

City Council Ethics Policy Acknowledgment Form

By signing this acknowledgment form, I, the undersigned City Council member, affirm that I have received, read, and understood the Ethics Policy as outlined for the City Council. I commit to adhering to the ethical principles and standards of conduct set forth in the policy during my term in office.

I understand that the purpose of this Ethics Policy is to ensure that all public decisions made by elected officials are carried out with integrity, impartiality, and transparency, in compliance with local, state, and federal laws. Additionally, I acknowledge my duty to serve the best interests of all citizens of Tomball and uphold the highest ethical standards, as described in the policy.

By signing this form, I confirm that I will:

1. Uphold honesty and integrity in all decisions and actions.
2. Act in the best interests of the public, ensuring fair and just decision-making.
3. Avoid bias, favoritism, and conflicts of interest.
4. Make decisions in open meetings, disclosing and handling any actions from executive sessions publicly when appropriate.
5. Comply with all standards of conduct, including rules related to gifts, the use of confidential information, outside activities, and the use of City property.
6. Abide by the provisions regarding conflicts of interest, including the disclosure of substantial interests and recusal from decisions where applicable.

Signed:

Name: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

This acknowledgment confirms my commitment to these ethical standards throughout my service on the City Council.