

Anna Eastman

Former District I Trustee, Houston Independent School District

Anna Eastman is a twenty year resident of the Houston Heights. She recently retired from serving two four year terms as District I Trustee on the Houston Independent School District Board of Trustees. During her time on the board Anna served in multiple leadership capacities most notably, Board President and Chair of the Audit Committee. She currently serves on Holocaust Museum Houston's Board of Advisors, Teach for America's Houston Region Board, Breakthrough Houston Advisory Board and Houston Grand Opera's education and community outreach committee, HGOco. In 2002, Anna co-founded the 11 ½ Street Foundation which recognized outstanding veteran teachers and awards college scholarships to at risk children who have graduated from Heights and Northside High Schools. She received the 2012 GLBT Caucus Eleanor Tinsley Distinguished Community Ally Award, was the 2015 Ally Grand Marshall for Houston Pride, and the National Association for Social Workers 2016 State Elected Official of the Year. Anna is deeply committed to ensuring every child has access to opportunities so that they may live rich and deeply fulfilling lives. Anna and her husband Brad have three children. All of the Eastmans have a deep love of the outdoors and the arts.