

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 addition information regarding the City's Boards and Commissions, please contact the City Secretary's Office at (972) 771-7700 or email at: kcole@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 Administrators 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, improvement of current programs and facilities. This board consists of seven members appointment 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 five 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 / Neighborhood Improvement Services Department, 385 S. Goliad Street, Rockwall, Texas 75087.

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 five 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 seven 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, 385 S. Goliad, Rockwall, Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 771-7750

Airport Advisory Board

Consisting of seven members, the purpose of the Airport Advisory Board is to provide recommendations to the City of Rockwall regarding strategic planning, economic development opportunities, marketing the airport and its services to new customers, how to build partnerships with all stakeholders for a successful airport, and any other direction from the City Council.

Board members should be representatives of the community, including citizens interested in airport-related business and/or aviation. Meetings will be held at least on a quarterly or on an 'as needed basis' as determined by the Chair, the City Manager's appointed staff liaison, or by direction from the City Council.

Correspondence for the Airport Advisory Board may be addressed to the Internal Operations Department, 385 S. Goliad, Rockwall, Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 772-6408

Main Street Advisory Board

Comprised of seven advisory board members, the purpose of the board is to provide recommendations to the city council. The Rockwall Main Street Advisory Board works to create an inviting, historic downtown district that serves as a center for recreational, economic and cultural activity. The successful program utilizes the National Trust Main Street Center's Four Point Approach, a national revitalization movement currently in place in more than 2,000 communities across the country.

Correspondence for the Airport Advisory Board may be addressed to the Administration Department, 385 S. Goliad, Rockwall, Texas 75087. Telephone: (972) 772-6400