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# Republican Party Endorses Salsbury To Lead Central's Police Department



Former Central Police Chief James Salsbury at funeral of fallen officer in July 2016

## Ex-Chief Promises to Respect Constitution, Patrol Neighborhoods, Restore Confidence

**CENTRAL** — The Republican Party of East Baton Rouge Parish has endorsed former Central Police Chief James Salsbury to win his old job back in the election on Tuesday, Nov. 8. Salsbury faces the current chief, Roger Corcoran, in a rematch of the election four years ago.

The GOP said Corcoran showed during Covid a disdain for the Constitution and allowed himself to be used by liberal Democratic Gov. John Bel Edwards to implement illegal and unconstitutional mandates of the governor. Among these was the arrest of a pastor for the nonexistent crime of holding church services. The party said, "The Louisiana Supreme Court has ruled that everything Corcoran did to the church and the pastor was illegal and unconstitutional. By arresting a pastor for holding church, the chief violated the First Amendment as has no other law enforcement officer in American history."

Salsbury pledged to reverse a number of Corcoran's unconstitutional actions. Chief Salsbury said never again will the Central Police Department be used to close a church or arrest a pastor for holding church services nor will he allow the surveillance of church members. Salsbury promised his department will protect the constitutional rights of all Central's citizens.

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## Republicans Endorse 21 Candidates

**BATON ROUGE** — After reviewing questionnaires from the candidates and conducting interviews, the Republican Party of East Baton Rouge Parish has announced its endorsements for the Nov. 8 election. The following descriptions were provided by the Republican Party:

- **John Kennedy**, U. S. Senate - After only one term, Sen. Kennedy has become a lion of the Senate. He is a powerful voice and can be

counted on to protect traditional values, the free enterprise system, the border, and the national defense and to oppose with humor and grace every manner of insanity offered by the left.

- **Garret Graves**, Congress - A strong voice for Louisiana and conservative values, he is headed for leadership positions in Congress.

- **Hunter Greene**, Circuit Court of Appeal -

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## GOP Endorsements for Council



Councilman-at-Large  
Aaron McKinney



Councilman-at-Large  
Josh Roy



Councilman • District 2  
J. D. Lavergne



Councilman • District 5  
Briton Myer

**CENTRAL** — Central has a seven-member City Council. All seven will be chosen Nov. 8. Two members are elected citywide, and five from single-member districts. Councilman-at-Large Aaron McKinney is running for reelection, while district Councilman Josh Roy is running for the other at-large seat. They are op-

posed by Donnie Fuslier. Two district Council members — D'Anne Wells and Tim Lazaro — were elected without opposition. Councilman Briton Myer is opposed by Vanda Mannino. Dr. Kim Fralick and Perry Whitney are running for an open seat, as are Ray Ashford and J. D. Lavergne. Fuslier and Fralick are Independents.

## Attorney Steve Myers Is Republican Choice As Next District Judge

**BATON ROUGE** -

The Republican Party of East Baton Rouge Parish has endorsed Steve Myers for District Judge in the Nov. 8 election. This is the judgeship formerly held by Judge Richard Anderson. The election district includes Central and Zachary. In recent voting, it has leaned narrowly to the Democratic side but is still considered winnable by Republicans. Myers is a staunch conservative.



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for District Judge

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