

CITY OF ROCKPORT
2751 State Highway 35 Bypass
Rockport, TX 78382
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**APPLICATION FOR
BOARD OR COMMISSION APPOINTMENT**

Check area of Interest:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Keep Rockport Beautiful Advisory Board (<i>suspended</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> Park and Leisure Services Advisory Board |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Planning and Zoning Commission | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tree & Landscaping Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> YMCA Development Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rockport Heritage District Board (<i>suspended</i>) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Zoning Board of Adjustment/Building Standards Commission | |

Name: _____ Age (Optional): _____
Home Address: _____ Ward No: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____
Business Address: _____
E-mail Address: _____
Resident of City for _____ years Voter Registration No. _____
Occupation: _____
Education: _____
Special Knowledge or Experience Applicable to City Board or Commission Function: (*attach additional information if needed*)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Banking/Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Development |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building/Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Promotion/Marketing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate/Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing/Industrial Operations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Law/Contract Administration |

Other Information (civic activities, etc.) _____

I have attended one or more meetings of the board or commission for which I have applied:

- Yes** **No**

Date: _____ Signature: _____

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO THE CITY SECRETARY'S OFFICE

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE FURNISHED IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED

Email to: citysec@cityofrockport.com

ACTIVE BOARDS/COMMISSIONS

Keep Rockport Beautiful Advisory Board (SUSPENDED) – Pursuant to Home Rule Charter, City Council established this advisory board in 2003. The board consists of 11 members, with 3 year overlapping terms, and members must be qualified voters residing within the City. Purpose is to determine goals for city beautification and develop long range plans and programs. Meetings are held at 5:00 pm on the 1st Tuesday of the month.

Parks and Leisure Services Advisory Board – An Advisory Board to the City Council. Board serves as an advocacy group on all Parks and Leisure Services matters, i.e. develops and implements funding strategies, planning and development of the capital improvement plans, assist in development of programs and events sponsored by the Parks & Leisure Services Department. Board consists of 7 members that serve 3 year overlapping terms and meet monthly on the 4th Monday at 6:00 pm.

Planning and Zoning Commission – This commission was established in Article X of the Home Rule Charter. It consists of 7 members with overlapping 3 year terms that meet on a monthly basis. Purpose is to review all current and proposed ordinances and amendments pertaining to planning and zoning and make recommendations to the City Council for action to be taken.

Rockport Heritage District Board (SUSPENDED) – This committee was adopted by Ordinance No. 1574. It shall consist of 5 members who will be tasked with establishing standards for preservation, redevelopment and new construction of buildings within the Rockport Heritage District. The 5 shall have at least 1 for the following categories: 1) Historic Preservations Representative, 2) development or construction industry representative, 3) Rockport community representative, 4) Heritage District resident representative, 5) Heritage District business owner representative.

Tree & Landscaping Committee – This committee was adopted by Ordinance No. 1239 in 2003. It shall consist of 3 qualified voters in the City of Rockport, 1 member from the Planning & Zoning Commission, 1 member from the Parks & Leisure Services Board and 1 City official. Members shall serve 3 year overlapping terms.

Zoning Board of Adjustment/Building & Standards Commission – The Zoning Board of Adjustment was adopted by Ordinance No. 1512. The Building & Standards Commission was adopted by Ordinance No. 1508. Resolution No. 1010-19 combined the two and designated the Zoning Board of Adjustment to serve as the Building & Standards Commission. The Zoning Board of Adjustment was established to grant special exceptions when provided by the Zoning Ordinance and hear appeals to decisions of the administrative officials. The Building & Standards Commission is a quasi-judicial board which is charged with hearing & making determination as to substandard or dangerous conditions of buildings and structures within the bounds of the law created by the City Council under authority granted by Local Government Code Chapter 54, Subchapter C.