

PLANNING COMMISSION

- DUTIES:** To make and amend a master plan for the physical development of the City; to recommend to the City Council approval or disapproval of proposed changes in the zoning plan; to exercise control over platting or subdividing land within the corporate limits of the city and within an area extending five miles beyond the City limits; to submit annually to the City Manager not less than 90 days prior to the beginning of the budget year a list of recommended capital improvements which in the opinion of the commission are necessary or desirable during the forthcoming 5 year period; to require information from other departments of the City government in relation to its work; to be responsible to and act as an advisory body to the City Council and to perform such additional duties and exercise such additional powers as may be prescribed by ordinance of the City Council.
- COMPOSITION:** Nine (9) members which shall consist of nine registered voters of the City appointed by the City Council. Elects its own chairman from among its membership at the first regular meeting in August of each year.
- CREATION & AUTHORITY:** City Charter Art. 5, Sec. 1-6. The first Planning Commission ordinance was adopted in 1937 and has been amended several times, the latest amendment being adopted 7-13-68.
- MEETS:** Every other Wednesday, City Hall, Council Chambers, 5:30 p.m.
- MEMBERS, TERMS, AND EXPIRATION DATES:** All terms for three years

<u>MEMBERS</u>	<u>TERM</u>	<u>ORIGINAL APPTD. DATE</u>
Mark Adame	7-31-14	7-08-08
Rudy Garza, Chair	7-31-12	2-22-05
Marco Castillo	7-31-14	7-12-11
Gabriel Guerra	7-31-14	7-12-11
A. Javier Huerta, Vice-Chair	7-31-13	7-26-05
John C. Tamez	7-31-12	8-22-06
Evon J. Kelly	7-31-12	7-11-06
Govind B. Nadkarni	7-31-13	7-10-07
John S. Taylor	7-31-13	2-24-09

DEPARTMENT: Rudy Garza, Development Services