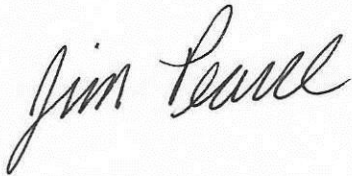


It has been an honor and a privilege to have served on the Ruston City Council for the past twenty-four years. I have had the honor of serving with Mayor Dan Hollingsworth for sixteen years and serving with Mayor Ronny Walker for the past eight years. This has been a rewarding experience working together with them and with other City Council members to make Ruston a great city. Thank you to the citizens of Ward 4 who have given me the opportunity to be your representative for these past twenty-four years. So many have offered words of encouragement and written notes, which I will always cherish. Ruston is my hometown, and I will continue to work to keep our community great, but I will not seek reelection for another term.

Thank you again for the opportunity to serve on the Ruston City Council.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Pearce". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Jim Pearce