

# Clarence Prevost

## *Manufacturing Extension Agent*

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## Background

- Native of Texas
- Prairie View A&M University of Texas, BS; Oklahoma City University, MBA
- Electrical Controls Supervisor, Corning Glass
- Electrical Maintenance Manager, Process Engineer and Project Manager, Mobil Chemical Company
- School Board Member
- Retired U.S. Navy 23 years

Clarence works directly with manufacturing companies providing needs assessment and team-based consulting on process improvement, finance, marketing, supply chain, workforce development and other operational issues in central Oklahoma. With more than 30 years experience in manufacturing, commerce, government contracting and career technology, Jannetta has developed a sharp eye for how businesses get bound by inefficiencies and slowed growth—and how they can recover and become more strategically focused and successful organizations.

Before joining the Manufacturing Alliance, Clarence worked as an electrical maintenance manager at Corning Glass Company where he was instrumental in keeping up the operations and continuous improvements to the operations and production equipment. He later joined Mobil Chemical Company's Films division where he held several positions, include maintenance manager and project-process engineer where he developed and maintained the plant's production equipment while expanding equipment capabilities. His knowledge of predictive, preventive, failure analysis and planned maintenance procedures was instrumental in reducing the plant's downtime. Clarence has worked hands-on for more than 20 years in the manufacturing sector. He has an extensive knowledge of how the manufacturing sector operates and has kept pace with those trends that drive manufacturing improvements, including Lean transformations, Innovative Engineering, and export assistance ... just to name a few.

Clarence has lived in Oklahoma for 29 years and is actively involved in the community. He coordinates the local Seminole-Wewoka Manufacturing Council and serves as the Sasakwa school board clerk. He is a Women In Agriculture Incorporated board member, and founder / president of a non-profit ministry for youth. Also, he is coach and mentor for local high school, along with a qualified health and fitness and martial arts instructor for youth and senior citizens. Clarence is a retired naval officer and pastor of Community Baptist Church.

## Notable Clients

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| ■ Shawnee Mills    | ■ Enviro- Systems | ■ Expanded Metals |
| ■ Mills Machine    | ■ TMCo            | ■ Bluewave Boats  |
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