

**DATE:** March 11, 2025

FROM: Chris Hill. President

TO:

County Judge, Collin County

**NCTCOG Member Governments** 

**SUBJECT:** Election of Officers and Directors for 2025-2026 Executive Board

Officers and Directors for the 2025-2026 Council of Governments' Executive Board will be elected at the annual General Assembly meeting on Friday, June 13, 2025, at 12:00 p.m. at the Hurst Conference Center. Officials from member governments are invited to submit recommendations for Board positions. I will Chair a Nominating Committee, consisting of several Past Presidents, that has been appointed to review the recommendations and submit a slate for election at the meeting.

Executive Board members traditionally hold their seats for two years and then rotate off the Board. If, however, a member has served for two years but is nominated and elected to serve as an officer, that person will continue to fill their current population-based seat on the Board. The current Board President rotates to the position of *Past President*. The *Past President* position does not represent a population category.

We are specifically requesting nominations for the seats representing the following population categories:

- A City with less than 50,000
- A City with less than 20,000

The following items are attached and are also available online for your use and information:

Nomination Form
Executive Board Structure (According to the NCTCOG Bylaws)
Executive Board Open Seats by Population Category
Executive Board Nominating Committee

#### THE DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS IS MAY 12, 2025

You may nominate online using the forms available at <a href="www.nctcog.org/nominations">www.nctcog.org/nominations</a> or you can return your nomination forms by email to <a href="www.nctcog.org">www.nctcog.org/nominations</a> or you can return your nomination forms by email to <a href="www.nctcog.org">www.nctcog.org/nominations</a> or you can return your nomination forms by email to <a href="www.nctcog.org">www.nctcog.org/nominations</a> or you can return your nomination forms by email to <a href="www.nctcog.org">www.nctcog.org</a>.

If you have any questions, please contact me or one of the other members of the Nominating Committee.

ME/jw

# 2025 – 2026 NCTCOG EXECUTIVE BOARD NOMINATION FORM

NOMINATION FORM			
Date:			
I would like to recommend the following <u>local elected official</u> (Mayor, Councilmember, County Judge, County Commissioner) for consideration by the Nominating Committee to serve on NCTCOG's Executive Board.			

#### PRINCIPAL NOMINATOR INFORMATION:

#### **NOMINEE INFORMATION:**

Name:	Nominee Name:			
Title:	Nominee Title:			
Local Government Represented:	Nominee Local Government Represented:			
	Nominee Population:			
Email:	Nominee Email:			
Mailing City/State/Zip:	Nominee Mailing City/State/Zip:			
Office Phone:	Nominee Office Phone:			
Home/Cell Phone:	Nominee Home/Cell Phone:			
(PLEASE ATTACH A RESUME OR ADDITIONAL BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION)				
Additional Supporting Comments:				

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PLEASE NOMINATE ONLINE AT <a href="www.nctcog.org/nominations">www.nctcog.org/nominations</a>
or email the nomination form to the Executive Director's Office at <a href="www.nctcog.org">jwatson@nctcog.org</a>

Executive Director's Office

North Central Texas Council of Governments

#### **North Central Texas Council of Governments**

#### **Executive Board Structure**

(According to NCTCOG Bylaws)

#### **OFFICERS**

#### **President**

(Elected by General Assembly. Must be a member of the Executive Board.)

#### **Vice President**

(Elected by General Assembly. Must be a member of the Executive Board.)

#### **Secretary-Treasurer**

(Elected by General Assembly. Must be a member of the Executive Board.)

#### **STANDING MEMBERS**

1. Past President

(Automatic position on Executive Board, does not fill a designated seat.)

2. Member of the Legislature

(Ex-Officio, non-voting - Selected by Lottery from among those interested.)

#### **DIRECTORS - Categorical Requirements**

#### Counties (6 Seats)

- 3. 6. Representatives of the Four (4) Largest Populated Member Counties

  (One selected by each County: Dallas, Tarrant, Collin and Denton)
  - 7. Representative of a Member County with a Population of 75,000-650,000
  - 8. Representative of a Member County with a Population of <75,000

#### Cities (10 Seats)

- 9. 11. Representatives of the Three (3) Largest Populated Member Cities (One selected by each City: Dallas, Fort Worth, Arlington)
  - 12. Representative of a Member City with a Population of Between 200,000 350,000
  - 13. Representative of a Member City with a Population of Between 100,000 200,000
  - 14. Representative of a Member City with a Population of Between 50,000 100,000
  - 15. Representative of a Member City with a Population of Between 20,000 50,000
  - **16.** Representative of a Member City with a **Population of <20,000**

#### At Large Cities

- 17. Representative of a Member City with a Population of Between 50,000 350,000
- 18. Representative of a Member City with a Population of <50,000
- ♦ An Executive Board member must be a local elected official from a member government's policy body.
- If a director is elected to an officer position, that director will continue to represent the category that the director was originally elected to serve.
- No member government may have more than one (1) representative on the Board at any given time unless one of them is serving in the Past President position.

## **North Central Texas Council of Governments**

### 2025 Current Executive Board and Open Seats by Population Categories

OFFICERS		2024-2025	2025-2026
	President	Chris Hill (2019), County Judge, Collin	Victoria Johnson (2022), Councilmember, Burleson
	Vice-President	Victoria Johnson (2022), Councilmember, Burleson	Jennifer Justice (2023), Councilmember, Richardson
	Secretary/Treasurer	Jennifer Justice (2023), Councilmember, Richardson	Officers Must be a Current Board Member
DIRE	CTORS		
	Population Categories	2024-2025	2025-2026
<u>Counties</u>			
1.	Largest Appointed by Dallas County	Clay Jenkins (2011), County Judge, Dallas	Appointed
2.	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Largest</b> Appointed by Tarrant County	Tim O'Hare (2023), County Judge, Tarrant	Appointed
3.	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Largest</b> Appointed by Collin County	Chris Hill (2019), County Judge, Collin (officer)	Appointed
4.	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Largest</b> Appointed by Denton County	Babbie Mitchell (2015), Commissioner, Denton	Appointed
5.	75,000 - 650,000	Todd Little (2022), County Judge, Ellis	**Todd Little (2022), County Judge, Ellis
6.	<75,000	Brandon Huckabee (2024), County Judge, Erath	**Brandon Huckabee (2024), County Judge, Erath
<u>C</u>	<u>ities</u>		
7.	<b>Largest</b> Appointed by City of Dallas	Cara Mendelsohn (2021), Councilmember, Dallas	Appointed
8.	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Largest</b> Appointed by City of Fort Worth	Carlos Flores (2022), Councilmember, Fort Worth	Appointed
9.	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Largest</b> Appointed by City of Arlington	Bowie Hogg (2023), Councilmember, Arlington	Appointed
10.	200,000 - 350,000	Rick Horne (2024), Councilmember, Plano	**Rick Horne (2024), Councilmember, Plano
11.	100,000 - 200,000	Jennifer Justice (2023), Councilmember, Richardson (officer)	Jennifer Justice (2023), Councilmember, Richardson (officer)
12.	50,000 - 100,000	Victoria Johnson (2022), Councilmember, Burleson (officer)	Victoria Johnson (2022), Councilmember, Burleson (officer)
13.	20,000 - 50,000	David Bristol (2024), Mayor, Prosper	**David Bristol (2024), Mayor, Prosper
14.	<20,000	**Nick Stanley (2023), Mayor, Aledo	<b>√</b> ***
AT LARGE CITIES			
15.	50,000-350,000	TJ Gilmore (2024), Mayor, Lewisville	**TJ Gilmore (2024), Mayor, Lewisville
16.	<50,000	**Kameron Raburn (2023), Mayor, Ennis	<b>√</b> ***
<u>Z</u>	TANDING MEMBER		
17.	Immediate Past President	Bill Heidemann (2019), Mayor, Corinth (officer)	Chris Hill (2019), County Judge, Collin (officer)
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**<sup>✓</sup>** Open Seat

<sup>\*\* 2</sup> Years on Board

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