

JERRY FOLSE BIO

I've been president of the Pelican Point Board of Directors since November of 2015. I grew up on the west bank of the river in St. James Parish, graduated from St. James High School, and earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Education from Nicholls State University in Thibodaux. After teaching for six years, I went to work in industry, where I worked in operations for Shell Pipeline, and in Human Resources and Safety for LaJet, Inc. and Agrico Chemical. When Freeport McMoRan bought Agrico, I was moved to its Corporate Office in New Orleans. I accepted an early retirement package from Freeport in 2000, and a week later, accepted a position in Human Resources for the Shaw Group in Baton Rouge, where I advanced to the level of Sr. Director of Human Resources .

In 2007, my wife, Julie and I moved to Ascension Parish and opened Folse Seafood and Louisiana Specialty Products. A year later we moved to Pelican Point. Today, we own and operate a part time catering business called Folse Cajun Country Catering. LLC.

I enjoy cooking, travel, fishing and spending time my wife of 48 years, our two sons and our six grandchildren. I enjoy interacting with people and appreciate the many friends I've made since moving to Pelican Point.