

*Mayor Appointments
Boards and Commissions
September 20, 2022*





Bastrop Economic Development Corporation

Appointments: Terms end 2024

Place 2: **Charles Washington Jr** (Pecan Park)

- Retired from IRS

Place 4: **Richard Smarzik** (Downtown)

- Business Owner on Main Street, Extensive IT background focused on point of sale

Place 6: **Jeff Haladyna** (Downtown)

- Reappointment

NOTE: BEDC terms are two years by State statute





Bastrop Housing Authority

Appointments: Term ends 2024

Place 2: **Christina Campbell** (Pecan Park)

- Reappointment

Place 4: **Cynthia Hellesvig** (Downtown)

- Reappointment

Place 6: **Phil Woods** (ETJ)

- Serves as Chair
- Represents Bastrop on Texas Housing Board
- Reappointment

***NOTE:** Housing Authority terms are two years per Federal Regs*





Construction Standards Board

Appointments: Term ends 2024

Place 1: **Michael Osborn** (Hunters Crossing)

➤ Reappointment

Place 4: **Chase McDonald** (Downtown)

➤ Reappointment





Cultural Arts Commission

Appointments: Term ends 2025

Place 5: **Amy Bailey** (ETJ)

➤ Reappointment

Place 6: **Kaye Sapikas** (Downtown)

➤ Reappointment

Place 7: **Nicole DeGuzman** (ETJ)

➤ Reappointment



Diversity Equity and Inclusion

Place 1: **Pastor Arthur Banks** (Pecan Park)

- Air Force, Previous Housing Authority Chair

Place 2: **Carly Bartee** (Downtown)

- Employee at Children's Advocacy Center, Volunteers at Bastrop Opera House

Place 3: **Aimee Cook** (Hunters Crossing)

- Research specialist, previous small business owner in Bastrop

Place 4: **Sheila Lowe** (Piney Creek Bend)

- Non-Profit Executive Director, Past Director of Housing Authority

Place 5: **George Martinez** (ETJ)

- Electrical Engineer, EMT, ESD#2 President

Place 6: **Jennie Olsen McEwan** (Downtown)

- Small Business Owner, previous Bastrop Food Pantry Volunteer Coordinator

Place 7: **Anthony Vasquez** (Downtown)

- High Tech Industry, Born and raised in Bastrop

NOTE: Draw places to stagger terms at first Board Meeting





Ethics Board

Appointments: Terms end 2024

Place 2: **Barbara Caldwell** (ETJ)

- Reappointment

Place 4: **Sumai Lokumbe** (Downtown)

- Business Owner
- Engaged and respected citizen

Alternate: **Bob Long** (ETJ)

- Reappointment





Fairview Cemetery Advisory Board

Appointments: Term ends 2025

Place 5: **Bryan Whitten** (Downtown)

➤ Reappointment

Place 6: **Cheryl Long** (Downtown)

➤ Reappointment





Historic Landmark Commission

Appointments: Terms End 2025

Place 2: **Pablo Serna** (Downtown)

➤ Reappointment

Place 6: **Janean Whitten** (Downtown)

➤ Reappointment

NOTE: Planning & Zoning Commission to fill place 5 per ordinance





Hunters Crossing LGC

Appointments: Term Ends 2025

Place 3: Rick Womble (ETJ)

- Business Owner in Hunters Crossing
- Reappointment





Library Board



Appointments: Terms end 2025

Place 2: **Jennifer Leisure**(Pecan Park)

- Reappointment
- Retired teacher

Place 3: **Lisa Gossett** (Riverside Grove)

- Active volunteer for Library and BC Food Pantry

Place 6: **Sally Keinarth**(ETJ)

- Reappointment
- Retired public school library volunteer





Main Street Advisory Board

Appointments: Terms end in 2025

Place 2: **Ann Marie Schindler** (Downtown)

- Recommended by Main Street Board

Place 3: **Steph Lewis** (ETJ)

- Reappointment
- Appointed to unexpired term last year

Place 7: **Rhonda Gannon** (Downtown)

- Reappointment





Parks Board

- No terms expire in 2022 – no appointments



Planning & Zoning Commission

Appointments: Terms end 2025 unless noted

Place 1: **Judah Ross** (Downtown)

- Reappointment
- Appointed in May to place formerly held by Council Member Lee

Place 2: **Ishmael Harris** (Riverside Grove)

- Reappointment

Place 4: **Scott Long** (Hunters Crossing)

- Reappointment
- Appointed to unexpired term last year

Place 8: **Kristi Koch** (Downtown) Unexpired term 2023

- Retired Architect with Land Development (A&M)
- Appointment to unexpired term – term ends 2023





Zoning Board of Adjustments

Appointment: Term Ends 2024

Place 2 : **Scot Robichard** (Piney Ridge)

➤ Reappointment

Place 4: **Jeff Haladyna** (Downtown)

➤ Reappointment

NOTE: Zoning Board of Adjustment terms are two years



Council Liaisons - 2022/2023

- Mayor Schroeder – BEDC and Diversity, Equity & Inclusion
- Mayor Pro Tem Rogers – Historic Landmark (HC LGC Board Member)
- Council Member Plunkett – Cemetery
- Council Member Crouch – Main Street & Construction Standards
- Council Member Kirkland – Parks & Cultural Arts
- Council Member Lee – Planning and Zoning & Library

➤ Boards that are inappropriate for Council Liaison

- Ethics
- Zoning Board of Adjustments
- Housing Authority



Confirmation

Appointments to City Boards are among the most consequential responsibilities of the Mayor. I appreciate Council for being a part of the interview process. I have spent additional time reviewing applications and visiting with citizens prior to making my appointments.

38 Appointments presented:

34% New to serving on a Board

47% Downtown, 29% Other than Downtown, 24% ETJ

47% Male, 53% Female

I respectfully request City Council confirm these appointments

