



2026

Rockport Citizen University

The Rockport Citizen University will consist of 10 sessions over the course of 10 months with a Graduation to be held at the December 8, 2026, City Council meeting. Each session will last approximately an hour to an hour and a half and will begin in February, 2026.

Sessions will be held at 6:30 p.m. on the third Thursday of every month unless there is a conflict. In this case, another date will be announced.

Classes are limited to 15-20 students. Rockport Citizen University is open to the City of Rockport residents.

Participant Requirements:

- Be registered voters within the City of Rockport
- Have been a resident of the City of Rockport for at least one year
- Be 18 years of age or older
- Not be running for local political office during class time

How to Apply:

Step 1: Complete the application using this form or the form on the City website (<https://rockporttx.gov/925/Rockport-Citizen-University>)

Step 2: Submit the application packet to **one** of the following:

EMAIL: sgoodwin@rockporttx.gov

MAIL: City Secretary
212 N. Live Oak
Rockport, Texas 78382

For additional information or questions, please contact Shelley Goodwin, City Secretary, at (361) 729-2213, ext.225, or sgoodwin@rockporttx.gov.



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Name: _____

Residential Address: _____

Telephone: _____ **Cell Phone #:** _____

Email: _____

Are you a City of Rockport resident? _____

Are you registered to vote in City Elections? _____

Length of residency (years) _____

Current Occupation: _____

Areas of interest? _____

Do you currently or have you served on a City Board or Commission? (Circle one) Yes or No

Are you involved in Community Activities or Organizations (please list)

Have you participated in the Chamber of Commerce's Aransas County Leadership Program? (Circle one) Yes or No

Please write a brief narrative outlining your interest in attending Rockport Citizens University. _____

What do you hope to accomplish by attending the Rockport Citizen University?

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applications will be kept on file for one year from the signature date.

NOTE: All information on this application is public information pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Public Information Act.