



City of  
**ALAMOGORDO**

## Boards, Committees, and Council Description

All below are advisory.

### 1. Airport Advisory Board

- **Meetings:** Held quarterly (January, April, July, October) on the first Thursday of the month at 2:00 pm at the Airport Conference Room on 3500 Airport Rd., Alamogordo, NM 88310.
- **Members:** Five total members, two of whom shall be licensed pilots. No more than two members may reside in the County.
- **Staff Liaison:** Tony Gonzalez can be reached at (575) 439-4353.

### 2. Airport Zoning Board

The existence of this board is required by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) in order for the City to continue to receive grants in the best interest of the Airport.

- **Meetings:** Held as needed.
- **Members:** Five total members.
- **Staff Liaison:** Tony Gonzalez can be reached at (575) 439-4353.

### 3. Alamogordo Disability Council

This is a group that provides advice to the City on how to make our community more “user friendly” for citizens and visitors with any kind of disability.

- **Meetings:** Held as needed.
- **Members:** Five members – no more than two members may reside outside City limits.
- **Staff Liaison:** Stella Rael can be reached at (575) 439-4220.

### 4. Alamogordo Public Library Board

Libraries are a dynamic part of our local community. Help plan the library's future and be a part of helping the library keep up with changing technology and new trends. We are looking for people from all walks of life to assist in our informational and recreational missions. We need to hear from our citizens to learn what services the library should be providing. Meetings are a time to learn about what is happening at the library, as well. Come join us and be a spokesperson to champion your library.

- **Meetings:** Held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 4:00 pm at the Library.
- **Members:** Seven members – five City members and two County members.
- **Staff Liaison:** Melissa Garcia can be reached at (575) 439-4140 #4102

### 5. Cemetery Board

- **Meetings:** Held once a year, typically the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday in June in the Civic Center Conference Room, 800 1<sup>st</sup> Street. **(Note: Board was “suspended” at the 3/8/2022 Commission Meeting.)**
- **Members:** Three members.
- **Staff Liaison:** Sven Sears can be reached at (575) 439-4269.

## 6. Community Development Advisory Committee

The purpose of the CDAC is to help identify funding needs for the City of Alamogordo, and to provide citizen participation in the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The Grant Coordinator is the staff member affiliated with this Committee. The Committee helps determine funding request priorities, attends public hearings to discuss funding needs (up to three times per year), and may assist in door-to-door surveys to determine neighborhood income and funding eligibility.

- **Meetings:** Held as needed. **(Note: This Committee is not active and not meeting.)**
- **Members:** Seven members.
- **Staff Liaison:** Debbie Osborne can be reached at (575) 439-4257.

## 7. Mayor's Committee on Aging (MCoA)

The Mayor's Committee on Aging represents the perspective of Seniors, their unique abilities and needs as residents of Alamogordo. Would you like to play a role in improving the lives of seniors in our community? Members of the Mayor's Committee on Aging assume an advocacy role on behalf of seniors. The Committee identifies the needs and concerns of seniors and then works on finding resources to meet those needs and concerns. We would love to hear your feedback and ideas as a valued member of our Committee!

- **Meetings:** Held on the third Thursday of each month at 1:15 p.m. at the Alamo Senior Center, 2201 Puerto Rico Ave.
- **Members:** Seven members – no more than two members may reside outside City limits.
- **Staff Liaison:** Britney Ybarra can be reached at (575) 439-4299.

## 8. Mayor's Youth Advisory Council

The Council consists of seven members, with the Mayor, a representative of the Department of Public Safety, and community members serving on the Council as adult advisors. New members appointed every year. There are no members on the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council. The Council last met in January 2012.

- **Meetings:** **(Note: This Committee is not active and not meeting.)**
- **Members:** Seven members
- **Staff Liaison:** Rachel Hughs can be reached at (575) 439-4100.

## 9. Parks and Recreation Board

The board considers programs, fees, and other operational issues. This advisory board makes recommendations in order for the City to offer updated and current year round leisure services and recreation for the Community. The board provides input on policy decisions and fee structure (yearly user fee increase, what percent if any) for leisure services.

- **Meetings:** Held quarterly (January, April, July, and October) on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. at the Family Recreation Center, 1100 Oregon Avenue.
- **Members:** Seven Members – five at-large members and two school representative members.
- **Staff Liaison:** Sven Sears can be reached at (575) 439-4269.

## 10. Senior Volunteer Programs Advisory Council

This Council provides advisory direction and input regarding the operation of the Senior Volunteer Programs (which includes the Foster Grandparent Program and Senior Companion Program). Tasks include:

- ✓ Short and long-term planning to advance the programs.

- ✓ Discuss any trends in society affecting senior volunteers and whether the programs should be adjusted based on these trends.
- ✓ Review budget information and Administrator's Report.
- ✓ Vote on any other relevant business regarding the programs.
- **Meetings:** Held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at the Alamogordo Senior Center in Classroom #1 at noon.
- **Members:** Per Res. 2024-02, Shall consist of a minimum of five (5) members, not to exceed eight (8) members, with (1) member representing the Foster Grandparent Program of the Senior Companion Program.
- **Staff Liaison:** Julia Rene' Reynolds can be reached at (575) 439-4154.