

SERVANT LEADERSHIP - BEGINNING 1964 (60 years)

- Served on 45 community, youth, church, political, state/national organizations.
- Provided leadership as President / Chair of 16 organization.

<u>ORGINIZATION</u>	<u>COMMITTEE</u>	<u>PRESIDENT / CHAIR</u>
• University	1	
• Eastman	5	X
* City: (BMA)	1	X 8 yrs.
* Planning	1	
* Greenbelt	3	X 23 yrs.
* Riverfront development	1	X
* Carousel	1	X
* PETWORKS	3	X 11 yrs.
* Church	3	X
* Youth / Scouts	3	X
* YMCA /Aquatics Ctr.	2	X
* Chamber of Commerce	2	X
* Keep Am. Beautiful	1	X
* Fun Fest	1	
* !st. Tn Development	1	
* Netherland Inn	1	
* Recycling	1	X 5 yrs.
* Neighborhood Assns.	2	X
* Kiwanis	3	X
* NAPCOR nat. recycling assn.	6	X
* Am. Plastic Council	3	X
	<u>45</u>	<u>16</u>

TOM PARHAM FOR PROGRESS
KINGSPORT ALDERMAN & VICE MAYOR
MAY 2024

- + Native of Kingsport
- + Grew up attending local schools, DB graduate
 - Summer work on farm, Mason-Dixon and construction, beginning at age 12
- + ETSU Degree in Finance, Economics, and Business
 - Worked full time at grocery store paying all education and living expenses
- + MBA graduate work at UT, Emory University, ETSU, and Eastman Executive Training
- + Eastman retired with 36 years service :
 - Treasurers and Administration
 - Public Relations & Communications
 - Polymers Business Organization
- + **Responsible for Eastman & regional recycling programs**
- + Married to Martha Matherly Parham, D B & U T graduate and high school teacher
- + Three children, three grand children and a great-grand daughter
- + Community leadership service:
 - **Kingsport Alderman 8 years & former Vice Mayor ***
 - Church - Broad St. United Methodist:
 - Chairman of Administration Board
 - Finance Committee Chairman
 - Youth - Boy Scouts:
 - Warriors Path, District Chairman
 - Sequoyah Council, Executive Board
 - YMCA, President
 - Kingsport Youth Soccer Association, President
 - Other (Community Services)
 - Kingsport Chamber of Commerce:
 - o Board of Directors

- **Chairman, Chamber, Clean Kingsport Committee**
 - **Keep America Beautiful awarded Kingsport with Nations Best Program and Eastman with Industries Best Recycling Program in America.**
 - * **Eastman's CEO was awarded Environmental Executive of the year.**
- **Kingsport Fun Fest, Executive Committee**
- **President, Kingsport Sheltered Workshop**
- **Netherland Inn, Steering Committee**
- **Appointed to TN Recycling Council by Governor McWherter**
- **President, YMCA**
- **President, Rotherwood Hills Association**
- **President, Crown Colony Homeowners Association**
- **Kingsport Neighborhood Homeowners Council, VP**
- **Kiwanis Club of Kingsport, Board of Directors, Secretary,**
- **Chairman, Kingsport Riverwalk Committee (8 years)**
- **1st TN Development District, Board Member**
- **Kingsport Planning Commission**

+ **Chairman, Kingsport Greenbelt Committee (21 years)**

- **Led implementation & funding of the initial 8 mile trail**
- **BMA noted Parham's leadership critical to projects implementation**

+ **President, PETWORKS, Regional Animal Services (11 years)**

- **Responsible for reorganization, planning & construction of regional center**

+ **National/Professional Leadership Service:**

- **NAPCOR (National Association of PET Container Resources)**
 - **Board of Directors**
 - **Executive Committee**
 - **Chair, Public Affairs**
 - **Chair, Legislative Affairs**
 - **Canadian Affairs Council**
 - **Strategic Planning Committee**
- **Originated & implemented "Good Sports Always Recycle" program**
- **American Plastics Council**
 - **Chairman, PET Council**
 - **National Issues Task Force**
 - **Board of Directors, Keep America Beautiful**
- **Canadian Plastics Council**