

**Windermere Oaks Water Supply Corporation**  
**2023 Board of Director Candidate Information**  
Candidate names are listed in alphabetical order

**Board Position #1**

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| Joe Gimenez  | Water System Member Since: 2014 |
| <p><b>Previous Committee/Community Involvement/Director, etc. Experience:</b><br/> President, Windermere Oaks Water Supply Corp, 2019-2023<br/> President, Windermere Oaks Property Owners Assoc. 2020<br/> Treasurer, Windermere Oaks Property Owners Assoc. 2016-2019<br/> President, Lake Hills Community Assoc. 2008-2012<br/> Treasurer, Lake Hills Community Assoc. 2006 -2008</p> <p><b>Professional Experience:</b><br/> Joe Gimenez is advisor and counselor to multi-billion dollar pension funds, Fortune 100 software and hardware companies, healthcare and energy companies From 2009-2014. Gimenez provided marketing services to the Worldwide Utilities division (water, electricity, gas) of Microsoft Corporation, as example.</p> <p><b>Education:</b><br/> Masters, George Mason University, International Transactions<br/> Bachelors, Southwestern University (Georgetown, TX), History &amp; English<br/> Graduate, Strake Jesuit College Preparatory</p> <p><b>Personal Statement:</b><br/> As President of WOWSC for past four years, I have worked to keep rates as low as possible despite unfounded legal challenges against myself and the company. Rates will be lowered. I and fellow Board members MIKE NELSON and RICH SCHAEFER prevailed in WOWSC's \$450,000 case against the Insurance Company for its failure to pay legal fees they should have (pending appeal). We have delivered safe, adequate water to you through 2019 purchase of generator that kept water running during 2021 winter storm. We gained \$14,000 from LCRA for conversation project now saving \$9,000 per year. Vote for Joe!</p> |                                 |

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| Jeff Walker   | Water System Member Since: 2020 |
| <p><b>Previous Committee/Community Involvement/Director, etc. Experience:</b><br/> Trusted member of the community. Has knowledge of the workings of the board, and areas to improve. Forward thinking, to avoid issues.</p> <p><b>Professional Experience:</b><br/> Project Mgr – Manage million dollar construction projects</p> <p><b>Education:</b><br/> PMI Certified<br/> Private Pilot<br/> EAA President<br/> Western Illinois University – BB</p> <p><b>Personal Statement:</b> The right member for the Board</p> |                                 |

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| Lawrence Ffrench   | Water System Member Since: 2017 |
| <p><b>Previous Committee/Community Involvement/Director, etc. Experience:</b><br/> Tennis Village Board Member and Member on the Spicewood Airport</p> <p><b>Professional Experience:</b><br/> Consultant and US Army Helicopter Pilot</p> <p><b>Education:</b><br/> Graduate – Texas A&amp;M</p> <p><b>Personal Statement:</b><br/> I would like to serve the ratepayers and members of the water utility and put the needs the ratepayers and members first. If elected I will bring 100% transparency to the corporation members.</p> |                                 |

**Board Position #3**

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| Michael Nelson   | Water System Member Since: November 2016 |
| <p><b>Previous Committee/Community Involvement/Director, etc. Experience:</b><br/> WOWSC Director since May 2018</p> <p><b>Experience:</b> WOWSC Vice President March 2022 – present<br/> WOWSC Treasurer and Secretary May 2018 – March 2022<br/> WOWSC legal subcommittee for the majority of time since May 2018</p> <p><b>Professional Experience:</b> Semiconductor Process Technology Engineer<br/> I have worked in the semiconductor industry for most of my career. My skills &amp; experience include working closely with different teams, managing teams, budgets, projects, interfacing with various organizations inside &amp; outside of semiconductor companies, problem solving, designing, &amp; creating &amp; driving solutions.</p> <p><b>Education:</b><br/> BS Electrical Engineering</p> <p><b>Personal Statement:</b><br/> I'd like to use my knowledge &amp; skills to help generate solutions for existing challenges &amp; positively serve our community.</p> <p>WOWSC improvements made while on the Board include new water tank, back-up generator, zebra mussels mitigation (ongoing), water conservation projects at the WTP and WWTP, flowmeters, Ridge Harbor Interconnection, online billing and payment, &amp; loan refinance with CoBank</p> <p>I would like to help our community have continued access to clean, safe water, &amp; help provide continuity &amp; assist with completion of projects: new clarifier, irrigation fields expansion, &amp; completion of costly litigation against our community owned water company.</p> |  |