

Rosenberg Insider

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LCISD Gains Additional Officers



In times like these, being prepared for any event and keeping our children safe is our first priority.



-Lt. Daryl Segura
School Resource Officer Division

Safety Remains First Priority for LCISD

The LCISD School Board approved the addition of six new School Resource Officers (SROs). Two of the new SROs will start in August, while the other four officers being added to the division will come over as spots are filled in the patrol and criminal investigation divisions.

The School Board also approved ten new vehicles for the SRO division to replace the aging fleet and outfit the new officers with their vehicles.

On July 7th, SRO Stephen Clarke was promoted as the second Sergeant of the School Resource Division, which will enable the SRO officers to have supervisors readily available to assist the SROs with any issues that may arise and may need immediate attention.

The SROs will be attending their annual active shooting training (Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training: ALERRT) in August. The division was ALICE (Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, Evade) trained in June and will be training the LCISD staff and administration in this active shooter response.

LCISD returns to school on August 27th and the School Resource Division looks forward to another safe and successful year for the students, staff, and officers.



Our Government

The City of Rosenberg operates in a Council-Manager form of government in which the City Council sets the policy and overall direction for the City, and appoints a professional City Manager and other key officials to oversee operations.

City Council

Mayor:	William T. Benton
At Large 1:	Jacob E. Balderas
At Large 2:	Amanda J. Barta
District 1:	Isaac Davila
District 2:	Steven M. DeGregorio
District 3:	Lisa M. Wallingford
District 4:	Richard Olson

City Manager

John Maresh

Meetings

City Council meets regularly in public session the first, third, and fourth Tuesday of each month. Check the website for times, agendas, etc. Council meetings may also be viewed live on Comcast 16 or at:

www.rosenbergtx.gov/TV

CHECK IT OUT...

Visit rosenbergtx.gov/visitors/gallery to view photos from our most recent events and share/tag yourself on social media.

Mission Statement

To anticipate community needs and deliver exceptional service; and to cultivate an enhanced quality of life through leadership, innovation, and cooperative partnerships.

COME WORK WITH US



2018-2019 Committees

ANIMAL CONTROL SHELTER ADVISORY BOARD

Municipal Official: Councilors Jacob Balderas and Steven DeGregorio
Members: Dr. Alejandro Aguirre, DVM, Carolyn Seiler, Laura Knizner, Claudine Vass, Lorene Lindsey, Danna Psencik, Cynthia Wessely, Rudy (Rodolfo) Cuellar
Staff support: Animal Control Representative

BUILDING AND STANDARDS BOARD

Members: Cowboy Bill (Citizen At Large), Robert P. Duran (Contractor), Phillip Grudziecki (Master Plumber), Harold Ron Howell (HVAC licensed); Devin Koeppen (Utility Representative), and Walter Urbish, Jr. (Master Electrician)
Staff support: Building Official

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS COMMITTEE

Municipal Official: Councilors Richard Olson, Lisa Wallingford, Amanda Barta
Members: City Manager, Assistant City Manager, and Human Resources Director

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE

Municipal Official: Mayor William Benton, Councilors Jacob Balderas, and Amanda Barta
Staff support: City Manager and Assistant City Manager

FIREFIGHTERS' PENSION BOARD

Board Members/Trustees: Mario Chapa, Darrell Himly, Charles Lindemann, Roy Mercer, Allen J. Scopel, and Nancy Talasek

FORT BEND SUBSIDENCE DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE

City Representative: Benny Wleczyk

GREATER FORT BEND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

Council Board Director: Mayor Pro Tem Amanda Barta - Representative

HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL (H-GAC)

Mayor William Benton, Representative, and Mayor Pro Tem Amanda Barta, Alternate

IMAGE COMMITTEE

Municipal Official: Mayor William Benton and Councilor Jacob Balderas
Members: Joyce Bartos, John Burlingame, Rudy Cuellar, JoAnn McMinn, Marcus Morales, Carolyn Seiler, and Delia Villarreal
Staff support: Assistant Economic Development Director and Citizen Relations Coordinator

HOTEL OCCUPANCY TAX (HOT) EVALUATION COMMITTEE

Municipal Official: Councilors Lisa Wallingford and Jacob Balderas
Members: Hal Ben Grady, George Zepeda, Terry Turney, Economic Development Director, Assistant City Manager, and RDC Representative

MAIN STREET ADVISORY BOARD

Municipal Official: Councilor Isaac Davila
Members: Bob Alanis, Kathy Golden, Ernie Dixon, Grace Haggerty, Mable Buford, Michael Mercado, Marco Ruiz, Cheryl Duran, Edmund Samora, Marcia Vogelsang, George Zepeda, and Lupe Uresti Cabello
Staff support: Main Street Manager, Rosenberg Development Director (Ex-Officio)

PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD

Municipal Official: Councilors Jacob Barta and Isaac Davila
Members: Rudy Cuellar, Dawnyell Gallien, Rudy Guerrero, Bertha Nell Kelm, Teresa Bailey, Delia Villarreal, Andy Peal, and George Zepeda
Staff support: Parks and Recreation Director

PLANNING COMMISSION

Council Ex-Officio: Councilors Jacob Balderas and Lisa Wallingford
Members: Arlene Beavers, Pete Pavlovsky, Wayne Poldrack, Michael S. Richard, James Urbish, and Sergio Villagomez
Staff support: Executive Director of Community Development

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES/ENGINEERING PROJECT REVIEW COMMITTEE

Municipal Official: Councilors Jacob Balderas, Lisa Wallingford and Richard Olson
Staff support: City Manager

RECORDS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Municipal Officer: Mayor William Benton
Staff support: City Manager, City Secretary/RMO, City Attorney, Assistant City Manager, and Information Services Director

RENTAL PROPERTY APPEALS BOARD

Members: Cowboy Bill, Mable Buford, Darlene Cortez, David Woods, Edward Kahlenberg, and Scott Kirkham
Staff support: Fire Marshal

WEST FORT BEND MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

City of Rosenberg Representatives: Anthony Sulak and Robert Vogelsang
Joint Appointee Rosenberg/Richmond: Lane Ward
City of Richmond Representatives: Joey Dupuis and Todd Johnson

CHARTER REVIEW COMMITTEE

Municipal Official: Mayor William Benton, Councilors Amanda Barta and Jacob Balderas
Members: Ted Garcia, Mable Buford, Carolyn Seiler, and Dr. Larry Wilkinson
Staff support: City Attorney, City Manager, and City Secretary

WATER/WASTEWATER IMPACT FEE TASK FORCE

Members: Karl Baumgartner, Michael Parsons, Wayne Poldrack, James Steenbergen, Llarance Turner
Staff support: City Manager, Assistant City Manager, City Engineer



ROSENBERG DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Council Representatives:

Mayor William Benton
Councilor Richard Olson
Councilor Lisa Wallingrod

Members:

Teresa Bailey
Ted Garcia
John Herne
Laurie Cook

Staff support:

Economic Development Director
Assistant Economic Development Director,
Economic Development Senior Administrative Assistant

Ex-Officio Members:

Representative of Greater Fort Bend EDC,
Representative of Central Fort Bend Chamber Alliance,
City Manager
and remaining Council Members

The focus of the Economic Development Department is to assist businesses and industry in locating and expanding to Rosenberg. The department collaborates with local businesses, government officials, business-based non-profit agencies and educational institutions to create and maintain an effective business environment based on the needs and demands of the particular industries and entities involved and those they serve. The department oversees the Rosenberg Main Street Program and provides staff support to the Rosenberg Development Corporation.

Talking Trash

Did you know that the City has specific rules regarding when trash carts may be put out for service? Per ordinance: Customers may not put out trash earlier than 12:00 p.m. the day before collection day... and no later than 7:00 a.m. on the day of collection. Emptied carts must be removed from the curb no later than 8:00 a.m. on the morning following the day of collection.

Mon: Green Waste
Tues: Bulky Item
Wed: Solid Waste



Visit: rosenbergtx.gov/trash

NUMBERS TO KNOW

- Animal Control
832.595.3490
- Citizen Relations
832.595.3301
- Customer Service - Utilities
832.595.3400
- Police Dispatch - Non-Emergency
832.595.3700
- Republic Services - Solid Waste
713.726.7300

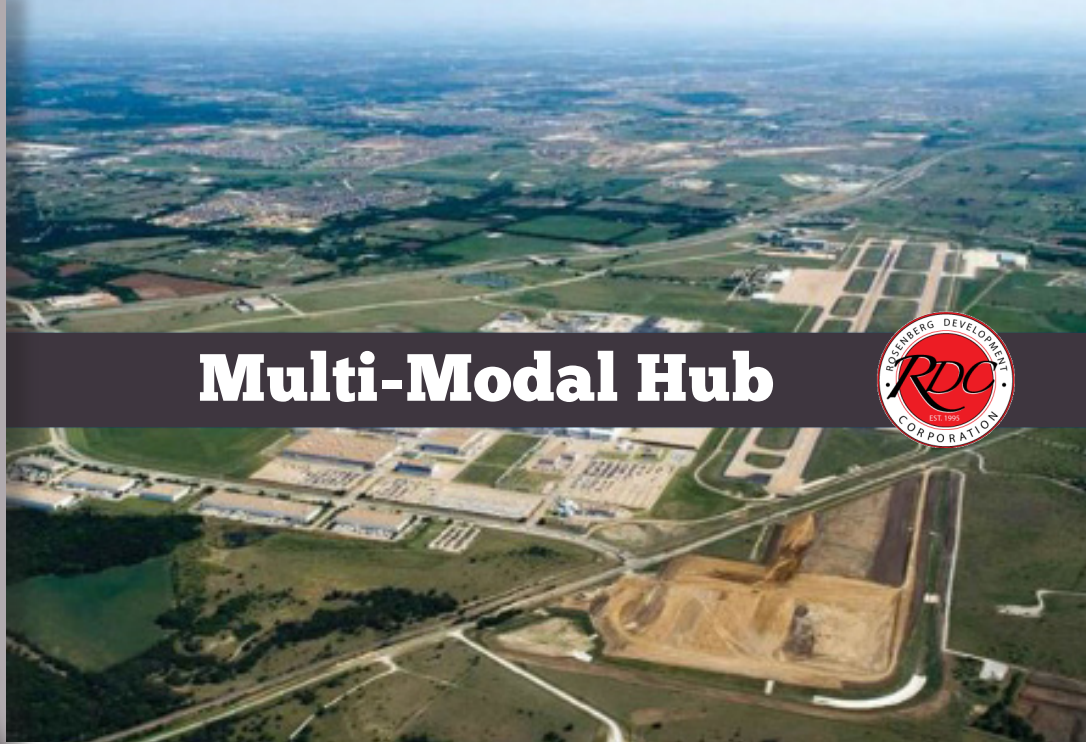


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 832.595.3301 (ask for Communications)



Multi-Modal Hub



Rosenberg goes Multi-Modal

On July 24th, Dr. Alex Metcalf of Transportation Economics & Management Systems, Inc. (TEMS), made a workshop presentation to Rosenberg City Council and Rosenberg Development Corporation (RDC) Board.

TEMS provides specialized management, planning, market research, economic, and systems technology consulting services. Wholly owned and operated by its principals for more than 15 years, the practice is built around four areas of transportation consultation: operation and capacity analysis, ridership demand and revenue forecasting, economic impact assessment, and financial analysis and business plan development.

Metcalf, who was contracted by the RDC in October of 2017 to conduct a feasibility study for a multi-modal rail facility, presented the results of that study to Council, the RDC Board, and the public.

The study concluded that Rosenberg's proximity to deep-water Port Freeport, the existence of three Class A railroads within the City and its ETJ, and the fact that there has not been a major rail-based facility expansion in the Houston region for more than 20 years make Rosenberg a prime location for a multi-modal rail-yard.

The study projected the development of such a facility could ultimately create between 5,000 and 10,000 jobs, and generate more than \$30 million a year in sales tax revenue.

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Visit www.rosenbergtx.gov to confirm meetings and events, as well as public notices and meeting agendas.

9/3/2018	City Offices Closed	Labor Day
9/4/2018 7:00 p.m.	City Council Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
9/18/2018 7:00 p.m.	City Council Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
9/23/2018 6:00 p.m.	City Council Workshop	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
9/28/2018	City Offices Closed	Fort Bend County Fair Day

