

City of Rockwall
BOARDS and COMMISSIONS

The following information is a brief summary of the City of Rockwall's current Boards and Commissions. In addition to these Boards and Commissions, the City Council may appoint short-term committees for special purposes. All appointees to the City's boards and commissions must be residents of the City of Rockwall, and must also be a registered voter. All appointments are made at the discretion of the Rockwall City Council. For additional information regarding the City's Boards and Commissions, please contact the City Secretary's Office at (972) 771-7700 or email at: kashberry@rockwall.com

Architectural Review Board

This Board serves as an advisory board to the Planning and Zoning Commission and reviews and makes recommendations on development proposals in the Scenic Overlay District. The board consists of seven members who serve for two year staggered terms.

Correspondence for the Architectural Review Board may be addressed to the Community Development Department, 385 S. Goliad Street, Rockwall, Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7745.

Board of Adjustments

The purpose of this board is to hear and review appeals of persons affected by any decision of the Zoning Administrator. The Board will have the authority to reverse or affirm the Zoning Administrator's decision, or to impose reasonable conditions on the applicant. The Board also determines and sets forth a fee schedule for these appeals, with approval of the City Council. The Board consists of five members appointed for two-year terms.

Correspondence for the Board of Adjustment may be addressed to the Building Inspections Department, 385 S. Goliad Street, Rockwall, Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7709.

Parks and Recreation Board

This Board adopts and sets by-laws and establishes policies and procedures for proper administration of the parks and recreation program of the city subject to the approval of City Council. This board also serves to encourage and facilitate establishment and maintenance of recreational facilities and programs, as well as, acquisition of new areas for parks and recreation programs or expansion and improvement of current programs and facilities. This board consists of seven members appointed for two-year rotating terms.

Correspondence to the Parks & Recreation Board may be addressed to the Parks & Recreation Department, 108 E. Washington Street, Rockwall, Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7761.

Planning & Zoning Commission

This Commission is responsible for making plans and acting as a zoning commission. It is comprised of seven members for a term of two years on a rotating basis. The commission recommends boundaries of various districts and regulations to be enforced therein and hears, recommends, and determines any matters relating to zoning, planning or subdivision control.

Correspondence for the Planning & Zoning Commission may be addressed to the Community Development Department, 385 S. Goliad Street, Rockwall Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7745.

Building and Standards Committee

Consisting of 5 members, the Building and Standards Committee reviews disputes and make subsequent recommendations to the City Council in regard to the Property Maintenance Code.

Correspondence for the Building and Standards Committee may be addressed to the Building Inspections / Code Enforcement Department, 385 S. Goliad Street, Rockwall Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7708

Historic Preservation Advisory Board

This Board helps the City protect, enhance, and perpetuate the historically significant areas and landmarks within the City of Rockwall.

Correspondence for the Historic Preservation Advisory Board may be addressed to the Community Development Department, 385 S. Goliad Street, Rockwall Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7745

Rockwall Economic Development Corporation (REDC)

Comprised of 5 board members, and 5 ex-officio members, this board was established to promote and develop commercial, industrial, and manufacturing enterprises in Rockwall as a result of the ½ cent sales tax passed in November 1995.

Correspondence to the Rockwall Economic Development Corporation may be addressed to P.O. Box 968, Rockwall, Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 772-0025, Fax: (972) 771-8828

Animal Adoption Center / Shelter Advisory Committee

Consisting of 7 members, the purpose of the Animal Adoption Center / Shelter Advisory Committee is to assist the City of Rockwall with compliance of the requirements of the state law pertaining to animal shelters, Texas State Health & Safety Code, 823.005.

Correspondence for the Animal Adoption Center / Shelter Advisory Committee may be addressed to the Animal Services Department, 1825 Airport Road, Rockwall Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7750