee Chairman-Eastland Court of Appeals -Location Legislation
Advisor-Judicial Selection Committee to Taylor County Republican Party
Law Day Chairman 1988, 1989

Texas Young Lawyers Association

State Board of Directors (1 of 30 statewide) 1979-80, 1980-81
Public Relations Committee 1972
Legislative Committee & Civil Legal Services Commission 1972-73
Chairman Long Range Planning Committee 1979-80
Committee Member 1980-81
Nominations Committee 1979-80
By Laws Committee 1979-80
Chairman 1980-81

Texas Bar Foundation -

Life Fellow - 2003 to present