



Join Us And See Why Waller County Is *A Real Texas Star*

**Serving the Waller
County Community
Since 2002!**

Be a Part of One of the Most
Dynamic Community Organizations
In Waller County

For over 20 years the Waller County Economic Development
Partnership has served our citizens and business community.

www.wallercounty.org

About the WCEDP

The WCEDP is a Texas, non-profit, 501 C-6 organization. Since February of 2002, we have faithfully served our community.

By joining the WCEDP you become a member of one of the most dynamic organizations in Waller County. We literally are the tip of the spear for building a stronger community.

Mission

The WCEDP is organized to operate a charitable service center to foster increased, environmentally balanced, business commerce, positive growth, and overall cooperation and coordination for all communities throughout Waller County.

Vision

Our vision is to build a vibrant and strong local economy by retaining and attracting top companies that will provide good jobs while respecting the environment. We believe a good quality of life, however you wish to enjoy it, starts with a good job.

Accomplishments at a glance

- International presence with an office in Berlin Germany
- Three state awards for excellence in economic development
- One International Economic Development Council award for excellence in economic development in the public-private partnership category
- Trade & Industry Magazine's Community Impact and Corporate Investment Award through the Governor's Office
- Added over 6,000 new jobs
- Generated over \$212 million in tax revenue for various taxing entities

We have three membership levels that renew annually:

Associate Members - \$1,500. It includes attendance at all partner meetings which include networking, speakers, and sometimes general discussions about organizational and community issues. This is a great way for small businesses to get involved before making a larger commitment.

Trustee Members - \$3,500. It includes all the Associate Member features with the option to sit on the board. Even if you don't exercise the board option, you can still attend board meetings and participate; you just don't have voting privileges. We do carry D&O insurance for the board if you choose to exercise a board option. Board meetings include project presentations and discussions on ongoing activities. This provides an opportunity to get first-hand information on projects and other important activities. You will also be listed on our web site. This is the best level for prospective members that are project-oriented. Direct referrals for projects start with this level.

Foundation Members - \$15,000. This level was started by one of our long-time partners as a way to help increase the support needed to grow the organization and better serve the community. Most Foundation Members are highly vested in the community. Many use it as part of their corporate social responsibility programs. This level includes all the other benefits and comes with an option to serve on the Executive Committee advisory board after two years as a member. The Executive Committee works closely with the director and provides input on various items for the board to consider. The Executive Committee includes the corporate officers and an elected Trustee Member advisory board.



Purpose. Planning. Progress.

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WCEDP Membership Form

Join Date: _____

Member name: (organization or individual)

Membership Type:

Associate Member (\$1,500.00) Trustee Member (\$3,500.00) Foundation Member (\$15,000.00)

Memberships are for one year and renewed upon your anniversary date.

Trustee Members also have the option to have a position on the board of directors.

Foundation Members also have the option to have a position on the board of directors and the executive board after being active on the board for two years.

For either Trustee or Foundation memberships, a separate form will be sent to designate your representative to the respective board positions, if you choose to exercise that option.

Contact (if representing an organization): _____

Title: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: ____ Zip: _____

Mailing address (if different) _____

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Cell: _____

Web site: _____

If an individual, I give WCEDP permission to publish my membership information on the web site and other publications which may include member information. If you choose not to have your information published, please leave blank.

By becoming a member, you agree to abide by the WCEDP bylaws and to represent the WCEDP with integrity and the highest ethical standards.

Signed: _____

Please mail (or email) completed application. Please send dues to:
WCEDP
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Hempstead, TX 77445